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| Victory 2002 Rally | October 24, 2002 | Auburn |
| Roundtable and Remarks on the Economy and Fundraiser for Bob Riley | July 15, 2002 | Birmingham |
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To: Jason Huntsberry
Cc: Scott Jennings
Subject: FW: 4/19 AL Political BP

All yours -- obviously the sooner we can wrap this up the better, but understand we have a lot going on.

Good work on the Background information, and just some clarification needed on the Political stuff.

Scott -- assuming you gave us the heads up about the National Committeewoman being a possible PPO nomination?

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Sent: Tuesday, April 18, 2006 11:31 AM
To: Danforth, Melissa C.; Staff Secretary
Cc: Ralston, Susan B.; Melissa Danforth; Graves, Caleb; Tanner, Christon R.; Jason Huntsberry; Huntsberry, Jason R.
Subject: RE: 4/19 AL Political BP

Political Briefing attached with suggested edits and a few questions. Thanks.

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EMPLOYMENT FIGURES

As of February 2006, Alabama's unemployment rate was 3.6 percent, 2.1 percent below its peak of 5.7 percent in November 2003. As of March, the national unemployment rate was 4.7 percent.

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KATRINA HEALTH CARE REIMBURSEMENT

On March 28, Governor Bob Riley (R) announced that the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services has approved the state's plan to reimburse health care providers for assistance to Hurricane Katrina victims. Under the plan, up to \$5 million will be provided for Alabama Medicaid to reimburse doctors, hospitals, pharmacies, clinics, nursing homes, and other health care providers for medically necessary services they provided during the period from August 24, 2005, to January 31, 2006, to individuals displaced by Katrina. Patients must have been without private insurance or any other health care coverage.

STATE LEGISLATURE

Abortion Ban

Before the legislative session ended on April 17, the Senate Judiciary Committee held a public hearing on a bill that would prohibit virtually all abortions in the state, including in cases of rape and incest; only abortions performed when the life of the mother is in danger would be exempted from the ban. The bill is expected to come up for discussion again next year.

Unborn Child Sentencing Law

On April 17, Governor Riley signed into law a bill allowing state prosecutors to press two charges against someone who injures or kills a pregnant woman. Under the new law, which takes effect on July 1, when someone commits a violent act against a pregnant mother that results in the loss of her unborn child, the perpetrator can be charged with murdering the child, even if the mother survives; charges for crimes against the mother may also be filed. Alabama was one of 18 states that did not recognize an unborn child as a victim in a crime against a pregnant woman. The bill is referred to as the "Brody Bill" in memory of Brody Parker, the unborn son of 23-year-old Brandy Parker of Albertville, who was eight-and-a-half months pregnant when she was shot and killed in July 2005.

Education Budget

On March 29, the State House and Senate voted to override Governor Riley's veto of the education budget. The Governor had asked the Legislature to reduce the \$6 billion spending plan by \$60 million so the state could afford to give most state residents a tax cut.

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The House voted 63-38 to reject his proposed amendment and 89-10 to override his veto.
The Senate voted 26-9 to override the veto (essentially a party-line vote).

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Income Tax Bill

On April 12, Governor Riley signed into law a bill to increase Alabama's income tax threshold. The bill raises the income threshold at which Alabama starts taxing a family of four from \$4,600 to \$12,600 and also cuts taxes for lower- and middle-income families. Pointing to the state's budget surplus, Governor Riley had called on legislators to pass a tax cut during his State of the State Address in January. Alabama was the only state still taxing families of four earning less than \$10,000.

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INCREASE IN IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT TRAINING SOUGHT

In 2003, Governor Riley signed an agreement with the U.S. Department of Homeland Security giving the state the authority to use specially trained state troopers to enforce Federal illegal immigration laws. Alabama is one of only three states in the Nation with that authority. Forty-four Alabama state troopers have gone through Federal immigration training; the cost of the training is covered by the Federal government, while the state pays the salaries and any travel costs incurred by state troops participating in the training. Those who successfully complete the five-week training program are authorized to arrest and detain illegal aliens and turn them over to Federal officials for deportation. More than 160 illegal aliens have been arrested since 2003.

Governor Riley is now requesting that the Federal government provide immigration-enforcement training to another class of Alabama state troopers; he has also directed the Alabama Department of Public Safety to assist local police departments in their efforts to receive Federal training that would allow them to address immigration-related issues in their communities. During the recent session, the State Legislature debated several bills to crack down on illegal immigrants and businesses that hire them.

KEY RACES AND POLITICAL CLIMATE

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY DATE

On April 17, the Legislature passed a bill to move the state's presidential primary from June to the first Tuesday in February, which would make Alabama's primary one of the first in the Nation behind the Iowa caucuses and the New Hampshire primary. Governor Riley has said he will sign the bill, which was endorsed by the state chairmen of the Republican and Democratic parties.

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GOVERNOR 2006

Governor Riley is up for re-election in 2006 and faces a primary challenge from former State Supreme Court Chief Justice Roy Moore (R) on June 6. Riley was hurt early in his term when he increased taxes, but his recent response to Hurricane Katrina has improved his standing with the public. A *Mobile Register*/University of South Alabama poll conducted from April 10 through April 13 showed Riley leading Moore, 64 percent to 20 percent, among likely primary voters. Riley was first elected in 2002 when he defeated incumbent Governor Don Siegelman (D), 49.1 percent to 48.9 percent.

Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D) is actively seeking her party's nomination, although she is being challenged by Siegelman, who, despite highly publicized legal and ethics problems connected to his time as governor, is supported by key Democratic primary voting groups. In October 2005, Siegelman was indicted on charges of racketeering, bribery, and extortion, and his trial is set to begin on May 1. If Siegelman wins the primary and is convicted of pending Federal corruption charges, the Democrats may find themselves without a gubernatorial nominee.

A *Mobile Register* poll conducted in late February showed Riley leading Siegelman, 53 percent to 27 percent, and Riley leading Baxley, 45 percent to 36 percent, among registered voters. As of January 31, Riley had \$4.5 million cash-on-hand, compared to Baxley's \$1.2 million and Siegelman's \$345,000.

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

All five Republican and two Democrat Congressmen are considered safe for the 2006 elections.

STATISTICS

2004 General Election Results:

| | Total Votes | % Won |
|--------------|-------------|-------|
| Bush | 1,716,394 | 62% |
| Kerry | 693,933 | 37% |
| Other | 13,161 | 1% |

2000 General Election Results:

| | Total Votes | % Won |
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| Bush | 944,409 | 56% |
| Gore | 695,602 | 42% |
| Nader | 18,349 | 1% |
| Other | 14,191 | 1% |

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2004 General Election Results

(Macon County):

| | Total Votes | % Won |
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| Kerry | 7,800 | 83% |
| Bush | 1,570 | 17% |
| Other | 37 | 0% |

2000 General Election Results

(Macon County):

| | Total Votes | % Won |
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| Gore | 7,665 | 87% |
| Bush | 1,091 | 12% |
| Nader | 31 | 0% |
| Other | 44 | 0% |

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CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION

U.S. SENATE

Richard C. Shelby (R), 4th term, re-elected in 2004 with 68%
Jeff Sessions (R), 2nd term, re-elected in 2002 with 59%

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Jo Bonner (R-01), 2nd term, re-elected with 63%
Terry Everett (R-02), 7th term, re-elected with 72%
Mike Rogers (R-03), 2nd term, re-elected with 61%
Robert Aderholt (R-04), 5th term, re-elected with 75%
Robert "Bud" Cramer, Jr. (D-05), 8th term, re-elected with 73%
Spencer Bachus (R-06), 7th term, re-elected unopposed
Artur Davis (D-07), 2nd term, re-elected with 75%

STATE GOVERNMENT

Governor Bob Riley (R), 1st term, elected with 49%
Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D), 1st term, elected with 51%
Attorney General Troy King (R), appointed by Governor Riley
Secretary of State Nancy Worley (D), 1st term, elected with 49%
State Auditor Beth Chapman (R), 1st term, elected with 51%
Treasurer Kay Ivey (R), 1st term, elected with 51%

State House: 105 (62D, 43R, 1 Vacant)

Speaker: Seth Hammett (D)
Speaker Pro Tempore: Demetrius Newton (D)
Majority Leader: Ken Guin (D)
Minority Leader: Mike Hubbard (R)

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State Senate: 35 (25D, 10R)
 President: Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D)
 President Pro Tempore: Lowell Ray Barron (D)
 Majority Leader: Zeb Little (D)
 Minority Leader: J.T. “Jabo” Waggoner (R)

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STATE PARTY

State Chairman: Twinkle Andress Cavanaugh
 National Committeeman: Edgar Welden
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STATE DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE

Population, 2004:

Alabama: 4,530,182, an increase of 1.9% from 2000
 National: 293,655,404, an increase of 4.3% from 2000

Race/Ethnicity:

Alabama: 71.1% White, 26% African-American, 1.7% Hispanic, 0.7% Asian
 National: 69.1% White; 12.5% Hispanic; 12.3% African-American; 3.6% Asian

Median Household Income:

Alabama: \$34,135
 National: \$41,994

College Educated:

Alabama: 19%
 National: 24.4%

Median Age:

Alabama: 35.8 (13% are 65 years and older)
 National: 35.3 years (12.4% are 65 years and older)

Households:

Alabama: 70% family households; 52.2% married couple families
 National: 68.1% family households; 51.7% married couple families

Source: 2006 Almanac of American Politics and 2000 Census

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| Briefing on Hurricane Damage and Aerial Tour of Hurricane Damage | September 2, 2005 | Mobile |
| Conversation on Strengthening Social Security | March 10, 2005 | Montgomery |
| Ariel Tour of Hurricane Damage; Walking Tour of Hurricane Damage; and Statement to Responders at Fire and Rescue Station 1 | September 19, 2004 | Orange Beach |
| Meeting with Small Business Owners and Remarks on the Economy | November 3, 2003 | Birmingham |
| Victory 2002 Rally | October 24, 2002 | Auburn |
| Roundtable and Remarks on the Economy and Fundraiser for Bob Riley | July 15, 2002 | Birmingham |
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She's not the incumbent so technically, she's not being challenged, they are simply both running for the seat.

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STATE ISSUES

EMPLOYMENT FIGURES

As of February 2006, Alabama's unemployment rate was 3.6 percent, 2.1 percent below its peak of 5.7 percent in November 2003. As of March, the national unemployment rate was 4.7 percent.

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STATE LEGISLATURE

Abortion Ban

Before the legislative session ended on April 17, the Senate Judiciary Committee held a public hearing on a bill that would prohibit virtually all abortions in the state, including in cases of rape and incest; only abortions performed when the life of the mother is in danger would be exempted from the ban. The bill is expected to come up for discussion again next year.

Unborn Child Sentencing Law

On April 17, Governor Riley signed into law a bill allowing state prosecutors to press two charges against someone who injures or kills a pregnant woman. Under the new law, which takes effect on July 1, when someone commits a violent act against a pregnant mother that results in the loss of her unborn child, the perpetrator can be charged with murdering the child, even if the mother survives; charges for crimes against the mother may also be filed. Alabama was one of 18 states that did not recognize an unborn child as a victim in a crime against a pregnant woman. The bill is referred to as the "Brody Bill" in memory of Brody Parker, the unborn son of 23-year-old Brandy Parker of Albertville, who was eight-and-a-half months pregnant when she was shot and killed in July 2005.

Education Budget

On March 29, the State House and Senate voted to override Governor Riley's veto of the education budget. The Governor had asked the Legislature to reduce the \$6 billion spending plan by \$60 million so the state could afford to give most state residents a tax cut.

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The House voted 63-38 to reject his proposed amendment and 89-10 to override his veto.
The Senate voted 26-9 to override the veto (essentially a party-line vote).

Income Tax Bill

On April 12, Governor Riley signed into law a bill to increase Alabama's income tax threshold. The bill raises the income threshold at which Alabama starts taxing a family of four from \$4,600 to \$12,600 and also cuts taxes for lower- and middle-income families. Pointing to the state's budget surplus, Governor Riley had called on legislators to pass a tax cut during his State of the State Address in January. Alabama was the only state still taxing families of four earning less than \$10,000.

INCREASE IN IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT TRAINING SOUGHT

In 2003, Governor Riley signed an agreement with the U.S. Department of Homeland Security giving the state the authority to use specially trained state troopers to enforce Federal illegal immigration laws. Alabama is one of only three states in the Nation with that authority. Forty-four Alabama state troopers have gone through Federal immigration training; the cost of the training is covered by the Federal government, while the state pays the salaries and any travel costs incurred by state troops participating in the training. Those who successfully complete the five-week training program are authorized to arrest and detain illegal aliens and turn them over to Federal officials for deportation. More than 160 illegal aliens have been arrested since 2003.

Governor Riley is now requesting that the Federal government provide immigration-enforcement training to another class of Alabama state troopers; he has also directed the Alabama Department of Public Safety to assist local police departments in their efforts to receive Federal training that would allow them to address immigration-related issues in their communities. During the recent session, the State Legislature debated several bills to crack down on illegal immigrants and businesses that hire them.

KEY RACES AND POLITICAL CLIMATE

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY DATE

On April 17, the Legislature passed a bill to move the state's presidential primary from June to the first Tuesday in February, which would make Alabama's primary one of the first in the Nation behind the Iowa caucuses and the New Hampshire primary. Governor Riley has said he will sign the bill, which was endorsed by the state chairmen of the Republican and Democratic parties.

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GOVERNOR 2006

Governor Riley is up for re-election in 2006 and faces a primary challenge from former State Supreme Court Chief Justice Roy Moore (R) on June 6. Riley was hurt early in his term when he sought to increase taxes, but his recent response to Hurricane Katrina has improved his standing with the public. A *Mobile Register*/University of South Alabama poll conducted from April 10 through April 13 showed Riley leading Moore, 64 percent to 20 percent, among likely primary voters. Riley was first elected in 2002 when he defeated incumbent Governor Don Siegelman (D), 49.1 percent to 48.9 percent.

Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D) is actively seeking her party's nomination, although she is being challenged by Siegelman, who - despite highly publicized legal and ethics problems connected to his time as governor - is supported by key Democratic primary voting groups. In October 2005, Siegelman was indicted on charges of racketeering, bribery, and extortion, and his trial is set to begin on May 1. If Siegelman wins the primary and is convicted of pending Federal corruption charges, the Democrats may find themselves without a gubernatorial nominee.

A *Mobile Register* poll conducted in late February showed Riley leading Siegelman, 53 percent to 27 percent, and Riley leading Baxley, 45 percent to 36 percent, among registered voters. As of January 31, Riley had \$4.5 million cash-on-hand, compared to Baxley's \$1.2 million and Siegelman's \$345,000.

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

All five Republican and two Democrat Congressmen are considered safe for the 2006 elections.

STATISTICS

2004 General Election Results:

| | Total Votes | % Won |
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| Bush | 1,716,394 | 62% |
| Kerry | 693,933 | 37% |
| Other | 13,161 | 1% |

2000 General Election Results:

| | Total Votes | % Won |
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| Bush | 944,409 | 56% |
| Gore | 695,602 | 42% |
| Nader | 18,349 | 1% |
| Other | 14,191 | 1% |

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2004 General Election Results

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| Kerry | 7,800 | 83% |
| Bush | 1,570 | 17% |
| Other | 37 | 0% |

2000 General Election Results

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| Gore | 7,665 | 87% |
| Bush | 1,091 | 12% |
| Nader | 31 | 0% |
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CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION

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Richard C. Shelby (R), 4th term, re-elected in 2004 with 68%
Jeff Sessions (R), 2nd term, re-elected in 2002 with 59%

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Jo Bonner (R-01), 2nd term, re-elected with 63%
Terry Everett (R-02), 7th term, re-elected with 72%
Mike Rogers (R-03), 2nd term, re-elected with 61%
Robert Aderholt (R-04), 5th term, re-elected with 75%
Robert "Bud" Cramer, Jr. (D-05), 8th term, re-elected with 73%
Spencer Bachus (R-06), 7th term, re-elected unopposed
Artur Davis (D-07), 2nd term, re-elected with 75%

STATE GOVERNMENT

Governor Bob Riley (R), 1st term, elected with 49%
Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D), 1st term, elected with 51%
Attorney General Troy King (R), appointed by Governor Riley
Secretary of State Nancy Worley (D), 1st term, elected with 49%
State Auditor Beth Chapman (R), 1st term, elected with 51%
Treasurer Kay Ivey (R), 1st term, elected with 51%

State House: 105 (62D, 43R, 1 Vacant)

Speaker: Seth Hammett (D)
Speaker Pro Tempore: Demetrius Newton (D)
Majority Leader: Ken Guin (D)
Minority Leader: Mike Hubbard (R)

ALABAMA BRIEFING

State Senate: 35 (25D, 10R)
 President: Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D)
 President Pro Tempore: Lowell Ray Barron (D)
 Majority Leader: Zeb Little (D)
 Minority Leader: J.T. “Jabo” Waggoner (R)

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STATE PARTY

State Chairman: Twinkle Andress Cavanaugh
 National Committeeman: Edgar Welden

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National Committeewoman: Bettye Fine Collins

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STATE DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE

Population, 2004:

Alabama: 4,530,182, an increase of 1.9% from 2000
 National: 293,655,404, an increase of 4.3% from 2000

Race/Ethnicity:

Alabama: 71.1% White, 26% African-American, 1.7% Hispanic, 0.7% Asian
 National: 69.1% White; 12.5% Hispanic; 12.3% African-American; 3.6% Asian

Median Household Income:

Alabama: \$34,135
 National: \$41,994

College Educated:

Alabama: 19%
 National: 24.4%

Median Age:

Alabama: 35.8 (13% are 65 years and older)
 National: 35.3 years (12.4% are 65 years and older)

Households:

Alabama: 70% family households; 52.2% married couple families
 National: 68.1% family households; 51.7% married couple families

Source: 2006 Almanac of American Politics and 2000 Census

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| Briefing on Hurricane Damage and Aerial Tour of Hurricane Damage | September 2, 2005 | Mobile |
| Conversation on Strengthening Social Security | March 10, 2005 | Montgomery |
| Ariel Tour of Hurricane Damage; Walking Tour of Hurricane Damage; and Statement to Responders at Fire and Rescue Station 1 | September 19, 2004 | Orange Beach |
| Meeting with Small Business Owners and Remarks on the Economy | November 3, 2003 | Birmingham |
| Victory 2002 Rally | October 24, 2002 | Auburn |
| Roundtable and Remarks on the Economy and Fundraiser for Bob Riley | July 15, 2002 | Birmingham |
| Land and Water Conservation Event; Meeting with Local Religious Leaders; and Fundraiser with Senator Sessions | June 21, 2001 | Birmingham |

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She's not the incumbent so technically, she's not being challenged, they are simply both running for the seat.

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According to the Governor's office, while there are other D's in the race, the only legitimate names are Baxley and Siegelman

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Do we need to mention the other Democrats -- <http://www.politics1.com/al.htm>

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On October 26, 2005, Siegelman was indicted on charges of racketeering, bribery, and extortion. For example, he has been accused of selling seats on the Certificate of Need Board – the entity that issues licenses to build new hospitals and nursing homes. Governor Siegelman's trial is set to begin May 1, 2006.

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To: Melissa Danforth <MDanforth@gwb43.com>
Subject: RE: 4/19 AL Political BP

my question here -- just confirming that siegelman is actually a candidate in the primary? the way it was originally written, it kind of sounded like he has not decided whether to be a candidate -- (it said "may be challenged...") so just confirming that he is indeed a candidate.

Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D) is actively seeking her party's nomination, although she is being challenged by Siegelman^[DLS1] ^[j2],

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Thanks,
Melissa
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thanks.

also, can you help me figure this out -- only outstanding question from me. his comment seems to refute what is written. there is no way the Democrats could be left completely without a nominee.

If Siegelman wins the primary and is convicted of pending Federal corruption charges, the Democrats may find themselves without a gubernatorial nominee^[j1] .^[DLS2]

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I'll get you new numbers.

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ok. maybe he put the 06 thing there because he has 04 population numbers down?

From: Melissa Danforth [mailto:MDanforth@gwb43.com]
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To: Sherzer, David
Subject: RE: 4/19 AL Political BP

Census should be the only source listed – I'll make sure that all the info jives with that.

From: Sherzer, David [mailto:David_Sherzer@who.eop.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, April 18, 2006 3:22 PM
To: Sherzer, David; Melissa Danforth
Subject: RE: 4/19 AL Political BP

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urce: 2006 Almanac of American Politics^[DLS1] and 2000 Census

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Subject:

Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D) is actively seeking her party's nomination, although she is being challenged by Siegelman, who is supported by key Democratic primary voting groups despite highly publicized legal and ethics problems connected to his time as governor (in October 2005, Siegelman was indicted on charges of racketeering, bribery, and extortion, and barring a delay, his trial is set to begin on May 1; jury selection for the trial begins on Wednesday, April 19). Five other Democrats – retired engineer Joe Copeland, former State Representative Nathan Mathis, lawyer Harry Lyon, and political unknowns Katherine Mack and James Potts – are in the race, but none is considered a serious challenger.

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Subject: Final AL Political Briefing

Thanks.

ALABAMA BRIEFING

STATE ISSUES

EMPLOYMENT FIGURES

As of February 2006, Alabama's unemployment rate was 3.6 percent, 2.1 percent below its peak of 5.7 percent in November 2003. As of March, the national unemployment rate was 4.7 percent.

KATRINA HEALTH CARE REIMBURSEMENT

On March 28, Governor Bob Riley (R) announced that the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services has approved the state's plan to reimburse health care providers for assistance to Hurricane Katrina victims. Under the plan, up to \$5 million will be provided for Alabama Medicaid to reimburse doctors, hospitals, pharmacies, clinics, nursing homes, and other health care providers for medically necessary services they provided during the period from August 24, 2005, to January 31, 2006, to individuals displaced by Katrina. Reimbursement will be provided only for assistance to patients who did not have private insurance or any other health care coverage.

STATE LEGISLATURE

Abortion Ban

Before the legislative session ended on April 17, the Senate Judiciary Committee held a public hearing on a bill that would prohibit virtually all abortions in the state, including in cases of rape and incest; only abortions performed when the life of the mother is in danger would be exempted from the ban. The bill is expected to come up for discussion again next year.

Unborn Child Sentencing Law

On April 17, Governor Riley signed into law a bill allowing state prosecutors to press two charges against someone who injures or kills a pregnant woman. Under the new law, which takes effect on July 1, when someone commits a violent act against a pregnant mother that results in the loss of her unborn child, the perpetrator can be charged with murdering the child, even if the mother survives; charges for crimes against the mother may also be filed. Alabama was one of 18 states that did not recognize an unborn child as a victim in a crime against a pregnant woman. The bill is referred to as the "Brody Bill" in memory of Brody Parker, the unborn son of 23-year-old Brandy Parker of Albertville, who was eight-and-a-half months pregnant when she was shot and killed in July 2005.

Education Budget

On March 29, the State House and Senate voted to override Governor Riley's veto of the education budget. The Governor had asked the Legislature to reduce the \$6 billion spending plan by \$60 million so the state could afford to give most state residents a tax cut.

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The House voted 63-38 to reject his proposed amendment and 89-10 to override his veto. The Senate voted 26-9 to override the veto (essentially a party-line vote).

Income Tax Bill

On April 12, Governor Riley signed into law a bill to increase Alabama's income tax threshold. The bill raises the income threshold at which Alabama starts taxing a family of four from \$4,600 to \$12,600 and also cuts taxes for lower- and middle-income families. Pointing to the state's budget surplus, Governor Riley had called on legislators to pass a tax cut during his State of the State Address in January. Alabama was the only state still taxing families of four earning less than \$10,000.

INCREASE IN IMMIGRATION-ENFORCEMENT TRAINING SOUGHT

In 2003, Governor Riley signed an agreement with the Department of Homeland Security, giving the state the authority to use specially trained state troopers to enforce Federal illegal immigration laws. Alabama is one of only three states in the Nation with that authority. Forty-four Alabama state troopers have gone through Federal immigration training; the cost of the training is covered by the Federal government, while the state pays the salaries and any travel costs incurred by state troopers participating in the training. Those who successfully complete the five-week training program are authorized to arrest and detain illegal aliens and turn them over to Federal officials for deportation. More than 160 illegal aliens have been arrested since the program began in 2003.

Governor Riley is now requesting that the Federal government provide immigration-enforcement training to another class of Alabama state troopers; he has also directed the Alabama Department of Public Safety to assist local police departments in their efforts to receive Federal training that would allow them to address immigration-related issues in their communities. During the recent session, the State Legislature debated several bills to crack down on illegal immigrants and businesses that hire them.

KEY RACES AND POLITICAL CLIMATE

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY DATE

On April 17, the Legislature passed a bill to move the state's presidential primary from June to the first Tuesday in February, which would make Alabama's primary one of the first in the Nation behind the Iowa caucuses and the New Hampshire primary. Governor Riley has said he will sign the bill, which was endorsed by the state chairmen of the Republican and Democratic parties.

ALABAMA BRIEFING

GOVERNOR 2006

Governor Riley is up for re-election in 2006 and faces a primary challenge from former State Supreme Court Chief Justice Roy Moore (R) on June 6. Riley was hurt early in his term when he sought to increase taxes, but his recent response to Hurricane Katrina has improved his standing with the public. A *Mobile Register*/University of South Alabama poll conducted from April 10 through April 13 showed Riley leading Moore, 64 percent to 20 percent, among likely primary voters. Riley was first elected in 2002 when he defeated incumbent Governor Don Siegelman (D), 49.1 percent to 48.9 percent.

Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D) is actively seeking her party's nomination, although she is being challenged by Siegelman, who is supported by key Democratic primary voting groups despite highly publicized legal and ethics problems connected to his time as governor (in October 2005, Siegelman was indicted on charges of racketeering, bribery, and extortion, and barring a delay, his trial is set to begin on May 1; jury selection for the trial begins on Wednesday, April 19). Five other Democrats are in the race, but none is considered a serious challenger.

A *Mobile Register* poll conducted in late February showed Riley leading Siegelman, 53 percent to 27 percent, and Riley leading Baxley, 45 percent to 36 percent, among registered voters. As of January 31, Riley had \$4.5 million cash-on-hand, compared to Baxley's \$1.2 million and Siegelman's \$345,000.

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

All five Republican and two Democrat Congressmen are considered safe for the 2006 elections.

STATISTICS

2004 General Election Results:

| | Total Votes | % Won |
|--------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Bush | 1,716,394 | 62% |
| Kerry | 693,933 | 37% |
| Other | 13,161 | 1% |

2000 General Election Results:

| | Total Votes | % Won |
|--------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Bush | 944,409 | 56% |
| Gore | 695,602 | 42% |
| Nader | 18,349 | 1% |
| Other | 14,191 | 1% |

ALABAMA BRIEFING

2004 General Election Results (Macon County):

| | Total Votes | % Won |
|--------------|-------------|-------|
| Kerry | 7,800 | 83% |
| Bush | 1,570 | 17% |
| Other | 37 | 0% |

2000 General Election Results (Macon County):

| | Total Votes | % Won |
|--------------|-------------|-------|
| Gore | 7,665 | 87% |
| Bush | 1,091 | 12% |
| Nader | 31 | 0% |
| Other | 44 | 0% |

CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION

U.S. SENATE

Richard C. Shelby (R), 4th term, re-elected in 2004 with 68%
Jeff Sessions (R), 2nd term, re-elected in 2002 with 59%

U.S. HOUSE 7 Total (5R, 2D)

Jo Bonner (R-01), 2nd term, re-elected with 63%
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Mike Rogers (R-03), 2nd term, re-elected with 61%
Robert Aderholt (R-04), 5th term, re-elected with 75%
Robert “Bud” Cramer, Jr. (D-05), 8th term, re-elected with 73%
Spencer Bachus (R-06), 7th term, re-elected unopposed
Artur Davis (D-07), 2nd term, re-elected with 75%

STATE GOVERNMENT

Governor Bob Riley (R), 1st term, elected with 49%
Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D), 1st term, elected with 51%
Attorney General Troy King (R), appointed by Governor Riley
Secretary of State Nancy Worley (D), 1st term, elected with 49%
State Auditor Beth Chapman (R), 1st term, elected with 51%
Treasurer Kay Ivey (R), 1st term, elected with 51%

State House: **105 (62D, 43R, 1 Vacant)**

Speaker: Seth Hammett (D)
Speaker Pro Tempore: Demetrius Newton (D)
Majority Leader: Ken Guin (D)
Minority Leader: Mike Hubbard (R)

ALABAMA BRIEFING

State Senate: 35 (25D, 10R)
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President Pro Tempore: Lowell Ray Barron (D)
Majority Leader: Zeb Little (D)
Minority Leader: J.T. “Jabo” Waggoner (R)

STATE PARTY

State Chairman: Twinkle Andress Cavanaugh
National Committeeman: Edgar Welden
Note: You have signed off on Welden to become a member of the President’s Council on Physical Fitness. This is not public, but it is expected be announced by early May.
National Committeewoman: Bettye Fine Collins

STATE DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE

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Race/Ethnicity:

Alabama: 71.1% White; 26% African-American; 1.7% Hispanic; 0.7% Asian
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College Educated:

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National: 24.4%

Median Age:

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National: 35.3 years (12.4% are 65 years and older)

Households:

Alabama: 70% family households; 52.2% married couple families
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Source: 2000 U.S. Census Bureau

ALABAMA BRIEFING

YOUR PREVIOUS TRAVEL

| Event | Date | Location |
|---|--------------------|-----------------|
| Briefing on Hurricane Damage and Aerial Tour of Hurricane Damage | September 2, 2005 | Mobile |
| Conversation on Strengthening Social Security | March 10, 2005 | Montgomery |
| Aerial Tour of Hurricane Damage; Walking Tour of Hurricane Damage; and Statement to Responders at Fire and Rescue Station 1 | September 19, 2004 | Orange Beach |
| Meeting with Small Business Owners and Remarks on the Economy | November 3, 2003 | Birmingham |
| Victory 2002 Rally | October 24, 2002 | Auburn |
| Roundtable and Remarks on the Economy and Fundraiser for Bob Riley | July 15, 2002 | Birmingham |
| Land and Water Conservation Event; Meeting with Local Religious Leaders; and Fundraiser with Senator Sessions | June 21, 2001 | Birmingham |

From: Bowman, Thomas A. <Thomas_A._Bowman@who.eop.gov>
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To: Danforth, Melissa C. <Melissa_C._Danforth@who.eop.gov>; Drummond, Michael <Michael_Drummond@who.eop.gov>; Staff Secretary <StaffSecretary@eopds.eop.gov>
Cc: Ralston, Susan B. <Susan_B._Ralston@who.eop.gov>; Melissa Danforth <mdanforth@gwb43.com>; Graves, Caleb <Caleb_Graves@who.eop.gov>; Jason Huntsberry <jhuntsberry@gwb43.com>; Natalie Vernon <nvernon@gwb43.com>; Taylor, Meghan J. <Meghan_J._Taylor@who.eop.gov>; Lynch, Michele M. <Michele_M._Lynch@who.eop.gov>; Ehni, Meaghan G. <Meaghan_G._Ehni@who.eop.gov>; Meyers, John M. <John_M._Meyers@who.eop.gov>; Recher, Jason <Jason_Recher@who.eop.gov>
Subject: FINAL 9/28 AL Political BP
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From: Danforth, Melissa C.
Sent: Wednesday, September 27, 2006 1:07 PM
To: Drummond, Michael; Staff Secretary
Cc: Ralston, Susan B.; 'Danforth, Melissa'; Graves, Caleb; 'jhuntsberry@gwb43.com'; 'Natalie Vernon'; Taylor, Meghan J.; Lynch, Michele M.; Ehni, Meaghan G.; Meyers, John M.; Recher, Jason; Danforth, Melissa C.
Subject: RE: 9/28 AL Political BP

Corrected and returned.

From: Drummond, Michael
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Subject: RE: 9/28 AL Political BP

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Sent: Monday, September 25, 2006 4:20 PM

To: Staff Secretary

Cc: Ralston, Susan B.; 'Danforth, Melissa'; Danforth, Melissa C.; Graves, Caleb; 'jhuntsberry@gwb43.com'; 'Natalie Vernon'; Taylor, Meghan J.; Lynch, Michele M.; Ehni, Meaghan G.; Meyers, John M.; Recher, Jason

Subject: 9/28 AL Political BP

attached for review.

Thanks,
Melissa
x6-5807

ALABAMA BRIEFING

STATE ISSUES

ECONOMY

In August, Alabama's unemployment rate was 3.5 percent, down from its peak of 5.7 percent in November 2003. In August, the national unemployment rate was 4.7 percent.

HURRICANE KATRINA

As of September 20, \$1.128 billion in FEMA disaster assistance has been obligated for recovery efforts in Alabama. Over 115,000 Alabama households have registered with FEMA for some type of assistance.

On September 15, FEMA announced it would accept up to \$400 million in formal bids from five coastal states, including Alabama, to pursue alternative forms of housing, including semi-permanent or permanent alternatives, such as the units colloquially known as "Katrina Cottages." The Alternative Housing Pilot program is an opportunity for the states, the housing industry, and other organizations to help FEMA and Congress explore new ideas for providing post-disaster housing to people in need. The funding was authorized in the Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act for Defense, the Global War on Terror, and Hurricane Recovery you signed into law on June 15, 2006.

Despite a FEMA field announcement on September 18 that it would extend the eligible stay for Hurricane Katrina victims inhabiting trailers and mobile homes, FEMA is still examining this issue. No decision will formally be announced until the duration and application (to whom the extension will apply) of any such extension has been decided.

Close to \$71 million is anticipated for hazard mitigation projects to help Alabamians rebuild to standards that help prevent damage in future storms.

DROUGHT

Alabama cotton producers are expecting the worst yield in more than 10 years after this summer's drought. Alabama is the tenth largest cotton producer in the United States, with 59 of Alabama's 67 counties growing cotton. The USDA has allocated more than \$1 million to Alabama farmers and ranchers hurt by the drought.

KEY RACES AND POLITICAL CLIMATE

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

All seven Congressmen (5R, 2D) are considered safe for the 2006 elections.

ALABAMA BRIEFING

GOVERNOR

Governor Bob Riley (R) was elected in 2002 with 49.2 percent, defeating incumbent Governor Don Siegelman (D) by 3,120 votes. In 2006, Riley faces Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D). Riley could have been in trouble after his Administration increased property tax collections and backed a massive tax increase referendum that ultimately failed when put before Alabama's voters. However, his response to Hurricane Katrina and recent tax cuts helped him regain favor with voters. Even though you won the state with 62 percent in 2004, Riley is only the second Republican governor since Reconstruction.

Riley's campaign has focused on his newly proposed tax cuts, his record spending on education, and his hard-line stance on immigration (Alabama is one of only three states to have Federally cross-trained state troopers who can deal with illegal immigrants). Earlier in the race, Baxley failed to take a decisive stance on the issues, allowing the Riley campaign to define her before she defined herself. In an ad called "Liberal Lucy," the Riley campaign featured Baxley's on-the-record quotes where she called Senator Hillary Clinton (D, NY) "an inspiration," and explained her vote for former Presidential Nominee John Kerry (D) "because he is so liberal." An internal Riley poll showed that after airing the "Liberal Lucy" ad for one month, Baxley's unfavorable rating went from almost zero to 35 percent.

As of September 25, Riley held a 5-to-1 financial advantage with \$3.3 million cash-on-hand compared to Baxley's \$616,000. An internal Riley campaign poll, conducted on September 12, showed him leading Lucy Baxley by 19 points, 54 percent to 35 percent. A Birmingham News poll, conducted September 5 through September 7, showed Riley leading Baxley by 21 points, 55 percent to 34 percent. While Baxley has been considered a tough challenger, Riley should be re-elected.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

In a July 18 GOP runoff election, Luther Strange, a Birmingham lawyer, easily defeated Public Service Commissioner George Wallace, Jr., son of former Governor George Wallace (D), 55 to 45 percent.

Strange faces former Governor and former Lieutenant Governor Jim Folsom, Jr. (D) in November. Folsom was elected Lieutenant Governor in 1986 and re-elected in 1990.

ALABAMA BRIEFING

After former Governor Harold Guy Hunt (R) was removed from office for violating state ethics laws, Folsom served as Governor, but lost his 1994 re-election bid.

On September 20, Folsom began airing two, 30-second ads across the state, stepping up his otherwise low-key campaign. Strange, who spent thousands on advertising during the primary and runoff election, has not yet gone on air.

A Birmingham News poll, conducted September 5-7, showed Strange leading Folsom, 47 percent to 38 percent. As of September 25, Strange had \$578,000 cash-on-hand while Folsom had \$445,000 on-hand. While Governor and Lieutenant Governor candidates do not run as a ticket in Alabama, Riley's incumbency and strong voter base could help Strange defeat Folsom on Election Day. This race leans Republican.

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| | Total Votes | % Won |
|--------------|-------------|-------|
| Bush | 158,680 | 54% |
| Kerry | 132,286 | 45% |

2000 General Election Results **(Jefferson County):**

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| Gore | 129,889 | 47% |

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ALABAMA BRIEFING

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Source: U.S. Census 2000

YOUR PREVIOUS TRAVEL

| Event | Date | Location |
|--|--------------------|-----------------|
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Cc: Natalie Vernon <nvernon@gwb43.com>; Scott Jennings <SJennings@gwb43.com>; Sara Taylor <st@gwb43.com>
Subject: AL Riley POTUS SP 9.21 or 9.28
Attach: AL Birmingham RileyFR 09 21 or 28 06 Proposal.doc

Good Evening – Enclosed is the SP for a POTUS FR event for Riley event on either 9.21 or 9.28. Please let me know if you need anything additional.

Thanks –

JH

SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

TODAY'S DATE: 7/27/2006

TO: Melissa S. Bennett
Deputy Assistant to the President
For Appointments and Scheduling

FROM: Karl C. Rove
Deputy Chief of Staff and Senior Advisor

REQUEST: Photo Opportunity and Remarks at a Bob Riley for Governor Reception

PURPOSE: To support Bob Riley's re-election campaign for governor.

BACKGROUND: Governor Bob Riley (R) will face Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D) in the November election. Riley was elected in 2002, narrowly defeating incumbent Governor Don Siegelman (D) 49.1 percent to 48.9 percent. Riley is only the second Republican governor in Alabama since Reconstruction.

Riley's campaign has focused on the tax cuts he proposed in his 2006 state-of-the-state, his record spending on education, and his hard-line stance on immigration (Alabama is one of only three states to have federally cross-trained state troopers who can deal with illegal immigrants). Drawing on a similar national story, Baxley has accused Riley of violating state ethics laws for allegedly accepting illegal campaign money from Native American tribes.

As of May 31, Riley held a 4-to-1 financial advantage with \$2.4 million cash-on-hand compared to Baxley's \$658,000. While Baxley will be a tough challenger, Riley is favored to retain this win. On July 24, Vice President Dick Cheney headlined a Riley for Governor Event in Baxley's home county of Houston in Dothan, Alabama.

The President won Alabama with 62 percent of the vote in 2004.

PREVIOUS PARTICIPATION: None

DATE AND TIME: September 21 or 28, 2006 // TBD

DURATION: 1 hour 30 minutes

BRIEFING TIME: N/A

LOCATION: TBD
Birmingham, Alabama

PARTICIPANTS: The President
Bob Riley
TBD elected officials
TBD State Party officials
TBD supporters

OUTLINE OF EVENT: The President arrives, participates in a photo-op (75 clicks),
delivers remarks at a reception, works ropeline and departs.

REMARKS REQUIRED: Prepared by Speechwriting

MEDIA COVERAGE: Photo Op: Closed Press
Remarks: Open Press

FIRST LADY'S ATTENDANCE: At her discretion

FUNDING SOURCE: Bob Riley for Governor

PHOTO CONTACT: Jason Huntsberry, OPA, x6-2952

WORKING CONTACT: Jason Huntsberry, OPA, x6-2952

 ACCEPT REGRET PENDING

Jason Huntsberry

From: Jason Huntsberry
Sent: 9/14/2006 11:07:15 PM
To: Ralston, Susan B.; Melissa Danforth; Danforth, Melissa C.
Cc: Scott Jennings; Natalie Vernon
Bcc:
Subject: AL FR for Bob Riley SPEECH FORM
Attachments: 9 28 06 RileyRGA BirminghamAL Speech Form.doc;

Good Evening – Enclosed is the speech form for the Riley event on 9.28. Please let me know if you need additional information.

Thanks!

JH

**THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON**

PRESIDENTIAL SPEECHWRITING FORM

TODAY'S DATE: 9/14/2006

TO: William J. McGurn
Assistant to the President for Speechwriting

FROM: Karl C. Rove
Deputy Chief of Staff and Senior Advisor

NAME, DATE AND TIME OF EVENT: Photo Opportunity and Remarks at a Bob Riley for Governor and a Republican Governors Association Reception
Thursday, September 28, 2006
11:35 a.m.

LOCATION AND INFO: Birmingham Jefferson Convention Complex
Birmingham, Alabama

LENGTH AND TYPE OF REMARKS: Campaign Remarks [25 minutes]

MISSION STATEMENT: With your support, we will re-elect Alabama Governor Bob Riley and provide resources to elect Republican Governors across the country.

POINT IN PROGRAM WHEN THE PRESIDENT WILL SPEAK: The President will speak after an introduction by Governor Bob Riley.

PERSON WHO WILL INTRODUCE THE PRESIDENT: Governor Bob Riley

OTHERS THE PRESIDENT SHOULD ACKNOWLEDGE IN HIS OPENING REMARKS: Governor Bob Riley
TBD elected officials
TBD State Party officials
TBD supporters

SIZE AND TYPE OF AUDIENCE: The audience will consist of roughly 1500-2000 Governor Bob Riley and Republican Governors Association supporters.

BACKGROUND ON VISIT: Governor Bob Riley (R) will face Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D) in the November election. Riley was elected in 2002, narrowly defeating incumbent Governor

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The President won the state of Alabama with 62.46 percent of the vote in 2004.

PREVIOUS PARTICIPATION:

The President attended a Bob Riley for Governor and Alabama Republican Party Victory 2002 Luncheon on July 15, 2002.

OTHER INFORMATION:

Please see attached talking points from Governor Bob Riley's campaign and the Republican Governors Association.

POINTS OF CONTACT:

Jason Huntsberry, OPA, x6-2952 // 202-997-1911 (cell)

Dax Swatek, Campaign Manager, Bob Riley for Governor, 334-467-1758 (cell)

Josh Blades, Campaign Spokesman, Bob Riley for Governor, 334-221-4231 (cell)

Robert Van Raaphorst, Press Secretary, Republican Governors Association, 202-662-4143 (cell)

Bob Riley for Governor Talking Points

Background

Gov. Bob Riley has had one of the most successful administrations in recent Alabama history. When he ran in 2002, Alabama's economy was bleeding jobs, there was a \$700 million budget deficit, schools were on the verge of probation, and scandal was a way of life in Democrat Governor Don Siegelman's office. Gov. Riley ran on a platform of change—especially in ethics, economy, and education. Today, Alabama is 100,000 jobs stronger, our budget has a \$1 billion surplus, test scores are rising, and there has not even been a hint of corruption in the Governor's administration.

During the primary, Gov. Riley won by a 2-1 margin against Ex-Chief Justice Roy Moore by focusing on the Governor's record. Our Primary theme was "Alabama... On the Right Track," and with historically low unemployment, one of the best economies in the nation, and a squeaky-clean administration, it worked.

Today, we face Lucy Baxley, the sitting Lt. Governor. Ms. Baxley beat former Governor Don Siegelman in the primary by playing up her rural roots. It also didn't hurt that her opponent was in federal court facing bribery and conspiracy charges during the campaign. He went on to be convicted along with ousted HealthSouth CEO Richard Scrushy in a scandal that has broken Alabamians' trust in their state government.

Because of these issues, as well as the effects of the liberal national party, Democrats in Alabama's State Legislature are fearful of losing their majority. There are several races across the state that Republicans are poised to win, especially if Gov. Riley continues with the momentum that he now has.

Polling

Our most recent internal poll, which was conducted September 12, showed Gov. Riley leading Lucy Baxley by a 54% - 35% margin. Because of his performance throughout this administration, Gov. Riley's numbers have been very favorable. Baxley's numbers have been very soft because of her lack of stands on the issues. With a month of running ads labeling her as liberal, Baxley's unfavorables have risen from almost nothing to 32%.

Almost 70% of Alabamians approve of the job the Governor is doing, and 66% say the state's economy is in good shape. One of the more interesting numbers in the poll is that only 19% of those polled thought Lucy Baxley would actually win.

A recent poll done by the Birmingham News almost parallels these numbers.

Strategy

Lucy Baxley

The Baxley campaign has been throwing everything against the wall over the past two months to see what will stick. After taking shot after shot at the Governor in earned media, she began her ad campaign a month ago with a spot linking Gov. Riley to Jack Abramoff and Michael Scanlon.

The Riley campaign responded with an ad that said she used gambling money from a local gambling magnate to pay for the untruthful ad about Gov. Riley.

Her new ad accuses Gov. Riley of not being straight about taxes. Her major issue has become annual property tax reappraisals, which she calls a “back-door tax increase.” When Gov. Riley came into office, previous governors had not followed a law that required property tax reappraisals to be done every year—they just kept reappraising every four years. Gov. Riley followed the law, and now, Baxley is attempting to say he has not been up front about taxes.

The Riley campaign responded with an ad that focuses on the fact that Gov. Riley ushered the first significant tax cuts in Alabama’s history through the legislature this year. The ad also points out that Baxley killed a bill that would have brought reappraisals to every four years.

And, of course, she still hits the Governor on his failed tax reform package every chance she gets—even though she voted for it.

Overall, her campaign has yet to find the silver bullet. In fact, they have not found a single issue that has gained traction with the voters. She has presented no vision—just a small list of bullet points that looks sophomoric.

Gov. Bob Riley

Gov. Riley’s campaign has focused on his record and his vision for the next four years. Just a week ago, he introduced “Plan 2010,” which is his bold, comprehensive vision for the state. This 90 page vision is written in the form of a strategic plan. While it is long and detailed, it can be boiled down into a few basic bullet points—use the state surplus for tax cuts, put at least \$500 million into a school construction program, reform state ethics laws, stop illegal immigrants from crossing our borders. This vision will dominate the remainder of the campaign.

In addition to the positive vision, the Riley campaign has been forced to respond to Baxley’s negative attacks. Last month, we began an ad called “Liberal Lucy” that disclosed some very nice things she has said about Hillary Clinton and John Kerry. She is on record calling Clinton “an inspiration,” and saying she voted for John Kerry “because he is so liberal.” This ad effectively defined Lucy before she was able to define herself.

Our plan is to give ourselves some cover from the negative attacks, so that we can talk about our vision. If it ever comes down to the issues, we win every time.

Fundraising

Gov. Riley enjoys a healthy lead in fundraising, but we expect the Baxley campaign to come on strong in the last two months. As the Governor’s lead grows, so does his coattails. Paul Hubbert, the union boss for Alabama’s teachers union, sees some of his support eroding across the state as Republicans grow stronger with the help of Gov. Riley. To stop the bleeding, we expect him to make very sizable contributions to Lucy’s campaign in an effort to discredit the Governor and drive up his negatives.

Even if that does happen, we still enjoy a great deal of monetary support from across the state, and we fully expect to keep our fundraising lead.

Contrasts

- The Governor has presented a comprehensive “Plan 2010” on his vision for Alabama over the next four years. It covers Education, Economy, Ethics, Protecting Alabama, and Quality of Life. Baxley’s platform could be written on the back of a matchbook.
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CC: Scott Jennings
Subject: FW: 4/19 AL Political BP

All yours – obviously the sooner we can wrap this up the better, but understand we have a lot going on.

Good work on the Background information, and just some clarification needed on the Political stuff.

Scott – assuming you gave us the heads up about the National Committeewoman being a possible PPO nomination?

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Political Briefing attached with suggested edits and a few questions. Thanks.

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Thanks,
Melissa
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EMPLOYMENT FIGURES

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KATRINA HEALTH CARE REIMBURSEMENT

On March 28, Governor Bob Riley (R) announced that the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services has approved the state's plan to reimburse health care providers for assistance to Hurricane Katrina victims. Under the plan, up to \$5 million will be provided for Alabama Medicaid to reimburse doctors, hospitals, pharmacies, clinics, nursing homes, and other health care providers for medically necessary services they provided during the period from August 24, 2005, to January 31, 2006, to individuals displaced by Katrina. Patients must have been without private insurance or any other health care coverage.

STATE LEGISLATURE

Abortion Ban

Before the legislative session ended on April 17, the Senate Judiciary Committee held a public hearing on a bill that would prohibit virtually all abortions in the state, including in cases of rape and incest; only abortions performed when the life of the mother is in danger would be exempted from the ban. The bill is expected to come up for discussion again next year.

Unborn Child Sentencing Law

On April 17, Governor Riley signed into law a bill allowing state prosecutors to press two charges against someone who injures or kills a pregnant woman. Under the new law, which takes effect on July 1, when someone commits a violent act against a pregnant mother that results in the loss of her unborn child, the perpetrator can be charged with murdering the child, even if the mother survives; charges for crimes against the mother may also be filed. Alabama was one of 18 states that did not recognize an unborn child as a victim in a crime against a pregnant woman. The bill is referred to as the "Brody Bill" in memory of Brody Parker, the unborn son of 23-year-old Brandy Parker of Albertville, who was eight-and-a-half months pregnant when she was shot and killed in July 2005.

Education Budget

On March 29, the State House and Senate voted to override Governor Riley's veto of the education budget. The Governor had asked the Legislature to reduce the \$6 billion spending plan by \$60 million so the state could afford to give most state residents a tax cut.

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The House voted 63-38 to reject his proposed amendment and 89-10 to override his veto.
The Senate voted 26-9 to override the veto (essentially a party-line vote).

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Income Tax Bill

On April 12, Governor Riley signed into law a bill to increase Alabama's income tax threshold. The bill raises the income threshold at which Alabama starts taxing a family of four from \$4,600 to \$12,600 and also cuts taxes for lower- and middle-income families. Pointing to the state's budget surplus, Governor Riley had called on legislators to pass a tax cut during his State of the State Address in January. Alabama was the only state still taxing families of four earning less than \$10,000.

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INCREASE IN IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT TRAINING SOUGHT

In 2003, Governor Riley signed an agreement with the U.S. Department of Homeland Security giving the state the authority to use specially trained state troopers to enforce Federal illegal immigration laws. Alabama is one of only three states in the Nation with that authority. Forty-four Alabama state troopers have gone through Federal immigration training; the cost of the training is covered by the Federal government, while the state pays the salaries and any travel costs incurred by state troops participating in the training. Those who successfully complete the five-week training program are authorized to arrest and detain illegal aliens and turn them over to Federal officials for deportation. More than 160 illegal aliens have been arrested since 2003.

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Governor Riley is now requesting that the Federal government provide immigration-enforcement training to another class of Alabama state troopers; he has also directed the Alabama Department of Public Safety to assist local police departments in their efforts to receive Federal training that would allow them to address immigration-related issues in their communities. During the recent session, the State Legislature debated several bills to crack down on illegal immigrants and businesses that hire them.

KEY RACES AND POLITICAL CLIMATE

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY DATE

On April 17, the Legislature passed a bill to move the state's presidential primary from June to the first Tuesday in February, which would make Alabama's primary one of the first in the Nation behind the Iowa caucuses and the New Hampshire primary. Governor Riley has said he will sign the bill, which was endorsed by the state chairmen of the Republican and Democratic parties.

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GOVERNOR 2006

Governor Riley is up for re-election in 2006 and faces a primary challenge from former State Supreme Court Chief Justice Roy Moore (R) on June 6. Riley was hurt early in his term when he increased taxes, but his recent response to Hurricane Katrina has improved his standing with the public. A *Mobile Register*/University of South Alabama poll conducted from April 10 through April 13 showed Riley leading Moore, 64 percent to 20 percent, among likely primary voters. Riley was first elected in 2002 when he defeated incumbent Governor Don Siegelman (D), 49.1 percent to 48.9 percent.

Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D) is actively seeking her party's nomination, although she is being challenged by Siegelman, who – despite highly publicized legal and ethics problems connected to his time as governor – is supported by key Democratic primary voting groups. In October 2005, Siegelman was indicted on charges of racketeering, bribery, and extortion, and his trial is set to begin on May 1. If Siegelman wins the primary and is convicted of pending Federal corruption charges, the Democrats may find themselves without a gubernatorial nominee.

A *Mobile Register* poll conducted in late February showed Riley leading Siegelman, 53 percent to 27 percent, and Riley leading Baxley, 45 percent to 36 percent, among registered voters. As of January 31, Riley had \$4.5 million cash-on-hand, compared to Baxley's \$1.2 million and Siegelman's \$345,000.

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

All five Republican and two Democrat Congressmen are considered safe for the 2006 elections.

STATISTICS

2004 General Election Results:

| | Total Votes | % Won |
|--------------|-------------|-------|
| Bush | 1,716,394 | 62% |
| Kerry | 693,933 | 37% |
| Other | 13,161 | 1% |

2000 General Election Results:

| | Total Votes | % Won |
|--------------|-------------|-------|
| Bush | 944,409 | 56% |
| Gore | 695,602 | 42% |
| Nader | 18,349 | 1% |
| Other | 14,191 | 1% |

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2004 General Election Results

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| Kerry | 7,800 | 83% |
| Bush | 1,570 | 17% |
| Other | 37 | 0% |

2000 General Election Results

(Macon County):

| | Total Votes | % Won |
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| Gore | 7,665 | 87% |
| Bush | 1,091 | 12% |
| Nader | 31 | 0% |
| Other | 44 | 0% |

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CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION

U.S. SENATE

Richard C. Shelby (R), 4th term, re-elected in 2004 with 68%
Jeff Sessions (R), 2nd term, re-elected in 2002 with 59%

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Jo Bonner (R-01), 2nd term, re-elected with 63%
Terry Everett (R-02), 7th term, re-elected with 72%
Mike Rogers (R-03), 2nd term, re-elected with 61%
Robert Aderholt (R-04), 5th term, re-elected with 75%
Robert "Bud" Cramer, Jr. (D-05), 8th term, re-elected with 73%
Spencer Bachus (R-06), 7th term, re-elected unopposed
Artur Davis (D-07), 2nd term, re-elected with 75%

STATE GOVERNMENT

Governor Bob Riley (R), 1st term, elected with 49%
Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D), 1st term, elected with 51%
Attorney General Troy King (R), appointed by Governor Riley
Secretary of State Nancy Worley (D), 1st term, elected with 49%
State Auditor Beth Chapman (R), 1st term, elected with 51%
Treasurer Kay Ivey (R), 1st term, elected with 51%

State House: 105 (62D, 43R, 1 Vacant)

Speaker: Seth Hammett (D)
Speaker Pro Tempore: Demetrius Newton (D)
Majority Leader: Ken Guin (D)
Minority Leader: Mike Hubbard (R)

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State Senate: 35 (25D, 10R)
President: Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D)
President Pro Tempore: Lowell Ray Barron (D)
Majority Leader: Zeb Little (D)
Minority Leader: J.T. “Jabo” Waggoner (R)

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STATE PARTY

State Chairman: Twinkle Andress Cavanaugh
National Committeeman: Edgar Welden

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National Committeewoman: Bettye Fine Collins

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STATE DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE

Population, 2004:

Alabama: 4,530,182, an increase of 1.9% from 2000
National: 293,655,404, an increase of 4.3% from 2000

Race/Ethnicity:

Alabama: 71.1% White, 26% African-American, 1.7% Hispanic, 0.7% Asian
National: 69.1% White; 12.5% Hispanic; 12.3% African-American; 3.6% Asian

Median Household Income:

Alabama: \$34,135
National: \$41,994

College Educated:

Alabama: 19%
National: 24.4%

Median Age:

Alabama: 35.8 (13% are 65 years and older)
National: 35.3 years (12.4% are 65 years and older)

Households:

Alabama: 70% family households; 52.2% married couple families
National: 68.1% family households; 51.7% married couple families

Source: 2006 Almanac of American Politics and 2000 Census

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| Briefing on Hurricane Damage and Aerial Tour of Hurricane Damage | September 2, 2005 | Mobile |
| Conversation on Strengthening Social Security | March 10, 2005 | Montgomery |
| Ariel Tour of Hurricane Damage; Walking Tour of Hurricane Damage; and Statement to Responders at Fire and Rescue Station 1 | September 19, 2004 | Orange Beach |
| Meeting with Small Business Owners and Remarks on the Economy | November 3, 2003 | Birmingham |
| Victory 2002 Rally | October 24, 2002 | Auburn |
| Roundtable and Remarks on the Economy and Fundraiser for Bob Riley | July 15, 2002 | Birmingham |
| Land and Water Conservation Event; Meeting with Local Religious Leaders; and Fundraiser with Senator Sessions | June 21, 2001 | Birmingham |

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To: Danforth, Melissa C.; Staff Secretary
Cc: Ralston, Susan B.; Melissa Danforth; Graves, Caleb; Tanner, Christon R.; Jason Huntsberry; Huntsberry, Jason R.
Subject: RE: 4/19 AL Political BP

Political Briefing attached with suggested edits and a few questions. Thanks.

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attached for review.

Thanks,
Melissa
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STATE ISSUES

EMPLOYMENT FIGURES

As of February 2006, Alabama's unemployment rate was 3.6 percent, 2.1 percent below its peak of 5.7 percent in November 2003. As of March, the national unemployment rate was 4.7 percent.

KATRINA HEALTH CARE REIMBURSEMENT

On March 28, Governor Bob Riley (R) announced that the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services has approved the state's plan to reimburse health care providers for assistance to Hurricane Katrina victims. Under the plan, up to \$5 million will be provided for Alabama Medicaid to reimburse doctors, hospitals, pharmacies, clinics, nursing homes, and other health care providers for medically necessary services they provided during the period from August 24, 2005, to January 31, 2006, to individuals displaced by Katrina. Patients must have been without private insurance or any other health care coverage.

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Abortion Ban

Before the legislative session ended on April 17, the Senate Judiciary Committee held a public hearing on a bill that would prohibit virtually all abortions in the state, including in cases of rape and incest; only abortions performed when the life of the mother is in danger would be exempted from the ban. The bill is expected to come up for discussion again next year.

Unborn Child Sentencing Law

On April 17, Governor Riley signed into law a bill allowing state prosecutors to press two charges against someone who injures or kills a pregnant woman. Under the new law, which takes effect on July 1, when someone commits a violent act against a pregnant mother that results in the loss of her unborn child, the perpetrator can be charged with murdering the child, even if the mother survives; charges for crimes against the mother may also be filed. Alabama was one of 18 states that did not recognize an unborn child as a victim in a crime against a pregnant woman. The bill is referred to as the "Brody Bill" in memory of Brody Parker, the unborn son of 23-year-old Brandy Parker of Albertville, who was eight-and-a-half months pregnant when she was shot and killed in July 2005.

Education Budget

On March 29, the State House and Senate voted to override Governor Riley's veto of the education budget. The Governor had asked the Legislature to reduce the \$6 billion spending plan by \$60 million so the state could afford to give most state residents a tax cut.

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The House voted 63-38 to reject his proposed amendment and 89-10 to override his veto.
The Senate voted 26-9 to override the veto (essentially a party-line vote).

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Income Tax Bill

On April 12, Governor Riley signed into law a bill to increase Alabama's income tax threshold. The bill raises the income threshold at which Alabama starts taxing a family of four from \$4,600 to \$12,600 and also cuts taxes for lower- and middle-income families. Pointing to the state's budget surplus, Governor Riley had called on legislators to pass a tax cut during his State of the State Address in January. Alabama was the only state still taxing families of four earning less than \$10,000.

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INCREASE IN IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT TRAINING SOUGHT

In 2003, Governor Riley signed an agreement with the U.S. Department of Homeland Security giving the state the authority to use specially trained state troopers to enforce Federal illegal immigration laws. Alabama is one of only three states in the Nation with that authority. Forty-four Alabama state troopers have gone through Federal immigration training; the cost of the training is covered by the Federal government, while the state pays the salaries and any travel costs incurred by state troops participating in the training. Those who successfully complete the five-week training program are authorized to arrest and detain illegal aliens and turn them over to Federal officials for deportation. More than 160 illegal aliens have been arrested since 2003.

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Governor Riley is now requesting that the Federal government provide immigration-enforcement training to another class of Alabama state troopers; he has also directed the Alabama Department of Public Safety to assist local police departments in their efforts to receive Federal training that would allow them to address immigration-related issues in their communities. During the recent session, the State Legislature debated several bills to crack down on illegal immigrants and businesses that hire them.

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KEY RACES AND POLITICAL CLIMATE

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY DATE

On April 17, the Legislature passed a bill to move the state's presidential primary from June to the first Tuesday in February, which would make Alabama's primary one of the first in the Nation behind the Iowa caucuses and the New Hampshire primary. Governor Riley has said he will sign the bill, which was endorsed by the state chairmen of the Republican and Democratic parties.

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GOVERNOR 2006

Governor Riley is up for re-election in 2006 and faces a primary challenge from former State Supreme Court Chief Justice Roy Moore (R) on June 6. Riley was hurt early in his term when he sought to increase taxes, but his recent response to Hurricane Katrina has improved his standing with the public. A *Mobile Register*/University of South Alabama poll conducted from April 10 through April 13 showed Riley leading Moore, 64 percent to 20 percent, among likely primary voters. Riley was first elected in 2002 when he defeated incumbent Governor Don Siegelman (D), 49.1 percent to 48.9 percent.

Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D) is actively seeking her party's nomination, although she is being challenged by Siegelman, who – despite highly publicized legal and ethics problems connected to his time as governor – is supported by key Democratic primary voting groups. In October 2005, Siegelman was indicted on charges of racketeering, bribery, and extortion, and his trial is set to begin on May 1. If Siegelman wins the primary and is convicted of pending Federal corruption charges, the Democrats may find themselves without a gubernatorial nominee.

A *Mobile Register* poll conducted in late February showed Riley leading Siegelman, 53 percent to 27 percent, and Riley leading Baxley, 45 percent to 36 percent, among registered voters. As of January 31, Riley had \$4.5 million cash-on-hand, compared to Baxley's \$1.2 million and Siegelman's \$345,000.

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

All five Republican and two Democrat Congressmen are considered safe for the 2006 elections.

STATISTICS

2004 General Election Results:

| | Total Votes | % Won |
|--------------|-------------|-------|
| Bush | 1,716,394 | 62% |
| Kerry | 693,933 | 37% |
| Other | 13,161 | 1% |

2000 General Election Results:

| | Total Votes | % Won |
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| Bush | 944,409 | 56% |
| Gore | 695,602 | 42% |
| Nader | 18,349 | 1% |
| Other | 14,191 | 1% |

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2004 General Election Results

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| Kerry | 7,800 | 83% |
| Bush | 1,570 | 17% |
| Other | 37 | 0% |

2000 General Election Results

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| | Total Votes | % Won |
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| Gore | 7,665 | 87% |
| Bush | 1,091 | 12% |
| Nader | 31 | 0% |
| Other | 44 | 0% |

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U.S. SENATE

Richard C. Shelby (R), 4th term, re-elected in 2004 with 68%
Jeff Sessions (R), 2nd term, re-elected in 2002 with 59%

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Jo Bonner (R-01), 2nd term, re-elected with 63%
Terry Everett (R-02), 7th term, re-elected with 72%
Mike Rogers (R-03), 2nd term, re-elected with 61%
Robert Aderholt (R-04), 5th term, re-elected with 75%
Robert "Bud" Cramer, Jr. (D-05), 8th term, re-elected with 73%
Spencer Bachus (R-06), 7th term, re-elected unopposed
Artur Davis (D-07), 2nd term, re-elected with 75%

STATE GOVERNMENT

Governor Bob Riley (R), 1st term, elected with 49%
Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D), 1st term, elected with 51%
Attorney General Troy King (R), appointed by Governor Riley
Secretary of State Nancy Worley (D), 1st term, elected with 49%
State Auditor Beth Chapman (R), 1st term, elected with 51%
Treasurer Kay Ivey (R), 1st term, elected with 51%

State House: 105 (62D, 43R, 1 Vacant)

Speaker: Seth Hammett (D)
Speaker Pro Tempore: Demetrius Newton (D)
Majority Leader: Ken Guin (D)
Minority Leader: Mike Hubbard (R)

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State Senate: 35 (25D, 10R)
 President: Lieutenant Governor Lucy Baxley (D)
 President Pro Tempore: Lowell Ray Barron (D)
 Majority Leader: Zeb Little (D)
 Minority Leader: J.T. “Jabo” Waggoner (R)

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STATE PARTY

State Chairman: Twinkle Andress Cavanaugh
 National Committeeman: Edgar Welden
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STATE DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE

Population, 2004:

Alabama: 4,530,182, an increase of 1.9% from 2000
 National: 293,655,404, an increase of 4.3% from 2000

Race/Ethnicity:

Alabama: 71.1% White, 26% African-American, 1.7% Hispanic, 0.7% Asian
 National: 69.1% White; 12.5% Hispanic; 12.3% African-American; 3.6% Asian

Median Household Income:

Alabama: \$34,135
 National: \$41,994

College Educated:

Alabama: 19%
 National: 24.4%

Median Age:

Alabama: 35.8 (13% are 65 years and older)
 National: 35.3 years (12.4% are 65 years and older)

Households:

Alabama: 70% family households; 52.2% married couple families
 National: 68.1% family households; 51.7% married couple families

Source: 2006 Almanac of American Politics and 2000 Census

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| Briefing on Hurricane Damage and Aerial Tour of Hurricane Damage | September 2, 2005 | Mobile |
| Conversation on Strengthening Social Security | March 10, 2005 | Montgomery |
| Ariel Tour of Hurricane Damage; Walking Tour of Hurricane Damage; and Statement to Responders at Fire and Rescue Station 1 | September 19, 2004 | Orange Beach |
| Meeting with Small Business Owners and Remarks on the Economy | November 3, 2003 | Birmingham |
| Victory 2002 Rally | October 24, 2002 | Auburn |
| Roundtable and Remarks on the Economy and Fundraiser for Bob Riley | July 15, 2002 | Birmingham |
| Land and Water Conservation Event; Meeting with Local Religious Leaders; and Fundraiser with Senator Sessions | June 21, 2001 | Birmingham |

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The State Democrat Executive Committee would choose the nominee. Trial would have to be delayed, or verdict would come down after primary. It is expected if it begins on May 1, it will be resolved before primary (June 6).

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On October 26, 2005, Siegelman was indicted on charges of racketeering, bribery, and extortion. For example, he has been accused of selling seats on the Certificate of Need Board – the entity that issues licenses to build new hospitals and nursing homes. Governor Siegelman's trial is set to begin May 1, 2006.

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Subject: Weekly polling charts
Attach: House Race Poll Tracking.xls;Public Polls Congressional Job Approval.xls;Public Polls Generic Ballot.xls;Public Polls Econ Job Approval.xls;Public Polls Iraq Job Approval.xls;Public Polls National Direction.xls;Public Polls Presidential Job Approval.xls;Tracking statewides.xls

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| 9 | | | (incumbents in CAPS) | | | | | | (GOP-Dem) | | | Fav/Unfav | Fav/Unfav | Bush % | Member % |
| 10 | ▼ | TIER 1 DEFENSE | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 11 | ▲ | ▼ | AZ-08 | Graf/Giffords | 9/19-9/21 | Bennet Petts & Blumenthal (D) | 29 | 54 | -25 | -12 | -13 | 23/42 | 45/17 | 53% | 60% |
| 12 | ▲ | ▲ | CA-11 | POMBO | 9/28-10/1 | Lake Research (D) | 41 | 40 | +1 | -2 | +3 | N/A | N/A | 54% | 61% |
| 13 | | ▼ | CO-04 | MUSGRAVE | 10/8-10/9 | Tarrance | 41 | 40 | +1 | +10 | -9 | 38/54 | 34/45 | 58% | 51% |
| 14 | | ▼ | CO-07 | O'Donnell | 10/10-10/11 | Tarrance | 35 | 49 | -14 | -6 | -8 | 33/34 | 41/27 | 48% | 55% |
| 15 | | ▼ | CT-02 | SIMMONS | 10/8-10/10 | POS | 44 | 40 | +4 | +14 | -10 | 52/37 | 36/27 | 44% | 54% |
| 16 | | ▲ | CT-04 | SHAYS | 10/10-10/11 | National Research | 47 | 40 | +7 | +5 | +2 | 63/28 | 48/35 | 46% | 52% |
| 17 | | ▼ | CT-05 | JOHNSON | 10/8-10/9 | American Viewpoint | 43 | 43 | +0 | +10 | -10 | 46/45 | 35/23 | 49% | 60% |
| 18 | | ▼ | FL-13 | Buchanan | 10/8-10/9 | POS | 42 | 49 | -7 | -4 | -3 | 33/47 | 41/21 | | |
| 19 | | ▲ | FL-16 | FOLEY | 10/10-10/11 | Tarrance | 29 | 48 | -19 | -22 | +3 | 30/11 | 33/19 | 54% | 68% |
| 20 | | ▲ | FL-22 | SHAW | 10/10-10/11 | Tarrance | 45 | 41 | +4 | +0 | +4 | 48/39 | 36/31 | 48% | 63% |
| 21 | | ▲ | IA-01 | Whalen | 10/10-10/11 | POS | 41 | 48 | -7 | -11 | +4 | 41/38 | 42/33 | 46% | 55% |
| 22 | | ▲ | IL-06 | Roskam | 10/11-10/12 | POS | 45 | 45 | +0 | -5 | +5 | 38/22 | 47/31 | 53% | 56% |
| 23 | | ▲ | IN-02 | CHOCOLA | 10/9 | Mercury Public Affairs (R) | 44 | 45 | -1 | -16 | +15 | N/A | N/A | 56% | 54% |
| 24 | | ▲ | IN-08 | HOSTETTLER | 9/6-9/21 | Indiana State Univ. | 32 | 47 | -15 | -17 | +2 | N/A | N/A | 62% | 53% |
| 25 | | ▼ | IN-09 | SODREL | 10/11-10/12 | POS | 40 | 47 | -7 | +0 | -7 | 46/34 | 47/36 | 59% | 49% |
| 26 | | ▼ | KY-04 | DAVIS | 10/2-10/3 | Tarrance | 44 | 48 | -4 | +4 | -8 | 48/31 | 53/23 | 63% | 54% |
| 27 | | ▲ | MN-06 | Bachman | 10/11-10/12 | POS | 49 | 40 | +9 | -5 | +14 | 43/35 | 43/50 | 57% | 54% |
| 28 | | ▼ | NC-11 | TAYLOR | 10/9-10/10 | POS | 48 | 47 | +1 | +4 | -3 | 45/46 | 41/33 | 57% | 55% |
| 29 | | ▼ | NM-01 | WILSON | 10/10-10/12 | POS | 42 | 49 | -7 | +1 | -8 | 42/54 | 45/47 | 48% | 54% |
| 30 | | ▲ | NY-24 | Meier | 10/3-10/4 | Tarrance | 41 | 46 | -5 | -5 | +0 | 38/34 | 42/27 | 48% | 57% |
| 31 | | ▲ | NY-26 | REYNOLDS | 10/11-10/12 | Finklestein | 42 | 48 | -6 | -15 | +9 | N/A | N/A | | |
| 32 | | ▲ | OH-01 | CHABOT | 10/11-10/12 | POS | 51 | 40 | +11 | +3 | +8 | 49/36 | 36/37 | 51% | 60% |
| 33 | | ▲ | OH-15 | PRYCE | 10/11-10/12 | Tarrance | 41 | 42 | -1 | -7 | +6 | 42/45 | 41/42 | 50% | 60% |
| 34 | | ▼ | OH-18 | Padgett/Space | 10/11-10/12 | POS | 36 | 44 | -8 | -7 | -1 | 32/38 | 30/24 | 57% | 66% |
| 35 | | ▼ | PA-06 | GERLACH | 10/9-10/10 | POS | 42 | 44 | -2 | +7 | -9 | 42/37 | 36/35 | 48% | 51% |
| 36 | | ▼ | PA-07 | WELDON | 10/11-10/12 | POS | 45 | 43 | +2 | +7 | -5 | 54/36 | 41/27 | 47% | 59% |
| 37 | | ▲ | PA-08 | FITZPATRICK | 9/18-9/19 | POS | 43 | 38 | +5 | +5 | +0 | 50/26 | 35/17 | 48% | 55% |
| 38 | | ▼ | PA-10 | SHERWOOD | 10/9-10/10 | Tarrance | 38 | 53 | -15 | -14 | -1 | 36/54 | 47/21 | 60% | 93% |
| 39 | | N/A | TX-22 | Sekula-Gibbs/Lampson | 7/31-8/1 | POS | 44 | 35 | +9 | N/A | N/A | 24/12 | 36/21 | 64% | 55% |
| 40 | | ▼ | VA-02 | DRAKE | 10/1-10/2 | POS | 44 | 38 | +6 | +7 | -1 | 45/30 | 29/29 | 58% | 55% |
| 41 | | ▲ | WI-08 | Gard/Kagen | 10/10-10/12 | POS | 45 | 39 | +6 | -1 | +7 | 42/39 | 39/39 | 55% | 70% |

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| 8 | +/- | State/Dist. | GOP Candidate | | Date | Firm | GOP | Dem | Adv | Previous | Trend | GOP | Dem | 2004 | 2004 | |
| 9 | | | (incumbents in CAPS) | | | | | | (GOP-Dem) | | | Fav/Unfav | Fav/Unfav | Bush % | Member % | |
| 42 | TIER 2 DEFENSE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 43 | ▲ | AZ-01 | RENZI/Simon | | 10/9-10/10 | POS | 48 | 38 | +10 | +8 | +2 | 45/30 | 24/11 | 54% | 59% | |
| 44 | ▲ | CA-04 | DOOLITTLE | | 10/1-10/2 | Tarrance | 45 | 34 | +11 | +4 | +7 | 42/42 | 27/19 | 61% | 65% | |
| 45 | ▲ | IA-02 | LEACH | | 9/17-9/18 | Tarrance | 44 | 41 | +3 | +3 | +0 | 56/27 | 8/2 | 44% | 59% | |
| 46 | ▼ | NH-01 | BRADLEY | | 9/15-9/24 | UNH Survey | 52 | 33 | +19 | +25 | -6 | N/A | N/A | 51% | 63% | |
| 47 | ▼ | NH-02 | BASS | | 10/11-10/12 | Tarrance | 47 | 42 | +5 | +10 | -5 | 54/36 | 41/19 | 47% | 58% | |
| 48 | ▲ | NV-03 | PORTER | | 10/11-10/12 | POS | 46 | 38 | +8 | +4 | +4 | 47/32 | 28/33 | 50% | 54% | |
| 49 | ▲ | NY-20 | SWEENEY | | 9/27-9/28 | POS | 54 | 31 | +23 | +17 | +6 | 50/27 | 25/22 | 54% | 66% | |
| 50 | ▲ | NY-29 | KUHL | | 9/19-9/21 | Cooper Secrest (D) | 43 | 39 | +4 | +2 | +2 | N/A | N/A | 56% | 51% | |
| 51 | ▲ | WA-08 | REICHERT | | 10/2-10/3 | POS | 48 | 47 | +1 | +1 | +0 | 50/37 | 34/14 | 48% | 52% | |
| 52 | TIER 3 DEFENSE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 53 | | N/A | CA-41 | LEWIS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 54 | ▲ | | CA-50 | Bilbray | | 10/10-10/11 | Tarrance | 47 | 42 | +5 | +0 | +5 | 48/42 | 49/42 | 55% | 58% |
| 55 | ▼ | | FL-08 | KELLER | | 9/17-9/20 | V/CR | 50 | 31 | +19 | +21 | -2 | N/A | N/A | 55% | 61% |
| 56 | ▲ | | ID-01 | Sali | | 10/9-10/10 | POS | 40 | 32 | +8 | +8 | +0 | 25/22 | 17/5 | 69% | 70% |
| 57 | ▲ | | KY-02 | LEWIS | | 10/2-10/3 | POS | 51 | 40 | +11 | +9 | +2 | 54/29 | 27/11 | 65% | 68% |
| 58 | ▼ | | MI-07 | Walberg | | 9/20-9/21 | POS | 36 | 28 | +8 | +10 | -2 | 26/15 | 7/4 | 54% | 58% |
| 59 | ▼ | | MN-01 | GUTKNECHT | | 10/8-10/9 | Tarrance | 46 | 46 | +0 | +8 | -8 | 49/36 | 34/17 | 51% | 60% |
| 60 | ▲ | | NC-08 | HAYES | | 10/2-10/3 | POS | 47 | 39 | +8 | +6 | +2 | 57/24 | 12/4 | 54% | 56% |
| 61 | ▲ | | NV-02 | Heller | | 10/9-10/10 | Tarrance | 46 | 41 | +5 | +5 | +0 | 47/29 | 45/23 | 57% | 67% |
| 62 | ▲ | | NY-19 | KELLY | | 10/11-10/12 | Tarrance | 48 | 42 | +6 | +5 | +1 | 53/29 | 40/17 | 54% | 67% |
| 63 | ▼ | | NY-25 | WALSH | | 10/8-10/9 | Tarrance | 47 | 41 | +6 | +21 | -15 | 53/26 | 19/9 | 48% | 90% |
| 64 | ▲ | | OH-02 | SCHMIDT | | 10/9-10/10 | Tarrance | 45 | 43 | +2 | +1 | +1 | 36/46 | 21/11 | 64% | 52% |
| 65 | ▼ | | PA-04 | HART | | 10/10-10/11 | POS | 48 | 42 | +6 | +18 | -12 | 51/43 | 28/7 | 54% | 63% |
| 66 | ▼ | | WA-05 | MCMORRIS | | 10/1-10/2 | Moore Information | 45 | 36 | +9 | +12 | -3 | N/A | N/A | 57% | 60% |
| 67 | ▲ | | WY-AL | CUBIN | | 9/27-9/28 | Tarrance | 51 | 41 | +10 | -2 | +12 | 49/41 | 24/11 | 69% | 55% |
| 68 | OFFENSE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 69 | | N/A | CO-03 | Tipton | | 7/9-7/16 | Anzalone Liszt (D) | 26 | 56 | -30 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 55% | 51% |
| 70 | ▲ | | GA-03/08 | Collins | | 10/2-10/3 | POS | 42 | 49 | -7 | -26 | +19 | 33/22 | 46/24 | 55% | 63% |
| 71 | | N/A | GA-12 | Burns | | 9/25-9/26 | POS | 44 | 45 | -1 | -1 | +0 | 47/16 | 25/18 | 46% | 52% |
| 72 | ▼ | | IA-03 | Lamberti | | 10/10-10/11 | Tarrance | 38 | 51 | -13 | -8 | -5 | 44/35 | 56/33 | 50% | 55% |
| 73 | | N/A | IL-08 | McSweeney | | 10/8-10/9 | Tarrance | 34 | 52 | -18 | -19 | +1 | 36/24 | 55/27 | 56% | 52% |
| 74 | | N/A | IL-17 | Zinga | | 8/7-8/8 | POS | 37 | 51 | -14 | N/A | N/A | 30/30 | 17/11 | 48% | 61% |

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| 75 | | N/A | IN-07 | Dickerson | 9/5-9/8 | Research 2000 | 35 | 55 | -20 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 42% | 54% |
| 76 | ▲ | | LA-03 | Romero | 8/20-8/24 | Anzalone Liszt (D) | 23 | 55 | -32 | -36 | +4 | N/A | 64/14 | 58% | 50% |
| 77 | ▲ | | OH-06 | Blasdel | 9/26-9/27 | Cooper Secrest (D) | 25 | 51 | -26 | -29 | +3 | N/A | N/A | 51% | 100% |
| 78 | ▲ | | OR-05 | HOOLEY | 10/9-10/10 | Moore Information | 36 | 44 | -8 | -17 | +9 | N/A | N/A | 50% | 53% |
| 79 | ▲ | | SC-05 | Norman | 10/11-10/12 | POS | 26 | 57 | -31 | -33 | +2 | 21/12 | 52/18 | 57% | 63% |
| 80 | ▲ | | TX-17 | Taylor | 10/11 | Bennet Petts & Blumenthal (D) | 33 | 54 | -21 | -21 | +0 | N/A | N/A | 70% | 51% |
| 81 | ▲ | | UT-02 | Christensen | 9/25-9/28 | Dan Jones & Assoc. | 24 | 60 | -36 | -41 | +5 | N/A | N/A | 66% | 55% |
| 82 | ▲ | | VT-AL | Rainville | 10/9-10/11 | POS | 42 | 50 | -8 | -11 | +3 | 57/27 | 57/24 | 39% | 67% |
| 83 | | N/A | WA-02 | Roulstone | 7/5-7/6 | Moore Information | 22 | 59 | -37 | N/A | N/A | 7/3 | 69/13 | 47% | 64% |
| 84 | ▲ | | WV-01 | Wakim | 10/11-10/12 | Tarrance | 31 | 54 | -23 | -23 | +0 | 17/31 | 49/35 | 58% | 68% |
| 85 | NON-TARGETED DEFENSE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 86 | | N/A | AL-03 | ROGERS | 6/12-6/13 | McLaughlin | 48 | 22 | +26 | N/A | N/A | 46/20 | 10/4 | 58% | 61% |
| 87 | ▼ | | AZ-05 | HAYWORTH | 10/10-10/11 | POS | 45 | 43 | +2 | +11 | -9 | 45/44 | 38/25 | 54% | 59% |
| 88 | | N/A | CA-19 | RADONOVICH | 5/17-5/18 | Tarrance-Goeas | 56 | 29 | +27 | N/A | N/A | 51/16 | 7/4 | 61% | 66% |
| 89 | | N/A | CA-45 | BONO | 9/12-9/13 | POS | 61 | 32 | +29 | N/A | N/A | 62/20 | 9/6 | 56% | 67% |
| 90 | | N/A | CO-06 | TANCREDO | 5/7-5/11 | Anzalone Liszt (D) | 48 | 36 | +12 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 60% | 59% |
| 91 | ▼ | | DE-AL | CASTLE | 9/14-9/19 | Farleigh Dickinson | 61 | 22 | +39 | +49 | -10 | N/A | N/A | 46% | 69% |
| 92 | | N/A | FL-05 | BROWN-WAITE/Penberthy | 7/10-7/11 | Tarrance | 40 | 32 | +8 | N/A | N/A | 36/25 | 1/1 | 58% | 66% |
| 93 | ▲ | | FL-05 | BROWN-WAITE/Russell | 10/8-10/9 | Tarrance | 50 | 34 | +16 | +3 | +13 | 44/28 | 10/4 | 58% | 66% |
| 94 | ▼ | | FL-09 | Bilirakis | 10/11-10/12 | Tarrance | 54 | 35 | +19 | +25 | -6 | 51/19 | 20/8 | 57% | 100% |
| 95 | | N/A | FL-10 | YOUNG | 6/19-6/20 | Tarrance | 61 | 24 | +37 | N/A | N/A | 64/11 | 2/1 | 51% | 69% |
| 96 | ▲ | | IA-02 | LEACH | 9/17-9/18 | Tarrance | 44 | 41 | +3 | +3 | +0 | 52/27 | 12/4 | 44% | 59% |
| 97 | ▼ | | IA-04 | LATHAM | 9/15-9/18 | Momentum Analysis (D) | 48 | 37 | +11 | +12 | -1 | N/A | N/A | 51% | 61% |
| 98 | ▼ | | IL-10 | KIRK | 9/6-9/7 | POS | 56 | 29 | +27 | +28 | -1 | 63/19 | 19/6 | 47% | 64% |
| 99 | ▲ | | IL-11 | WELLER | 7/25-7/27 | POS | 56 | 33 | +23 | +16 | +7 | 51/25 | 5/4 | 53% | 59% |
| 100 | ▲ | | IN-03 | SOUDER | 10/3-10/4 | POS | 52 | 37 | +15 | +10 | +5 | 54/31 | 32/7 | 68% | 69% |
| 101 | ▲ | | KS-02 | RYUN | 10/6-10/8 | Cooper Secrest (D) | 45 | 41 | +4 | +3 | +1 | N/A | N/A | 59% | 56% |
| 102 | ▼ | | KY-03 | NORTHUP | 6/27-6/28 | POS | 48 | 49 | -1 | +1 | -2 | 57/40 | 39/15 | 49% | 60% |
| 103 | | N/A | LA-07 | BOUSTANY | 1/22-1/24 | POS | 64 | 26 | +38 | N/A | N/A | 72/13 | 21/8 | 60% | 55% |
| 104 | | N/A | MI-08 | ROGERS | 1/18-1/19 | POS | 49 | 29 | +20 | N/A | N/A | 50/22 | 4/2 | 54% | 61% |
| 105 | ▲ | | MI-09 | KNOLLENBERG | 9/18-9/20 | David Hill | 48 | 28 | +20 | +16 | +4 | 42/22 | 8/4 | 51% | 58% |
| 106 | ▼ | | MN-02 | KLINE | 10/8-10/10 | POS | 48 | 40 | +8 | +16 | -8 | 45/30 | 24/14 | 54% | 56% |
| 107 | ▼ | | MT-AL | REHBERG | 9/26-9/28 | Mason-Dixon | 53 | 33 | +20 | +33 | -13 | 49/28 | 25/12 | 59% | 64% |

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| 108 | ▲ | NE-01 | FORTENBERRY | | 9/6-9/9 | POS | 56 | 32 | +24 | +23 | +1 | 51/19 | 21/8 | 63% | 54% |
| 109 | ▼ | NE-03 | Smith/Kleeb | | 9/20-9/21 | Penn Schoen (D) | 40 | 31 | +9 | +27 | -18 | 37/13 | 16/4 | 75% | 87% |
| 110 | | N/A | NJ-05 GARRETT | | 3/16-3/17 | POS | 54 | 26 | +28 | N/A | N/A | 47/19 | 1/2 | 52% | 58% |
| 111 | ▲ | NJ-07 | FERGUSON | | 10/10-10/11 | Tarrance | 48 | 33 | +15 | +15 | +0 | 46/32 | 24/25 | 53% | 57% |
| 112 | ▲ | NM-02 | PEARCE | | 9/25-9/28 | Research & Polling Inc. | 58 | 27 | +31 | +25 | +6 | N/A | N/A | 58% | 60% |
| 113 | | N/A | NY-13 FOSELLA | | 5/24-5/25 | POS | 56 | 31 | +25 | N/A | N/A | 55/25 | 4/3 | 55% | 59% |
| 114 | | N/A | OH-03 TURNER | | 2/26-2/27 | POS | 55 | 31 | +24 | N/A | N/A | 59/22 | 7/2 | 54% | 62% |
| 115 | | N/A | OH-05 GILLMOR | | 6/21-6/22 | POS | 51 | 35 | +16 | N/A | N/A | 53/23 | 6/3 | 61% | 67% |
| 116 | ▼ | OH-12 | TIBERI | | 9/24-9/25 | POS | 49 | 42 | +7 | +16 | -9 | 46/23 | 22/6 | 51% | 62% |
| 117 | | N/A | PA-15 DENT | | 6/28-6/29 | Tarrance | 49 | 35 | +14 | N/A | N/A | 54/25 | 10/5 | 50% | 59% |
| 118 | | N/A | PA-18 MURPHY | | 7/18-7/19 | POS | 53 | 26 | +27 | N/A | N/A | 60/14 | 8/1 | 54% | 63% |
| 119 | | N/A | UT-03 CANNON | | 7/14-7/20 | Dan Jones & Assoc. | 56 | 24 | +32 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 75% | 77% |
| 120 | ▲ | VA-05 | GOODE | | 9/27-9/28 | POS | 51 | 32 | +19 | +12 | +7 | 55/22 | 26/28 | 56% | 64% |
| 121 | | N/A | VA-10 WOLF | | 8/1-8/2 | POS | 57 | 24 | +33 | N/A | N/A | 66/20 | 4/3 | 55% | 64% |

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| 2 | DATE | Approve | Disapprove | | | | | |
| 3 | 10/10-10/11 | 31 | 63 | 6 | -32 | 900 | LV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 4 | 10/6-10/8 | 24 | 68 | 8 | -44 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 5 | 10/6-10/8 | 28 | 63 | 9 | -35 | 1,028 | Adults | CNN/ORC |
| 6 | 10/5-10/8 | 27 | 64 | 9 | -37 | 983 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 7 | 10/5-10/8 | 32 | 66 | 2 | -34 | 1,204 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 8 | 10/5-10/6 | 33 | 59 | 8 | -26 | 1,004 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 9 | 10/3-10/4 | 31 | 57 | 12 | -26 | 1,002 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 10 | 10/2-10/4 | 24 | 73 | 3 | -49 | 741 | LV | AP/Ipsos |
| 11 | 10/1-10/3 | 32 | 62 | 6 | -30 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 12 | September Polls | 29.1 | 63.9 | 7.0 | -34.8 | | | |
| 13 | 9/26-9/27 | 39 | 48 | 13 | -9 | 900 | LV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 14 | 9/24-9/27 | 32 | 62 | 6 | -30 | 1,000 | LV | Battleground |
| 15 | 9/24-9/26 | 25 | 70 | 5 | -45 | 423 | LV | Dieago/Hotline |
| 16 | 9/16-9/19 | 31 | 62 | 7 | -31 | 1,006 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 17 | 9/16-9/19 | 30 | 57 | 13 | -27 | 1,517 | Adults | LA Times |
| 18 | 9/15-9/19 | 25 | 61 | 14 | -36 | 1,131 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 19 | 9/11-9/13 | 29 | 68 | 3 | -39 | 1,501 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 20 | 9/8-9/11 | 20 | 65 | 15 | -45 | 1,009 | RV | NBC News/WSJ |
| 21 | 9/7-9/10 | 29 | 63 | 8 | -34 | 1,002 | Adults | Gallup |
| 22 | 9/6-9/10 | 33 | 61 | 6 | -28 | 1,004 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 23 | 9/5-9/7 | 39 | 57 | 4 | -18 | 863 | RV | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 24 | September Polls | 30.2 | 61.3 | 8.5 | -31.1 | | | |
| 25 | 8/29-8/30 | 24 | 61 | 15 | -37 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 26 | 8/25-8/27 | 31 | 58 | 11 | -27 | 801 | RV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 27 | 8/22-8/24 | 30 | 59 | 11 | -29 | 1,002 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 28 | 8/17-8/21 | 29 | 60 | 11 | -31 | 1,206 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 29 | 8/8-8/9 | 24 | 58 | 18 | -34 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 30 | 8/7-8/10 | 27 | 65 | 8 | -38 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 31 | 8/7-8/9 | 29 | 69 | 2 | -40 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 32 | 8/3-8/6 | 36 | 60 | 4 | -24 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 33 | August Polls | 28.8 | 61.3 | 10.0 | -32.5 | | | |
| 34 | 7/28-7/30 | 28 | 57 | 15 | -29 | 809 | RV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 35 | 7/21-7/25 | 28 | 58 | 14 | -30 | 1,127 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 36 | 7/21-7/24 | 25 | 60 | 15 | -35 | 1,010 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |

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| 37 | 7/11-7/12 | 25 | 61 | 14 | -36 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 38 | 7/10-7/12 | 27 | 68 | 5 | -41 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 39 | July Polls | 26.6 | 60.8 | 12.6 | -34.2 | | | |
| 40 | 6/27-6/29 | 31 | 55 | 14 | -24 | 1,003 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 41 | 6/13-6/14 | 29 | 59 | 12 | -30 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 42 | 6/9-6/12 | 23 | 64 | 5 | -41 | 1,002 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 43 | 6/5-6/7 | 24 | 73 | 3 | -49 | 1,003 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 44 | 6/1-6/4 | 27 | 56 | 17 | -29 | 874 | RV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 45 | 6/1-6/4 | 27 | 63 | 10 | -36 | 1,002 | Adults | Gallup |
| 46 | June Polls | 26.8 | 61.7 | 10.2 | -37.0 | | | |
| 47 | 5/18-5/21 | 29 | 64 | 7 | -35 | 807 | RV | Diago/Hotline |
| 48 | 5/16-5/18 | 27 | 56 | 17 | -29 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 49 | 5/16-5/17 | 26 | 59 | 15 | -33 | 636 | Adults | CBS News |
| 50 | 5/11-5/15 | 33 | 63 | 4 | -30 | 1,103 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 51 | 5/8-5/11 | 21 | 70 | 9 | -49 | 1,002 | Adults | Gallup |
| 52 | 5/4-5/8 | 23 | 64 | 13 | -41 | 1,241 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 53 | 5/1-5/3 | 25 | 71 | 4 | -46 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 54 | May Polls | 26.3 | 63.9 | 9.9 | -37.6 | | | |
| 55 | 4/21-4/24 | 22 | 65 | 13 | -43 | 1,109 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 56 | 4/18-4/22 | 25 | 63 | 12 | -38 | 804 | RV | Garin Hart Yang |
| 57 | 4/18-4/19 | 25 | 52 | 23 | -27 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 58 | 4/10-4/13 | 23 | 70 | 7 | -47 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 59 | 4/8-4/11 | 28 | 61 | 11 | -33 | 1,357 | Adults | LA Times |
| 60 | 4/6-4/9 | 27 | 61 | 12 | -34 | 899 | Adults | CBS News |
| 61 | 4/6-4/9 | 35 | 62 | 3 | -27 | 1,027 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 62 | 4/3-4/5 | 30 | 67 | 3 | -37 | 1,003 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 63 | April Polls | 26.9 | 62.6 | 10.5 | -35.8 | | | |
| 64 | 3/22-3/23 | 39 | 49 | 12 | -10 | 1,003 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 65 | 3/14-3/15 | 29 | 55 | 16 | -26 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 66 | 3/13-3/16 | 27 | 65 | 8 | -38 | 1,000 | Adults | Gallup |
| 67 | 3/10-3/13 | 33 | 53 | 14 | -20 | 1,005 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 68 | 3/9-3/12 | 32 | 54 | 14 | -22 | 1,136 | Adults | CBS News |
| 69 | 3/6-3/8 | 31 | 66 | 3 | -35 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 70 | 3/2-3/5 | 36 | 62 | 2 | -26 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |

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| 71 | March Polls | 32.4 | 57.7 | 9.9 | -25.3 | | | |
| 72 | 2/22-2/26 | 28 | 61 | 11 | -33 | 1,018 | Adults | CBS News |
| 73 | 2/16-2/19 | 30 | 61 | 9 | -31 | 807 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 74 | 2/12-2/15 | 37 | 56 | 7 | -19 | 1,000 | LV | Battleground |
| 75 | 2/6-2/8 | 35 | 61 | 4 | -26 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 76 | February Polls | 32.5 | 59.8 | 7.8 | -27.3 | | | |
| 77 | 1/26-1/29 | 29 | 56 | 15 | -27 | 1,011 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 78 | 1/22-1/25 | 35 | 55 | 10 | -20 | 1,555 | Adults | LA Times |
| 79 | 1/23-1/26 | 43 | 53 | 4 | -10 | 1,002 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 80 | 1/12-1/15 | 31 | 59 | 10 | -28 | 806 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 81 | 1/9-1/12 | 27 | 67 | 6 | -40 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 82 | 1/6-1/9 | 25 | 72 | 3 | -47 | 1,003 | Adults | Harris |
| 83 | 1/5-1/8 | 41 | 55 | 4 | -14 | 1,001 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 84 | 1/5-1/8 | 27 | 57 | 16 | -30 | 1,151 | Adults | CBS News |
| 85 | 1/3-1/5 | 34 | 63 | 3 | -29 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 86 | January Polls | 32.4 | 59.7 | 7.9 | -27.2 | | | |
| 87 | 12/15-12/18 | 43 | 53 | 4 | -10 | 1,003 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 88 | 12/15, 12/17-12/18 | 43 | 51 | 6 | -8 | 800 | LV | NPR/POS/GQR |
| 89 | 12/13-12/14 | 30 | 52 | 18 | -22 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 90 | 12/12-12/13 | 26 | 64 | 10 | -38 | 813 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 91 | 12/9-12/12 | 25 | 60 | 15 | -35 | 1,006 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 92 | 12/5-12/8 | 29 | 63 | 8 | -34 | 1,013 | Adults | Gallup |
| 93 | 12/5-12/7 | 31 | 65 | 4 | -34 | 1,002 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 94 | 12/2-12/6 | 33 | 53 | 14 | -20 | 1,155 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 95 | December Polls | 32.5 | 57.6 | 9.9 | -25.1 | | | |
| 96 | 11/29-12/1 | 33 | 55 | 12 | -22 | 1,004 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 97 | 11/28-12/4 | 27 | 61 | 12 | -34 | 1,230 | RV | Quinnipiac |
| 98 | 11/11-11/15 | 36 | 53 | 11 | -17 | 700 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 99 | 11/7-11/9 | 35 | 61 | 4 | -26 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 100 | 11/4-11/7 | 28 | 57 | 15 | -29 | 1,003 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 101 | November Polls | 31.8 | 57.4 | 10.8 | -25.6 | | | |
| 102 | 10/30-11/1 | 34 | 53 | 13 | -19 | 936 | Adults | CBS News |
| 103 | 10/12-10/16 | 29 | 62 | 9 | -33 | 500 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 104 | 10/6-10/10 | 32 | 48 | 20 | -16 | 1,500 | Adults | Pew Research Center |

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| 105 | 10/3-10/5 | 31 | 57 | 12 | -26 | 808 | Adults | CBS News |
| 106 | 10/3-10/5 | 35 | 61 | 4 | -26 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 107 | October Polls | 32.2 | 56.2 | 11.6 | -24.0 | | | |
| 108 | 9/29-9/30 | 32 | 56 | 12 | -24 | 1,004 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 109 | 9/13-9/14 | 34 | 49 | 17 | -15 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 110 | 9/9-9/13 | 34 | 54 | 12 | -20 | 1,167 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 111 | 9/8-9/11 | 36 | 45 | 19 | -9 | 1,523 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 112 | 9/6-9/8 | 32 | 65 | 3 | -33 | 1,002 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 113 | September Polls | 33.6 | 53.8 | 12.6 | -20.2 | | | |
| 114 | 8/30-8/31 | 28 | 53 | 19 | -25 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 115 | 8/25-8/28 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 1,006 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 116 | 8/1-8/3 | 33 | 62 | 5 | -29 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 117 | August Polls | 32.7 | 58.0 | 9.3 | -25.3 | | | |
| 118 | 7/21-7/25 | 30 | 60 | 10 | -30 | 920 | RV | Quinnipiac |
| 119 | 7/13-7/14 | 33 | 50 | 17 | -17 | 632 | Adults | CBS News |
| 120 | 7/11-7/13 | 35 | 60 | 5 | -25 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 121 | 7/8-7/11 | 28 | 55 | 17 | -27 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 122 | 7/7-7/10 | 31 | 60 | 9 | -29 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 123 | July Polls | 31.4 | 57.0 | 11.6 | -25.6 | | | |
| 124 | 6/10-6/15 | 33 | 53 | 14 | -20 | 1,111 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 125 | 6/6-6/8 | 34 | 59 | 7 | -25 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 126 | 6/6-6/8 | 31 | 64 | 5 | -33 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 127 | 6/2-6/5 | 41 | 54 | 5 | -13 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 128 | June Polls | 34.8 | 57.5 | 7.8 | -22.8 | | | |
| 129 | 5/20-5/24 | 29 | 55 | 16 | -26 | 1,100 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 130 | 5/12-5/16 | 33 | 51 | 16 | -18 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 131 | 5/2-5/5 | 35 | 57 | 8 | -22 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 132 | 5/2-5/4 | 35 | 61 | 4 | -26 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 133 | May Polls | 33.0 | 56.0 | 11.0 | -23.0 | | | |
| 134 | 4/13-4/16 | 35 | 51 | 14 | -16 | 1,000 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 135 | 4/4-4/7 | 38 | 54 | 8 | -16 | 1,010 | Adults | Gallup |
| 136 | 4/4-4/6 | 37 | 58 | 15 | -21 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 137 | April Polls | 36.7 | 54.3 | 12.3 | -17.7 | | | |
| 138 | 3/31-4/3 | 39 | 46 | 15 | -7 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |

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| 139 | 3/29-3/30 | 40 | 36 | 24 | 4 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 140 | 3/21-3/22 | 34 | 49 | 17 | -15 | 1,000 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 141 | 3/7-3/10 | 37 | 53 | 10 | -16 | 909 | Adults | Gallup |
| 142 | 3/7-3/9 | 41 | 53 | 6 | -12 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 143 | March Polls | 38.2 | 47.4 | 14.4 | -9.2 | | | |
| 144 | 2/24-2/28 | 41 | 44 | 15 | -3 | 1,111 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 145 | 2/7-2/10 | 45 | 48 | 7 | -3 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 146 | 2/7-2/9 | 44 | 52 | 4 | -8 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 147 | February Polls | 43.3 | 48.0 | 8.7 | -4.7 | | | |
| 148 | 1/15-1/17 | 45 | 43 | 12 | 2 | 1,033 | Adults | LA Times |
| 149 | 1/14-1/18 | 44 | 39 | 17 | 5 | 1,100 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 150 | 1/13-1/17 | 41 | 40 | 19 | 1 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 151 | 1/3-1/5 | 43 | 48 | 9 | -5 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 152 | 1/3-1/5 | 41 | 53 | 6 | -12 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 153 | January Polls | 42.8 | 44.6 | 12.6 | -1.8 | | | |

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| 1 | | | | Other/ | % Diff. | N | Population | Polling |
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| 3 | 10/10-10/11 | 41 | 50 | 9 | -9 | 900 | LV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 4 | 10/6-10/8 | 36 | 59 | 5 | -23 | 622 | LV | Gallup |
| 5 | 10/6-10/8 | 37 | 58 | 5 | -21 | 543 | LV | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 6 | 10/5-10/8 | 35 | 49 | 16 | -14 | 891 | RV | CBS News/NYT |
| 7 | 10/5-10/8 | 41 | 54 | 5 | -13 | 1,023 | RV | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 8 | 10/5-10/6 | 39 | 51 | 10 | -12 | 624 | LV | Newsweek |
| 9 | 10/3-10/4 | 39 | 54 | 7 | -15 | 1,002 | LV | Time/SRBI |
| 10 | 10/2-10/4 | 41 | 51 | 8 | -10 | 741 | LV | AP/Ipsos |
| 11 | 10/1-10/3 | 41 | 51 | 8 | -10 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 12 | October Polls | 38.9 | 53.0 | 8.1 | -14.1 | | | |
| 13 | 9/30-10/2 | 39 | 48 | 13 | -9 | 805 | RV | NBC News/WSJ |
| 14 | 9/29-10/2 | 42 | 53 | 7 | -11 | 548 | LV | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 15 | 9/28-10/2 | 42 | 53 | 2 | -11 | 1,014 | LV | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 16 | 9/26-9/27 | 38 | 49 | 13 | -11 | 900 | LV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 17 | 9/24-9/27 | 41 | 49 | 10 | -8 | 1,000 | LV | Battleground |
| 18 | 9/24-9/26 | 33 | 46 | 21 | -13 | 423 | LV | Diatego/Hotline |
| 19 | 9/22-9/24 | 42 | 55 | 3 | -13 | 1,009 | LV | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 20 | 9/21-9/24 | 41 | 49 | 10 | -8 | 367 | LV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 21 | 9/17-9/19 | 41 | 51 | 8 | -10 | 1,006 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 22 | 9/16-9/19 | 39 | 49 | 12 | -10 | 1,347 | RV | LA Times |
| 23 | 9/15-9/19 | 35 | 50 | 15 | -15 | 1,007 | RV | CBS News/NYT |
| 24 | 9/15-9/17 | 48 | 48 | 4 | 0 | 558 | LV | Gallup |
| 25 | 9/12-9/13 | 38 | 41 | 21 | -3 | 900 | LV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 26 | 9/11-9/13 | 39 | 53 | 8 | -14 | 661 | LV | AP/Ipsos |
| 27 | 9/8-9/11 | 35 | 46 | 19 | -11 | 1,009 | LV | Harris |
| 28 | 9/8-9/11 | 39 | 48 | 13 | -9 | 1,009 | RV | NBC News/WSJ |
| 29 | 9/7-9/10 | 41 | 53 | 6 | -12 | 925 | RV | Gallup |
| 30 | 9/6-9/10 | 44 | 50 | 6 | -6 | 1,004 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 31 | 9/5-9/7 | 42 | 50 | 8 | -8 | 863 | RV | ABC News |
| 32 | September Polls | 39.9 | 49.5 | 10.5 | -9.6 | | | |
| 33 | 8/30-9/2 | 43 | 53 | 6 | -10 | 1,004 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 34 | 8/29-8/30 | 32 | 48 | 20 | -16 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 35 | 8/25-8/27 | 40 | 51 | 9 | -11 | 801 | RV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 36 | 8/24-8/25 | 38 | 50 | 12 | -12 | 1,002 | Adults | Newsweek |

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| 37 | 8/23-8/27 | 44 | 49 | 7 | -5 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 38 | 8/22-8/24 | 40 | 51 | 9 | -11 | 1,002 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 39 | 8/18-8/20 | 45 | 47 | 8 | -2 | 909 | RV | Gallup |
| 40 | 8/18-8/20 | 43 | 52 | 5 | -9 | 1,033 | RV | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 41 | 8/17-8/23 | 39 | 48 | 13 | -9 | 1,080 | RV | Quinnipiac |
| 42 | 8/17-8/21 | 32 | 47 | 21 | -15 | 900 | RV | CBS News/NYT |
| 43 | 8/10-8/11 | 39 | 51 | 10 | -12 | 1,001 | RV | Newsweek |
| 44 | 8/9-8/13 | 50 | 41 | 9 | 9 | 1,506 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 45 | 8/8-8/9 | 30 | 48 | 24 | -18 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 46 | 8/7-8/10 | 41 | 50 | 9 | -9 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 47 | 8/7-8/9 | 37 | 55 | 8 | -18 | 813 | RV | AP/Ipsos |
| 48 | 8/3-8/6 | 39 | 52 | 2 | -13 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 49 | August Polls | 39.5 | 49.6 | 10.8 | -10.1 | | | |
| 50 | 7/28-8/1 | 37 | 48 | 15 | -11 | 1,327 | RV | LA Times |
| 51 | 7/28-7/30 | 36 | 49 | 15 | -13 | 809 | RV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 52 | 7/28-7/30 | 40 | 51 | 4 | -11 | 924 | RV | Gallup |
| 53 | 7/21-7/25 | 35 | 45 | 20 | -10 | 1,127 | RV | CBS News/NYT |
| 54 | 7/21-7/24 | 38 | 48 | 14 | -10 | 1,010 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 55 | 7/20-7/23 | 32 | 48 | 20 | -16 | 800 | RV | Diatego/Hotline |
| 56 | 7/16-7/18 | 43 | 50 | 7 | -7 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 57 | 7/11-7/12 | 34 | 42 | 24 | -8 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 58 | 7/10-7/12 | 40 | 51 | 9 | -11 | 789 | RV | AP/Ipsos |
| 59 | 7/6-7/9 | 41 | 51 | 9 | -10 | 1,007 | RV | Gallup |
| 60 | July Polls | 37.6 | 48.3 | 13.7 | -10.7 | | | |
| 61 | 6/27-6/29 | 35 | 47 | 18 | -12 | 1,003 | RV | Time/SRBI |
| 62 | 6/27-6/28 | 33 | 39 | 28 | -6 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 63 | 6/24-6/27 | 35 | 49 | 3 | -14 | 1,170 | RV | LA Times |
| 64 | 6/23-6/25 | 38 | 54 | 3 | -16 | 908 | RV | Gallup |
| 65 | 6/22-6/25 | 39 | 52 | 9 | -13 | 1,000 | RV | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 66 | 6/21-6/25 | 36 | 41 | 23 | -5 | 800 | RV | Diatego/Hotline |
| 67 | 6/14-6/19 | 39 | 51 | 10 | -12 | 1,215 | RV | Pew Research |
| 68 | 6/14-6/15 | 38 | 45 | 17 | -7 | 1,017 | RV | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 69 | 6/13-6/14 | 33 | 46 | 21 | -13 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 70 | 6/9-6/12 | 38 | 49 | 13 | -11 | 1,002 | RV | NBC News/WSJ |
| 71 | 6/9-6/11 | 39 | 51 | 7 | -12 | 908 | RV | Gallup |
| 72 | 6/5-6/7 | 32 | 52 | 16 | -20 | 820 | RV | AP/Ipsos |

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| 73 | 6/1-6/4 | 42 | 51 | 7 | -9 | 1,000 | RV | Gallup |
| 74 | 6/1-6/4 | 38 | 50 | 12 | -12 | 874 | RV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 75 | June Polls | 36.8 | 48.4 | 13.4 | -11.6 | | | |
| 76 | 5/18-5/21 | 36 | 42 | 22 | -6 | 801 | RV | Diageo/Hotline |
| 77 | 5/11-5/15 | 40 | 52 | 8 | -12 | | RV | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 78 | 5/11-5/12 | 39 | 50 | 5 | -11 | 897 | RV | Newsweek |
| 79 | 5/5-5/7 | 37 | 50 | 13 | -13 | 1,021 | Adults | CNN |
| 80 | 5/4-5/8 | 33 | 44 | 23 | -11 | | RV | CBS News/NYT |
| 81 | 5/2-5/3 | 38 | 41 | 21 | -3 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 82 | 5/1-5/3 | 34 | 51 | 15 | -17 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 83 | May Polls | 36.7 | 47.1 | 15.3 | -10.4 | | | |
| 84 | 4/28-4/30 | 38 | 53 | 9 | -15 | 1,011 | Adults | Gallup |
| 85 | 4/27-4/30 | 32 | 44 | 24 | -12 | | | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 86 | 4/21-4/24 | 39 | 45 | 7 | -6 | 1,109 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 87 | 4/21-4/23 | 38 | 50 | 11 | -12 | 1,012 | Adults | CNN |
| 88 | 4/8-4/11 | 35 | 49 | 16 | -14 | 1,357 | Adults | LA Times |
| 89 | 4/7-4/16 | 41 | 51 | 8 | -10 | 1,501 | Adults | Pew Resarch Center |
| 90 | 4/7-4/10 | 37 | 41 | 21 | -4 | 1,008 | Adults | Harris |
| 91 | 4/7-4/9 | 42 | 52 | 6 | -10 | 915 | RV | Gallup |
| 92 | 4/6-4/9 | 36 | 46 | 18 | -10 | 1,000 | Adults | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 93 | 4/6-4/9 | 34 | 44 | 22 | -10 | | RV | CBS News |
| 94 | 4/6-4/9 | 40 | 55 | 5 | -15 | | RV | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 95 | 4/3-4/5 | 33 | 49 | 18 | -16 | 1,003 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 96 | April Polls | 37.1 | 48.3 | 13.8 | -11.2 | | | |
| 97 | 3/22-3/23 | 41 | 50 | 9 | -9 | 1,003 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 98 | 3/16-3/20 | 40 | 50 | 10 | -10 | 1,150 | Adults | Democracy Corps |
| 99 | 3/16-3/17 | 39 | 50 | 11 | -11 | 1,020 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 100 | 3/12-3/14 | 37 | 52 | 11 | -15 | 800 | LV | NPR/POS/GQR |
| 101 | 3/10-3/13 | 37 | 50 | 13 | -13 | 1,005 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 102 | 3/10-3/12 | 38 | 54 | 8 | -16 | 1,001 | Adults | CNN/Gallup/USA Today |
| 103 | 3/6-3/8 | 36 | 47 | 17 | -11 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 104 | 3/4-3/5 | 43 | 49 | 8 | -6 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 105 | March Polls | 38.9 | 50.3 | 10.9 | -12.1 | | | |
| 106 | 2/28-3/1 | 39 | 53 | 8 | -14 | 1,020 | Adults | Gallup |
| 107 | 2/28-3/1 | 34 | 48 | 18 | -14 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 108 | 2/23-2/27 | 40 | 48 | 12 | -8 | 1,135 | LV | Democracy Corps |

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| 109 | 2/23-2/26 | 38 | 47 | 15 | -9 | 1,000 | Adults | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 110 | 2/16-2/19 | 31 | 56 | 13 | -25 | 807 | RV | Diatego/Hotline |
| 111 | 2/12-2/15 | 41 | 46 | 14 | -5 | 1,000 | LV | George Washington |
| 112 | 2/12-2/15 | 41 | 46 | 13 | -5 | 1,000 | LV | Battleground |
| 113 | 2/9-2/12 | 42 | 49 | 9 | -7 | 1,000 | Adults | CNN/Gallup/USA Today |
| 114 | 2/7-2/8 | 34 | 42 | 24 | -8 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 115 | 2/6-2/8 | 37 | 47 | 16 | -10 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 116 | 2/1-2/5 | 41 | 50 | 9 | -9 | 1,502 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 117 | February Polls | 38.0 | 48.4 | 13.7 | -10.5 | | | |
| 118 | 1/26-1/29 | 38 | 47 | 15 | -9 | 1,011 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 119 | 1/23-1/26 | 39 | 51 | 10 | -12 | 1,002 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 120 | 1/22-1/25 | 39 | 51 | 10 | -12 | 1,000 | Adults | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 121 | 1/22-1/25 | 40 | 49 | 11 | -9 | 1,005 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 122 | 1/22-1/25 | 35 | 47 | 18 | -12 | 1,555 | Adults | LA Times |
| 123 | 1/21-1/23 | 40 | 49 | 11 | -9 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 124 | 1/20-1/25 | 34 | 43 | 23 | -9 | 1,229 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 125 | 1/12-1/15 | 33 | 40 | 27 | -7 | 806 | RV | Diatego/Hotline |
| 126 | 1/6-1/9 | 34 | 43 | 23 | -9 | 1,003 | Adults | Harris |
| 127 | 1/6-1/8 | 42 | 49 | 8 | -7 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 128 | 1/4-1/9 | 40 | 50 | 10 | -10 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 129 | 1/3-1/5 | 36 | 49 | 15 | -13 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 130 | January Polls | 37.5 | 47.3 | 15.1 | -9.8 | | | |
| 131 | 12/15-12/18 | 41 | 50 | 9 | -9 | 1,003 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 132 | 12/15, 12/17-12/18 | 37 | 45 | 18 | -8 | 800 | LV | NPR/POS/GQR |
| 133 | 12/12-12/13 | 33 | 43 | 24 | -10 | 813 | RV | Diatego/Hotline |
| 134 | 12/8-12/11 | 38 | 49 | 13 | -11 | 1,000 | Adults | RT Strategies |
| 135 | 12/6-12/8 | 40 | 48 | 12 | -8 | 1,013 | LV | Zogby |
| 136 | 12/2-12/6 | 33 | 42 | 25 | -9 | 1,155 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 137 | December Polls | 37.0 | 46.2 | 16.8 | -9.2 | | | |
| 138 | 11/30-12/4 | 39 | 49 | 12 | -10 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 139 | 11/29-12/1 | 36 | 48 | 16 | -12 | 1,004 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 140 | 11/28-12/4 | 36 | 47 | 17 | -11 | 1,230 | RV | Quinnipiac |
| 141 | 11/16-11/20 | 41 | 48 | 11 | -7 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 142 | 11/11-11/15 | 35 | 41 | 24 | -6 | 700 | RV | Diatego/Hotline |
| 143 | 11/10-11/15 | 31 | 36 | 32 | -5 | 1,000 | RV | Lake Research Partners |
| 144 | 11/10-11/11 | 36 | 53 | 11 | -17 | 1,002 | Adults | Newsweek |

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| 145 | 11/4-11/7 | 37 | 48 | 15 | -11 | 1,003 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 146 | 11/2-11/6 | 39 | 48 | 13 | -9 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 147 | November Polls | 36.7 | 46.4 | 16.8 | -9.8 | | | |
| 148 | 10/31-11/2 | 37 | 52 | 11 | -15 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 149 | 10/30-11/2 | 36 | 53 | 11 | -17 | 1,202 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 150 | 10/21-10-23 | 42 | 50 | 8 | -8 | 1,008 | Adults | CNN/Gallup/USA Today |
| 151 | 10/21-10/23 | 43 | 50 | 7 | -7 | 1,008 | Adults | Gallup |
| 152 | 10/19-10/23 | 39 | 49 | 12 | -10 | 1,004 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 153 | 10/12-10/16 | 31 | 40 | 29 | -9 | 500 | RV | Diatego/Hotline |
| 154 | 10/9-10/12 | 41 | 47 | 12 | -6 | 1,000 | RV | Battleground |
| 155 | 10/8-10/10 | 39 | 48 | 13 | -9 | 807 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 156 | 10/5-10/10 | 41 | 46 | 13 | -5 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 157 | October Polls | 38.8 | 48.3 | 12.9 | -9.6 | | | |
| 158 | 9/29-9/30 | 42 | 47 | 11 | -5 | 1,004 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 159 | 9/27-9/28 | 32 | 40 | 28 | -8 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 160 | 9/19-9/21 | 39 | 48 | 13 | -9 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 161 | 9/14-9/15 | 40 | 48 | 12 | -8 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 162 | 9/8-9/11 | 40 | 52 | 8 | -12 | 1,523 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 163 | September Polls | 38.6 | 47.0 | 14.4 | -8.4 | | | |
| 164 | 8/30-8/31 | 35 | 38 | 27 | -3 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 165 | 8/28-8/30 | 22 | 31 | 40 | -9 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 166 | August Polls | 28.5 | 34.5 | 33.5 | -6.0 | | | |
| 167 | 7/19-7/25 | 41 | 48 | 11 | -7 | 1,001 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 168 | 7/8-7/11 | 40 | 45 | 15 | -5 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 169 | 7/7-7/11 | 40 | 47 | 13 | -7 | 825 | LV | NPR/POS/GQR |
| 170 | 7/7-7/10 | 33 | 39 | 28 | -6 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 171 | July Polls | 38.5 | 44.8 | 16.8 | -6.3 | | | |
| 172 | 6/27-6/30 | 30 | 32 | 36 | -2 | 1,015 | Adults | Westhill/Hotline |
| 173 | 6/20-6/26 | 43 | 48 | 9 | -5 | 1,078 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 174 | 6/20-6/22 | 33 | 38 | 29 | -5 | 900 | LV | Zogby |
| 175 | 6/7-6/8 | 44 | 47 | 9 | -3 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 176 | 6/2-6/5 | 37 | 39 | 24 | -2 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 177 | June Polls | 37.4 | 40.8 | 21.4 | -3.4 | | | |
| 178 | 5/23-5/28 | 36 | 41 | 22 | -5 | 1000 | Adults | Feldman Group/Mkt Strategies |
| 179 | 5/18-5/26 | 36 | 40 | 24 | -4 | 2,613 | V | Emily's List |
| 180 | 5/17-5/23 | 43 | 48 | 9 | -5 | 1,013 | LV | Democracy Corps |

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| 181 | 5/16-5/17 | 39 | 50 | 11 | -11 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 182 | 5/12-5/16 | 40 | 47 | 13 | -7 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 183 | May Polls | 38.8 | 45.2 | 15.8 | -6.4 | | | |
| 184 | 4/13-4/19 | 42 | 47 | 11 | -5 | 1,058 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 185 | April Polls | 42.0 | 47.0 | 11.0 | -5.0 | | | |
| 186 | 3/21-3/23 | 33 | 37 | 31 | -4 | 800 | RV | Moore Information |
| 187 | 3/15-3/21 | 45 | 46 | 9 | -1 | 1,002 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 188 | 3/7-3/9 | 41 | 44 | 15 | -3 | 1,000 | RV | Battleground |
| 189 | March Polls | 39.7 | 42.3 | 18.3 | -2.7 | | | |
| 190 | 2/15-2/17 | 36 | 41 | 22 | -5 | 800 | LV | Greenberg/POS |
| 191 | 2/13-2/17 | 44 | 46 | 10 | -2 | 1,001 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 192 | February Polls | 40.0 | 43.5 | 16.0 | -3.5 | | | |
| 193 | 1/16-1/20 | 43 | 48 | 9 | -5 | 998 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 194 | January Polls | 43.0 | 48.0 | 9.0 | -5.0 | | | |

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| 2 | DATE | Approve | Disapprove | Not Sure | (A-D) | | | Organization |
| 3 | 10/6-10/8 | 40 | 55 | 5 | -15 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 4 | 10/5-10/8 | 34 | 57 | 9 | -23 | 983 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 5 | 10/5-10/8 | 41 | 56 | 3 | -15 | 1,204 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 6 | 10/3-10/4 | 40 | 55 | 5 | -15 | 1,002 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 7 | 10/2-10/4 | 42 | 56 | 2 | -14 | 741 | LV | AP/Ipsos |
| 8 | October Polls | 39.4 | 55.8 | 4.8 | -16.4 | | | |
| 9 | 9/24-9/26 | 40 | 58 | 2 | -18 | 423 | LV | Diago/Hotline |
| 10 | 9/16-9/19 | 43 | 51 | 6 | -8 | 1,517 | Adults | LA Times |
| 11 | 9/11-9/13 | 39 | 60 | 1 | -21 | 1,501 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 12 | 9/8-9/11 | 43 | 52 | 5 | -9 | 1,009 | RV | NBC News/WSJ |
| 13 | September Polls | 41.3 | 55.3 | 3.5 | -14.0 | | | |
| 14 | 8/24-8/25 | 37 | 58 | 5 | -21 | 1,002 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 15 | 8/22-8/24 | 38 | 58 | 4 | -20 | 1,002 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 16 | 8/18-8/21 | 32 | 62 | 6 | -30 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 17 | 8/18-8/20 | 39 | 57 | 4 | -18 | 1,001 | Adults | Gallup |
| 18 | 8/17-8/21 | 35 | 58 | 7 | -23 | 1,206 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 19 | 8/10-8/11 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 1,001 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 20 | 8/9-8/13 | 33 | 59 | 8 | -26 | 1,506 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 21 | 8/7-8/9 | 37 | 61 | 2 | -24 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 22 | 8/3-8/6 | 39 | 59 | 2 | -20 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 23 | 8/2-8/3 | 38 | 59 | 3 | -21 | 1,047 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 24 | August Polls | 36.5 | 59.0 | 4.5 | -22.5 | | | |
| 25 | 7/28-8/1 | 38 | 59 | 3 | -21 | 1,478 | Adults | LA Times |
| 26 | 7/21-7/25 | 33 | 59 | 8 | -26 | 1,127 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 27 | 7/21-7/24 | 41 | 53 | 6 | -12 | 1,010 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 28 | 7/21-7/23 | 39 | 59 | 2 | -20 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 29 | 7/18-7/21 | 31 | 63 | 6 | -32 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 30 | 7/10-7/12 | 38 | 60 | 2 | -22 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 31 | July Polls | 36.7 | 58.8 | 4.5 | -22.2 | | | |
| 32 | 6/27-6/29 | 36 | 58 | 6 | -22 | 1,003 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 33 | 6/22-6/25 | 38 | 61 | 1 | -23 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 34 | 6/18-6/21 | 34 | 61 | 5 | -27 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 35 | 6/10-6/11 | 33 | 59 | 8 | -26 | 659 | Adults | CBS News |
| 36 | 6/9-6/12 | 38 | 56 | 6 | -18 | 1,002 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |

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| 37 | 6/9-6/11 | 39 | 57 | 4 | -18 | 1,002 | Adults | Gallup |
| 38 | 6/5-6/7 | 38 | 60 | 2 | -22 | 1,003 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 39 | June Polls | 36.6 | 58.9 | 4.6 | -22.3 | | | |
| 40 | 5/18-5/21 | 37 | 60 | 3 | -7 | 807 | RV | Diatego/Hotline |
| 41 | 5/18-5/21 | 29 | 65 | 6 | -36 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 42 | 5/16-5/17 | 34 | 61 | 5 | -27 | 1,022 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 43 | 5/16-5/17 | 34 | 57 | 9 | -23 | 636 | Adults | CBS News |
| 44 | 5/11-5/15 | 38 | 60 | 2 | -22 | 1,103 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 45 | 5/4-5/8 | 28 | 66 | 6 | -38 | 1,241 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 46 | 5/1-5/3 | 37 | 61 | 2 | -24 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 47 | May Polls | 33.9 | 61.4 | 4.7 | -25.3 | | | |
| 48 | 4/28-4/30 | 31 | 58 | 11 | -27 | 719 | Adults | CBS News |
| 49 | 4/28-4/30 | 34 | 64 | 2 | -30 | 1,011 | Adults | Gallup |
| 50 | 4/21-4/24 | 35 | 60 | 5 | -25 | 1,109 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 51 | 4/18-4/21 | 31 | 64 | 5 | -33 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 52 | 4/8-4/11 | 39 | 57 | 4 | -18 | 1,357 | Adults | LA Times |
| 53 | 4/7-4/9 | 39 | 58 | 3 | -19 | 1,004 | Adults | Gallup |
| 54 | 4/6-4/9 | 36 | 57 | 7 | -21 | 899 | Adults | CBS News |
| 55 | 4/6-4/9 | 40 | 59 | 1 | -19 | 1,027 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 56 | 4/3-4/5 | 39 | 59 | 2 | -20 | 1,003 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 57 | April Polls | 36.0 | 59.6 | 4.4 | -23.6 | | | |
| 58 | 3/18-3/21 | 35 | 59 | 6 | -24 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 59 | 3/16-3/17 | 36 | 58 | 6 | -22 | 1,020 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 60 | 3/10-3/13 | 36 | 58 | 6 | -22 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 61 | 3/9-3/12 | 35 | 57 | 8 | -22 | 1,136 | Adults | CBS News |
| 62 | 3/8-3/12 | 34 | 57 | 9 | -23 | 1,405 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 63 | 3/6-3/8 | 40 | 57 | 3 | -17 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 64 | 3/2-3/5 | 48 | 51 | 1 | -3 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 65 | March Polls | 37.7 | 56.7 | 5.6 | -19.0 | | | |
| 66 | 2/28-3/1 | 40 | 57 | 3 | -17 | 1,020 | Adults | Gallup |
| 67 | 2/22-2/26 | 32 | 60 | 8 | -28 | 1,018 | Adults | CBS News |
| 68 | 2/21-2/28 | 36 | 60 | 4 | -24 | 1,892 | RV | Quinnipiac |
| 69 | 2/18-2/21 | 37 | 58 | 5 | -21 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 70 | 2/16-2/19 | 37 | 58 | 5 | -7 | 807 | RV | Diatego/Hotline |
| 71 | 2/15-2/16 | 38 | 56 | 6 | -18 | 1,001 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 72 | 2/13-2/15 | 39 | 58 | 3 | -19 | 1,132 | Adults | Marist |

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| 73 | 2/6-2/9 | 40 | 56 | 4 | -13 | 1,002 | Adults | Gallup |
| 74 | 2/6-2/8 | 39 | 59 | 2 | -20 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 75 | 2/1-2/5 | 38 | 55 | 7 | -17 | 1,502 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 76 | February Polls | 37.6 | 57.7 | 4.7 | -18.4 | | | |
| 77 | 1/24-1/25 | 41 | 52 | 7 | -11 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 78 | 1/23-1/26 | 46 | 52 | 2 | -6 | 1,002 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 79 | 1/22-1/25 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 1,555 | Adults | LA Times |
| 80 | 1/20-1/25 | 39 | 54 | 7 | -15 | 1,229 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 81 | 1/20-1/22 | 39 | 56 | 5 | -17 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 82 | 1/12-1/15 | 44 | 50 | 6 | -6 | 806 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 83 | 1/5-1/8 | 39 | 52 | 9 | -13 | 1,151 | Adults | CBS News |
| 84 | 1/3-1/5 | 39 | 58 | 3 | -19 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 85 | January Polls | 40.5 | 54.1 | 5.4 | -13.6 | | | |
| 86 | 12/16-12/18 | 41 | 56 | 3 | -15 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 87 | 12/15-12/18 | 47 | 52 | 1 | -5 | 1,003 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 88 | 12/15-12/18 | 36 | 59 | 5 | -23 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 89 | 12/15, 12/17-12/18 | 43 | 54 | 3 | -11 | 800 | LV | NPR/POS/GQR |
| 90 | 12/12-12/13 | 43 | 52 | 5 | -9 | 813 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 91 | 12/9-12/12 | 38 | 54 | 8 | -16 | 1,006 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 92 | 12/9-12/11 | 40 | 58 | 2 | -18 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 93 | 12/5-12/7 | 42 | 55 | 3 | -13 | 1,002 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 94 | 12/2-12/6 | 38 | 54 | 8 | -16 | 1,155 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 95 | December Polls | 40.9 | 54.9 | 4.2 | -14.0 | | | |
| 96 | 11/29-12/1 | 40 | 55 | 5 | -15 | 1,004 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 97 | 11/19-11/22 | 31 | 62 | 7 | -31 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 98 | 11/11-11/15 | 34 | 61 | 5 | -27 | 700 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 99 | 11/11-11/13 | 37 | 61 | 2 | -24 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 100 | 11/7-11/9 | 37 | 61 | 2 | -24 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 101 | November Polls | 35.8 | 60.0 | 4.2 | -24.2 | | | |
| 102 | 10/30-11/2 | 36 | 61 | 3 | -25 | 1,202 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 103 | 10/30-11/1 | 34 | 55 | 11 | -21 | 936 | Adults | CBS News |
| 104 | 10/18-10/21 | 34 | 59 | 7 | -25 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 105 | 10/12-10/16 | 36 | 59 | 5 | -23 | 500 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 106 | 10/3-10/5 | 32 | 61 | 7 | -29 | 808 | Adults | CBS News |
| 107 | 10/3-10/5 | 40 | 58 | 2 | -19 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 108 | October Polls | 35.3 | 58.8 | 5.8 | -23.7 | | | |

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| 109 | 9/29-9/30 | 35 | 60 | 5 | -25 | 1,004 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 110 | 9/19-9/21 | 41 | 58 | 1 | -17 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 111 | 9/16-9/18 | 35 | 63 | 2 | -28 | 818 | Adults | Gallup |
| 112 | 9/9-9/13 | 35 | 59 | 6 | -24 | 1,167 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 113 | 9/8-9/11 | 40 | 58 | 2 | -18 | 1,201 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 114 | 9/8-9/11 | 39 | 58 | 3 | -19 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 115 | 9/6-9/8 | 41 | 57 | 2 | -16 | 1,002 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 116 | 9/6-9/7 | 33 | 60 | 7 | -27 | 1,000 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 117 | September Polls | 37.4 | 59.1 | 3.5 | -21.8 | | | |
| 118 | 8/30-8/31 | 38 | 55 | 7 | -17 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 119 | 8/29-8/31 | 37 | 58 | 5 | -21 | 871 | Adults | CBS News |
| 120 | 8/28-8/30 | 38 | 60 | 2 | -22 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 121 | 8/25-8/28 | 44 | 54 | 3 | -10 | 1,006 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 122 | 8/18-8/21 | 33 | 62 | 5 | -29 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 123 | 8/1-8/3 | 41 | 56 | 2 | -15 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 124 | August Polls | 38.5 | 57.5 | 4.0 | -19.0 | | | |
| 125 | 7/26-7/30 | 42 | 52 | 6 | -10 | 1,222 | Adults | CBS News |
| 126 | 7/26-7/30 | 38 | 59 | 3 | -21 | 1,042 | LV | Zogby |
| 127 | 7/18-7/21 | 38 | 54 | 8 | -16 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 128 | 7/13-7/17 | 38 | 53 | 9 | -15 | 1,502 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 129 | 7/11-7/13 | 42 | 56 | 2 | -14 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 130 | 7/8-7/11 | 39 | 54 | 7 | -15 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 131 | 7/7-7/11 | 43 | 53 | 4 | -10 | 825 | LV | NPR/GQR/POS |
| 132 | 7/7-7/10 | 39 | 57 | 4 | -18 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 133 | July Polls | 39.9 | 54.8 | 5.4 | -14.9 | | | |
| 134 | 6/19-6/22 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 135 | 6/16-6/19 | 41 | 55 | 4 | -14 | 1,009 | Adults | Gallup |
| 136 | 6/10-6/15 | 39 | 56 | 5 | -17 | 1,111 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 137 | 6/6-6/8 | 43 | 54 | 3 | -11 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 138 | 6/2-6/5 | 40 | 58 | 2 | -18 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 139 | 6/2-6/5 | 40 | 52 | 8 | -12 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 140 | June Polls | 40.0 | 55.7 | 4.3 | -15.7 | | | |
| 141 | 5/20-5/22 | 40 | 58 | 2 | -18 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 142 | 5/2-5/4 | 43 | 54 | 3 | -11 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 143 | May Polls | 41.5 | 56.0 | 2.5 | -14.5 | | | |
| 144 | 4/29-5/1 | 43 | 53 | 4 | -10 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |

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| 145 | 4/28-5/1 | 38 | 57 | 5 | -19 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 146 | 4/4-4/6 | 42 | 54 | 4 | -12 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 147 | 4/1-4/2 | 41 | 55 | 4 | -14 | 1,040 | Adults | Gallup |
| 148 | April Polls | 41.0 | 54.8 | 4.3 | -13.8 | | | |
| 149 | 3/31-4/3 | 41 | 53 | 6 | -12 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 150 | 3/31-4/3 | 38 | 56 | 5 | -18 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 151 | 3/22-3/24 | 42 | 54 | 4 | -12 | 1,000 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 152 | 3/21-3/22 | 36 | 53 | 11 | -17 | 1,000 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 153 | 3/17-3/17 | 42 | 51 | 7 | -9 | 1,010 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 154 | 3/14-3/17 | 41 | 53 | 6 | -12 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 155 | 3/10-3/13 | 43 | 55 | 2 | -12 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 156 | 3/7-3/9 | 47 | 50 | 3 | -3 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 157 | March Polls | 41.3 | 53.1 | 5.5 | -11.9 | | | |
| 158 | 2/25-2/27 | 48 | 49 | 4 | -1 | 1,008 | Adults | Gallup |
| 159 | 2/24-2/28 | 38 | 54 | 8 | -16 | 1,111 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 160 | 2/24-2/27 | 43 | 54 | 3 | -11 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 161 | 2/16-2/21 | 43 | 50 | 7 | -7 | 1,000 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 162 | 2/14-2/17 | 42 | 51 | 7 | -9 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 163 | 2/10-2/14 | 46 | 50 | 4 | -4 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 164 | 2/7-2/10 | 45 | 52 | 3 | -7 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 165 | 2/7-2/9 | 43 | 56 | 1 | -13 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 166 | 2/4-2/6 | 50 | 47 | 3 | 3 | 1,010 | Adults | Gallup |
| 167 | February Polls | 44.2 | 51.4 | 4.4 | -7.2 | | | |
| 168 | 1/26-1/31 | 46 | 52 | 2 | -6 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 169 | 1/15-1/17 | 49 | 46 | 5 | 3 | 1,033 | Adults | LA Times |
| 170 | 1/14-1/18 | 42 | 52 | 7 | -10 | 1,100 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 171 | 1/14-1/17 | 44 | 50 | 6 | -6 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 172 | 1/13-1/17 | 47 | 47 | 6 | 0 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 173 | 1/12-1/16 | 46 | 52 | 2 | -6 | 1,004 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 174 | 1/12-1/13 | 51 | 44 | 5 | 7 | 1,000 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 175 | 1/11-1/12 | 46 | 46 | 8 | 0 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 176 | 1/7-1/9 | 50 | 48 | 2 | 2 | 1,008 | Adults | Gallup |
| 177 | 1/5-1/9 | 45 | 50 | 5 | -5 | 964 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 178 | 1/3-1/5 | 47 | 51 | 2 | -4 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 179 | January Polls | 46.6 | 48.9 | 4.5 | -2.3 | | | |

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| 1 | | | | Other/ | % Diff. | N | Population | Polling |
| 2 | DATE | Approve | Disapprove | Not Sure | (A-D) | | | Organization |
| 3 | 10/6-10/8 | 30 | 66 | 4 | -36 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 4 | 10/5-10/8 | 30 | 66 | 4 | -36 | 983 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 5 | 10/5-10/8 | 35 | 64 | 1 | -29 | 1,204 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 6 | 10/3-10/4 | 31 | 65 | 4 | -34 | 1,002 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 7 | 10/2-10/4 | 37 | 61 | 2 | -24 | 741 | LV | AP/Ipsos |
| 8 | October Polls | 32.6 | 64.4 | 3.0 | -31.8 | | | |
| 9 | 9/29-10/2 | 32 | 66 | 2 | -34 | 1,014 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 10 | 9/24-9/26 | 37 | 60 | 3 | -23 | 423 | LV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 11 | 9/16-9/19 | 40 | 56 | 4 | -16 | 1,517 | Adults | LA Times |
| 12 | 9/8-9/11 | 38 | 57 | 5 | -19 | 1,009 | RV | NBC News/WSJ |
| 13 | 9/5-9/7 | 41 | 57 | 2 | -16 | 1,003 | Adults | ABC News |
| 14 | September Polls | 37.6 | 59.2 | 3.2 | -21.6 | | | |
| 15 | 8/24-8/25 | 31 | 63 | 6 | -32 | 1,002 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 16 | 8/22-8/24 | 34 | 63 | 3 | -29 | 1,002 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 17 | 8/18-8/20 | 36 | 61 | 3 | -25 | 1,001 | Adults | Gallup |
| 18 | 8/17-8/21 | 30 | 65 | 5 | -35 | 1,206 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 19 | 8/11-8/13 | 30 | 66 | 4 | -36 | 974 | Adults | CBS News |
| 20 | 8/10-8/11 | 34 | 62 | 4 | -28 | 1,001 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 21 | 8/9-8/13 | 32 | 61 | 7 | -26 | 1,506 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 22 | 8/7-8/9 | 33 | 65 | 2 | -32 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 23 | 8/3-8/6 | 36 | 62 | 2 | -26 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 24 | 8/2-8/3 | 36 | 62 | 2 | -26 | 1,047 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 25 | August Polls | 33.2 | 63.0 | 3.8 | -29.5 | | | |
| 26 | 7/28-8/1 | 38 | 60 | 2 | -22 | 1,478 | Adults | LA Times |
| 27 | 7/21-7/25 | 32 | 62 | 9 | -30 | 1,127 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 28 | 7/21-7/24 | 34 | 61 | 5 | -27 | 1,010 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 29 | 7/21-7/23 | 35 | 62 | 3 | -27 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 30 | 7/10-7/12 | 38 | 59 | 3 | -21 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 31 | July Polls | 35.4 | 60.8 | 4.4 | -25.4 | | | |
| 32 | 6/27-6/29 | 33 | 64 | 3 | -31 | 1,003 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 33 | 6/22-6/25 | 37 | 62 | 1 | -25 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 34 | 6/14-6/19 | 35 | 57 | 8 | -22 | 1,501 | Adults | Pew Research |
| 35 | 6/14-6/15 | 39 | 54 | 7 | -15 | 1,017 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 36 | 6/10-6/11 | 33 | 61 | 6 | -28 | 659 | Adults | CBS News |

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| 37 | 6/9-6/12 | 35 | 61 | 4 | -26 | 1,002 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 38 | 6/9-6/11 | 36 | 60 | 4 | -24 | 1,002 | Adults | Gallup |
| 39 | 6/5-6/7 | 33 | 64 | 3 | -31 | 1,003 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 40 | June Polls | 35.1 | 60.4 | 4.5 | -25.3 | | | |
| 41 | 5/23-5/30 | 35 | 61 | 4 | -26 | 1,534 | RV | Quinnipiac |
| 42 | 5/18-5/21 | 34 | 62 | 4 | -28 | 801 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 43 | 5/16-5/17 | 34 | 62 | 4 | -28 | 1,022 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 44 | 5/16-5/17 | 31 | 64 | 5 | -33 | 636 | Adults | CBS News |
| 45 | 5/11-5/15 | 32 | 66 | 2 | -34 | 1,103 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 46 | 5/4-5/8 | 29 | 67 | 4 | -38 | 1,241 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 47 | 5/1-5/3 | 37 | 60 | 3 | -23 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 48 | May Polls | 33.1 | 63.1 | 3.7 | -30.0 | | | |
| 49 | 4/28-4/30 | 30 | 64 | 6 | -34 | 719 | Adults | CBS News |
| 50 | 4/28-4/30 | 32 | 66 | 2 | -34 | 1,011 | Adults | Gallup |
| 51 | 4/21-4/24 | 33 | 62 | 5 | -29 | 1,109 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 52 | 4/8-4/11 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 1,357 | Adults | LA Times |
| 53 | 4/7-4/9 | 32 | 65 | 3 | -33 | 1,004 | Adults | Gallup |
| 54 | 4/6-4/9 | 31 | 61 | 8 | -30 | 899 | Adults | CBS News |
| 55 | 4/6-4/9 | 37 | 62 | 1 | -25 | 1,027 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 56 | 4/3-4/5 | 35 | 63 | 2 | -28 | 1,003 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 57 | April Polls | 33.4 | 62.8 | 3.9 | -29.4 | | | |
| 58 | 3/16-3/17 | 29 | 65 | 6 | -36 | 1,020 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 59 | 3/10-3/13 | 35 | 61 | 4 | -26 | 1,000 | Adults | Gallup |
| 60 | 3/9-3/12 | 31 | 63 | 6 | -32 | 1,136 | Adults | CBS News |
| 61 | 3/8-3/12 | 30 | 65 | 5 | -35 | 1,405 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 62 | 3/6-3/8 | 39 | 58 | 3 | -19 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 63 | 3/2-3/5 | 40 | 59 | 1 | -19 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 64 | March Polls | 34.0 | 61.8 | 4.2 | -27.8 | | | |
| 65 | 2/28-3/1 | 35 | 64 | 1 | -29 | 1,020 | Adults | Gallup |
| 66 | 2/22-2/26 | 30 | 65 | 5 | -35 | 1,018 | Adults | CBS News |
| 67 | 2/21-2/28 | 36 | 60 | 4 | -24 | 1,892 | RV | Quinnipiac |
| 68 | 2/16-2/19 | 42 | 54 | 4 | -7 | 807 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 69 | 2/15-2/16 | 36 | 60 | 4 | -24 | 1,001 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 70 | 2/13-2/15 | 39 | 59 | 2 | -20 | 1,132 | Adults | Marist |
| 71 | 2/6-2/9 | 38 | 59 | 3 | -21 | 1,002 | Adults | Gallup |
| 72 | 2/6-2/8 | 38 | 60 | 2 | -22 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |

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| 73 | 2/1-2/5 | 38 | 57 | 5 | -19 | 1,502 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 74 | February Polls | 36.9 | 59.8 | 3.3 | -22.3 | | | |
| 75 | 1/24-1/25 | 40 | 55 | 5 | -15 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 76 | 1/23-1/26 | 39 | 60 | 1 | -21 | 1,002 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 77 | 1/22-1/25 | 41 | 56 | 3 | -15 | 1,555 | Adults | LA Times |
| 78 | 1/20-1/25 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 1,229 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 79 | 1/20-1/22 | 39 | 58 | 3 | -19 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 80 | 1/12-1/15 | 43 | 54 | 3 | -11 | 806 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 81 | 1/6-1/8 | 37 | 58 | 5 | -21 | 1,151 | Adults | CBS News |
| 82 | 1/3-1/5 | 39 | 59 | 2 | -20 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 83 | January Polls | 39.4 | 57.4 | 3.3 | -18.0 | | | |
| 84 | 12/16-12/18 | 37 | 61 | 2 | -24 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 85 | 12/15-12/18 | 46 | 53 | 1 | -7 | 1,003 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 86 | 12/12-12/13 | 41 | 55 | 4 | -14 | 813 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 87 | 12/9-12/11 | 39 | 59 | 2 | -20 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 88 | 12/5-12/7 | 41 | 58 | 1 | -17 | 1,002 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 89 | 12/2-12/6 | 36 | 59 | 5 | -23 | 1,155 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 90 | December Polls | 40.0 | 57.5 | 2.5 | -17.5 | | | |
| 91 | 11/29-12/1 | 38 | 60 | 2 | -22 | 1,004 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 92 | 11/28-12/4 | 36 | 60 | 4 | -24 | 1,230 | RV | Quinnipiac |
| 93 | 11/11-11/15 | 36 | 61 | 3 | -25 | 700 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 94 | 11/11-11/13 | 35 | 63 | 2 | -28 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 95 | 11/10-11/11 | 30 | 65 | 5 | -35 | 1,002 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 96 | 11/7-11/9 | 37 | 62 | 1 | -25 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 97 | November Polls | 35.3 | 61.8 | 2.8 | -26.5 | | | |
| 98 | 10/30-11/2 | 36 | 64 | 0 | -28 | 1,202 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 99 | 10/30-11/1 | 32 | 62 | 6 | -30 | 936 | Adults | CBS News |
| 100 | 10/12-10/16 | 38 | 59 | 3 | -21 | 500 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 101 | 10/3-10/5 | 32 | 64 | 4 | -32 | 808 | Adults | CBS News |
| 102 | 10/3-10/5 | 37 | 61 | 2 | -19 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 103 | October Polls | 35.0 | 62.0 | 3.0 | -26.0 | | | |
| 104 | 9/29-9/30 | 33 | 62 | 5 | -29 | 1,004 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 105 | 9/19-9/21 | 42 | 57 | 1 | -15 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 106 | 9/16-9/18 | 32 | 67 | 1 | -35 | 818 | Adults | Gallup |
| 107 | 9/9-9/13 | 36 | 59 | 5 | -23 | 1,167 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 108 | 9/9-9/12 | 37 | 58 | 5 | -21 | 1,013 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |

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| 109 | 9/8-9/11 | 38 | 62 | 0 | -24 | 1,201 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 110 | 9/8-9/11 | 40 | 58 | 2 | -18 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 111 | 9/8-9/9 | 36 | 60 | 4 | -24 | 1,009 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 112 | 9/6-9/8 | 37 | 62 | 1 | -25 | 1,002 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 113 | 9/6-9/7 | 34 | 58 | 8 | -24 | 1,000 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 114 | 9/6-9/7 | 35 | 60 | 5 | -25 | 725 | Adults | CBS News |
| 115 | September Polls | 36.4 | 60.3 | 3.4 | -23.9 | | | |
| 116 | 8/30-8/31 | 41 | 55 | 4 | -14 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 117 | 8/29-8/31 | 38 | 57 | 5 | -19 | 871 | Adults | CBS News |
| 118 | 8/28-8/30 | 40 | 59 | 1 | -19 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 119 | 8/25-8/28 | 42 | 57 | 1 | -15 | 1,006 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 120 | 8/22-8/24 | 37 | 58 | 5 | -21 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 121 | 8/1-8/3 | 38 | 59 | 3 | -21 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 122 | August Polls | 39.3 | 57.5 | 3.2 | -18.2 | | | |
| 123 | 7/29-8/2 | 41 | 55 | 4 | -14 | 1,222 | Adults | CBS News |
| 124 | 7/26-7/30 | 38 | 61 | 1 | -23 | 1,042 | LV | Zogby |
| 125 | 7/13-7/17 | 35 | 57 | 8 | -22 | 1,502 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 126 | 7/11-7/13 | 40 | 59 | 1 | -19 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 127 | 7/8-7/11 | 39 | 55 | 6 | -16 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 128 | 7/7-7/10 | 41 | 55 | 3 | -14 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 129 | July Polls | 39.0 | 57.0 | 3.8 | -18.0 | | | |
| 130 | 6/16-6/19 | 40 | 58 | 2 | -18 | 1,009 | Adults | Gallup |
| 131 | 6/10-6/15 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 1,111 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 132 | 6/6-6/8 | 41 | 56 | 3 | -15 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 133 | 6/2-6/5 | 41 | 58 | 1 | -17 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 134 | 6/2-6/5 | 43 | 55 | 2 | -12 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 135 | June Polls | 40.4 | 57.2 | 2.4 | -16.8 | | | |
| 136 | 5/20-5/22 | 40 | 56 | 4 | -16 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 137 | 5/12-5/16 | 44 | 52 | 4 | -8 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 138 | 5/10-5/12 | 41 | 55 | 4 | -14 | 1,011 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 139 | 5/2-5/4 | 43 | 55 | 2 | -12 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 140 | May Polls | 42.0 | 54.5 | 3.5 | -12.5 | | | |
| 141 | 4/29-5/1 | 40 | 56 | 4 | -16 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 142 | 4/28-5/1 | 41 | 52 | 7 | -11 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 143 | 4/4-4/6 | 43 | 56 | 1 | -13 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 144 | 4/1-4/2 | 43 | 54 | 3 | -11 | 1,040 | Adults | Gallup |

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| 145 | April Polls | 41.8 | 54.5 | 3.8 | -12.8 | | | |
| 146 | 3/31-4/3 | 41 | 54 | 5 | -13 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 147 | 3/22-3/24 | 44 | 52 | 4 | -8 | 1,000 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 148 | 3/21-3/22 | 39 | 53 | 8 | -14 | 1,000 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 149 | 3/15-3/17 | 47 | 50 | 3 | -3 | 1,000 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 150 | 3/7-3/9 | 45 | 53 | 2 | -8 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 151 | March Polls | 43.2 | 52.4 | 4.4 | -9.2 | | | |
| 152 | 2/25-2/27 | 45 | 53 | 2 | -8 | 1,008 | Adults | Gallup |
| 153 | 2/24-2/28 | 45 | 50 | 5 | -5 | 1,111 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 154 | 2/16-2/21 | 40 | 53 | 7 | -13 | 1,000 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 155 | 2/7-2/9 | 42 | 57 | 1 | -15 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 156 | 2/4-2/6 | 50 | 48 | 2 | 2 | 1,010 | Adults | Gallup |
| 157 | February Polls | 44.4 | 52.2 | 3.4 | -7.8 | | | |
| 158 | 1/14-1/18 | 40 | 55 | 5 | -15 | 1,100 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 159 | 1/12-1/13 | 45 | 51 | 4 | -6 | 1,000 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 160 | 1/11-1/12 | 44 | 51 | 5 | -7 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 161 | 1/7-1/9 | 42 | 56 | 2 | -14 | 1,008 | Adults | Gallup |
| 162 | 1/5-1/9 | 45 | 50 | 5 | -5 | 964 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 163 | January Polls | 43.2 | 52.6 | 4.2 | -9.4 | | | |

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| 2 | DATE | Right Track | Wrong Track | Not Sure | (A-D) | | | Organization |
| 3 | 10/5-10/8 | 32 | 66 | 2 | -34 | 1,204 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 4 | 10/5-10/6 | 25 | 67 | 8 | -42 | 1,004 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 5 | 10/2-10/4 | 31 | 64 | 5 | -33 | 741 | LV | AP/Ipsos |
| 6 | 10/1-10/3 | 34 | 59 | 7 | -25 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 7 | September Polls | 30.5 | 64.0 | 5.5 | -33.5 | | | |
| 8 | 9/30-10/2 | 29 | 58 | 3 | -29 | 802 | RV | NBC News/WSJ |
| 9 | 9/24-9/27 | 31 | 62 | 7 | -31 | 1,000 | LV | Battleground |
| 10 | 9/24-9/26 | 29 | 66 | 5 | -37 | 423 | LV | Diago/Hotline |
| 11 | 9/21-10/4 | 30 | 63 | 7 | -33 | 914 | Adults | Pew |
| 12 | 9/17-9/19 | 32 | 59 | 9 | -27 | 1,006 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 13 | 9/16-9/19 | 31 | 61 | 8 | -30 | 1,517 | Adults | LA Times |
| 14 | 9/8-9/11 | 31 | 54 | 15 | -23 | 1,009 | RV | NBC News/WSJ |
| 15 | 9/7-9/10 | 32 | 67 | 1 | -35 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 16 | 9/6-9/10 | 33 | 61 | 6 | -28 | 1,004 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 17 | September Polls | 30.9 | 61.2 | 6.8 | -30.3 | | | |
| 18 | 8/25-8/27 | 28 | 64 | 8 | -36 | 801 | RV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 19 | 8/24-8/25 | 28 | 65 | 7 | -37 | 1,002 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 20 | 8/10-8/11 | 26 | 67 | 7 | -41 | 1,001 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 21 | 8/7-8/10 | 28 | 69 | 3 | -41 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 22 | 8/7-8/9 | 26 | 71 | 3 | -45 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 23 | August Polls | 27.2 | 67.2 | 5.6 | -40.0 | | | |
| 24 | 7/28-8/1 | 31 | 63 | 6 | -32 | 1,478 | Adults | LA Times |
| 25 | 7/28-7/30 | 27 | 63 | 10 | -36 | 809 | RV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 26 | 7/21-7/25 | 28 | 66 | 6 | -38 | 1,127 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 27 | 7/21-7/24 | 27 | 60 | 13 | -33 | 1,010 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 28 | 7/21-7/23 | 33 | 65 | 2 | -32 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 29 | 7/20-7/23 | 25 | 60 | 15 | -35 | 800 | RV | Diago/Hotline |
| 30 | 7/6-7/19 | 30 | 65 | 5 | -35 | 2,003 | Adults | Pew Research |
| 31 | July Polls | 28.7 | 63.1 | 8.1 | -34.4 | | | |
| 32 | 6/27-6/29 | 28 | 66 | 6 | -38 | 1,003 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 33 | 6/10-6/11 | 27 | 69 | 4 | -42 | 659 | Adults | CBS News |
| 34 | 6/9-6/12 | 27 | 61 | 12 | -34 | 1,002 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 35 | 6/5-6/7 | 26 | 70 | 4 | -44 | 1,003 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 36 | 6/2-6/5 | 28 | 64 | 8 | -36 | 1,001 | Adults | Harris |

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| 37 | 6/1-6/4 | 30 | 67 | 2 | -37 | 1,002 | Adjults | Gallup |
| 38 | 6/1-6/4 | 27 | 61 | 9 | -34 | 874 | RV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 39 | June Polls | 27.6 | 65.4 | 6.4 | -37.9 | | | |
| 40 | 5/18-5/21 | 23 | 62 | 15 | -39 | 801 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 41 | 5/11-5/15 | 29 | 69 | 2 | -40 | 1,103 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 42 | 5/11-5/12 | 23 | 71 | 6 | -48 | 1,007 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 43 | 5/8-5/11 | 25 | 72 | 3 | -47 | 1,002 | Adults | Gallup |
| 44 | 5/1-5/3 | 23 | 73 | 4 | -50 | 1,000 | RV | AP/Ipsos |
| 45 | May Polls | 24.6 | 69.4 | 6.0 | -44.8 | | | |
| 46 | 4/22-4/23 | 28 | 64 | 8 | -36 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 47 | 4/21-4/24 | 24 | 67 | 9 | -43 | 1,005 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 48 | 4/20-4/24 | 25 | 67 | 8 | -42 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 49 | 4/10-4/13 | 27 | 71 | 2 | -44 | 1,005 | RV | Gallup |
| 50 | 4/8-4/11 | 26 | 65 | 9 | -39 | 1,357 | Adults | LA Times |
| 51 | 4/7-4/10 | 27 | 65 | 8 | -38 | 1,008 | Adults | Harris |
| 52 | 4/3-4/5 | 28 | 69 | 3 | -41 | 1,003 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 53 | April Polls | 26.4 | 66.9 | 6.7 | -40.4 | | | |
| 54 | 3/26-3/28 | 27 | 63 | 10 | -36 | 1000 | LV | Lake Research/Terrance |
| 55 | 3/22-3/23 | 34 | 60 | 6 | -26 | 1,003 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 56 | 3/16-3/20 | 30 | 63 | 6 | -33 | 1,150 | Adults | Greenberg |
| 57 | 3/16-3/17 | 30 | 64 | 6 | -34 | 1,020 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 58 | 3/13-3/16 | 29 | 68 | 2 | -39 | 1,000 | Adults | Gallup |
| 59 | 3/12-3/14 | 30 | 64 | 7 | -34 | 800 | LV | NPR/POS/GQR |
| 60 | 3/10-3/13 | 26 | 62 | 12 | -36 | 1,005 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 61 | 3/9-3/12 | 28 | 66 | 6 | -38 | 1,136 | Adults | CBS News |
| 62 | 3/6-3/8 | 30 | 67 | 3 | -37 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 63 | 3/4-3/5 | 36 | 56 | 8 | -20 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 64 | 3/3-3/7 | 31 | 60 | 9 | -29 | 1,001 | Adults | Harris |
| 65 | March Polls | 30.1 | 63.0 | 6.8 | -32.9 | | | |
| 66 | 2/27-3/2 | 37 | 55 | 8 | -18 | 1,004 | LV | Zogby |
| 67 | 2/25-3/1 | 30 | 64 | 6 | -34 | 2,563 | Adults | LA Times |
| 68 | 2/23-2/27 | 32 | 62 | 6 | -30 | 1,135 | Adults | Greenberg |
| 69 | 2/23-2/26 | 34 | 59 | 5 | -25 | 1,000 | RV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 70 | 2/16-2/19 | 29 | 57 | 14 | -28 | 807 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 71 | 2/15-2/18 | 42 | 53 | 5 | -11 | 1,039 | Adults | Zogby |
| 72 | 2/15-2/16 | 36 | 58 | 6 | -22 | 1,001 | Adults | Time/SRBI |

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| 73 | 2/13 , 2/15 | 34 | 61 | 5 | -27 | 1,132 | Adults | Marist Institute |
| 74 | 2/12-2/15 | 31 | 60 | 9 | -29 | 1,000 | LV | George Washington |
| 75 | 2/8-3/7 | 32 | 63 | 5 | -31 | 2,000 | Adults | Pew Resarch Center |
| 76 | 2/6-2/9 | 35 | 62 | 3 | -27 | 1,000 | Adults | Gallup |
| 77 | 2/6-2/8 | 35 | 61 | 4 | -26 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 78 | 2/3-2/7 | 32 | 59 | 9 | -27 | 1,002 | Adults | Harris |
| 79 | February Polls | 33.8 | 59.5 | 6.5 | -25.7 | | | |
| 80 | 1/26-1/29 | 31 | 57 | 12 | -26 | 1,011 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 81 | 1/24-1/26 | 33 | 63 | 4 | -30 | 1,002 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 82 | 1/22-1/25 | 31 | 60 | 8 | -29 | 1,005 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 83 | 1/22-1/25 | 38 | 60 | 2 | -22 | 1,000 | Adults | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 84 | 1/22-1/25 | 32 | 61 | 7 | -29 | 1,555 | Adults | LA Times |
| 85 | 1/21-1/23 | 37 | 54 | 9 | -17 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 86 | 1/20-1/25 | 32 | 61 | 7 | -29 | 1,229 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 87 | 1/20-1/22 | 35 | 62 | 3 | -27 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 88 | 1/16-1/25 | 37 | 48 | 15 | -11 | 1,004 | RV | Wright Consulting |
| 89 | 1/12-1/15 | 33 | 54 | 14 | -21 | 806 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 90 | 1/9-1/12 | 40 | 53 | 8 | -13 | 1,031 | LV | Zogby |
| 91 | 1/9-1/12 | 36 | 61 | 3 | -25 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 92 | 1/6-1/9 | 33 | 54 | 13 | -21 | 1,003 | Adults | Harris |
| 93 | 1/5-1/8 | 31 | 62 | 7 | -31 | 1,151 | Adults | CBS News |
| 94 | 1/4-1/8 | 34 | 61 | 5 | -27 | 1,503 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 95 | 1/3-1/5 | 32 | 65 | 3 | -33 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 96 | January Polls | 34.1 | 58.5 | 7.5 | -24.4 | | | |
| 97 | 12/20-12/21 | 44 | 51 | 5 | -7 | 1,929 | Adults | Zogby |
| 98 | 12/19-12/22 | 36 | 62 | 2 | -26 | 1,004 | Adults | Gallup |
| 99 | 12/15, 12/17-12/18 | 35 | 60 | 5 | -25 | 800 | LV | NPR/POS/GQR |
| 100 | 12/12-12/13 | 32 | 54 | 14 | -22 | 813 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 101 | 12/9-12/12 | 30 | 59 | 11 | -29 | 1,006 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 102 | 12/8-12/11 | 37 | 51 | 2 | -14 | 1,000 | Adults | RT Strategies |
| 103 | 12/6-12/8 | 40 | 54 | 6 | -14 | 1,013 | LV | Zogby |
| 104 | 12/5-12/8 | 35 | 62 | 3 | -27 | 1,013 | Adults | Gallup |
| 105 | 12/5-12/7 | 33 | 64 | 3 | -31 | 1,002 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 106 | December Polls | 35.8 | 57.4 | 5.7 | -21.7 | | | |
| 107 | 11/30-12/4 | 32 | 60 | 8 | -28 | 1,000 | LV | Greenberg |
| 108 | 11/29-12/1 | 34 | 60 | 6 | -26 | 1,004 | Adults | Time/SRBI |

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| 109 | 11/28-12/4 | 39 | 59 | 1 | -20 | 1,230 | RV | Quinnipiac |
| 110 | 11/17-11/20 | 36 | 62 | 2 | -26 | 1,000 | Adults | Gallup |
| 111 | 11/11-11/15 | 24 | 66 | 10 | -42 | 700 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 112 | 11/10-11/11 | 26 | 68 | 6 | -42 | 1,002 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 113 | 11/9-11/27 | 34 | 59 | 7 | -25 | 1,500 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 114 | 11/8-11/13 | 27 | 68 | 5 | -41 | 1,011 | Adults | Harris |
| 115 | 11/7-11/10 | 31 | 66 | 3 | -35 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 116 | 11/7-11/9 | 32 | 64 | 3 | -32 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 117 | 11/4-11/7 | 26 | 63 | 11 | -37 | 1,003 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 118 | 11/2-11/6 | 31 | 62 | 7 | -31 | 1,015 | Adults | Democracy Corps |
| 119 | November Polls | 30.9 | 63.4 | 5.5 | -32.1 | | | |
| 120 | 10/30-11/1 | 27 | 68 | 5 | -41 | 936 | Adults | CBS News |
| 121 | 10/29-11/2 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 844 | Adults | Zogby |
| 122 | 10/19-10/23 | 31 | 61 | 8 | -30 | 1,004 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 123 | 10/19-10/21 | 45 | 51 | 4 | -6 | 1,001 | Adults | Zogby |
| 124 | 10/13-10/16 | 31 | 68 | 1 | -37 | 1,012 | Adults | Gallup |
| 125 | 10/12-10/17 | 31 | 62 | 7 | -31 | 1,053 | Adults | Marist Institute |
| 126 | 10/12-10/16 | 26 | 60 | 14 | -34 | 500 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 127 | 10/10-10/18 | 35 | 58 | 8 | -23 | 1,204 | Adults | Harvard IOP |
| 128 | 10/9-10/12 | 27 | 66 | 7 | -39 | 1,000 | LV | Lake Snell Perry |
| 129 | 10/8-10/10 | 28 | 69 | 13 | -41 | 807 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 130 | 10/6/10/10 | 29 | 65 | 6 | -36 | 1,500 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 131 | 10/5-10/5 | 34 | 58 | 77 | -24 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 132 | 10/3-10/5 | 26 | 69 | 5 | -43 | 808 | Adults | CBS News |
| 133 | 10/3-10/5 | 28 | 66 | 6 | -38 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 134 | October Polls | 31.1 | 62.9 | 11.8 | -31.8 | | | |
| 135 | 9/29-10/10 | 29 | 55 | 15 | -26 | 1338 | Adults | Global Strat Group |
| 136 | 9/29-10/2 | 40 | 54 | 6 | -14 | 1,004 | Adults | Zogby |
| 137 | 9/29-9/30 | 31 | 61 | 8 | -30 | 1,004 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 138 | 9/26-9/28 | 39 | 59 | 2 | -20 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 139 | 9/19-9/21 | 33 | 61 | 6 | -28 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 140 | 9/14-9/15 | 35 | 58 | 7 | -23 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 141 | 9/12-9/15 | 34 | 65 | 1 | -31 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 142 | 9/9-9/12 | 32 | 57 | 11 | -25 | 1,013 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 143 | 9/8-9/9 | 28 | 66 | 6 | -38 | 1,009 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 144 | 9/6-9/8 | 32 | 65 | 3 | -33 | 1,002 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |

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| 145 | 9/6-9/7 | 42 | 53 | 5 | -11 | 1,157 | LV | Zogby |
| 146 | September Polls | 34.6 | 59.9 | 5.5 | -25.4 | | | |
| 147 | 8/31-9/1 | 35 | 58 | 7 | -23 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 148 | 8/22-8/25 | 34 | 62 | 4 | -28 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 149 | 8/9-8/16 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 1,217 | Adults | Harris |
| 150 | 8/8-8/11 | 37 | 60 | 3 | -23 | 1,001 | Adults | Gallup |
| 151 | 8/2-8/4 | 36 | 54 | 10 | -18 | 1,004 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 152 | 8/1-8/3 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 153 | August Polls | 36.2 | 58.8 | 5.0 | -22.6 | | | |
| 154 | 7/29-8/2 | 37 | 57 | 6 | -20 | 1,222 | Adults | CBS News |
| 155 | 7/25-7/28 | 40 | 58 | 2 | -18 | 1,010 | Adults | Gallup |
| 156 | 7/26-7/30 | 46 | 47 | 7 | -1 | 1,042 | LV | Zogby |
| 157 | 7/23-7/24 | 42 | 51 | 7 | -9 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 158 | 7/19-7/25 | 37 | 57 | 6 | -20 | 1,001 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 159 | 7/11-7/13 | 36 | 59 | 5 | -23 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 160 | 7/11/-7/12 | 39 | 53 | 9 | -14 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 161 | 7/8-7/11 | 34 | 52 | 14 | -18 | 1,009 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 162 | 7/7-7/11 | 36 | 55 | 9 | -19 | 825 | LV | NPR/POS/GQR |
| 163 | 7/7-7/10 | 35 | 58 | 7 | -23 | 2,000 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 164 | 7/7-7/10 | 42 | 57 | 1 | -15 | 10,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 165 | July Polls | 38.5 | 54.9 | 6.6 | -16.4 | | | |
| 166 | 6/27-6/30 | 31 | 54 | 15 | -23 | 1,015 | Adults | Westhill/Hotline |
| 167 | 6/27-6/29 | 38 | 53 | 9 | -15 | 905 | LV | Zogby |
| 168 | 6/20-6/26 | 36 | 56 | 8 | -20 | 1,078 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 169 | 6/20-6/22 | 43 | 53 | 5 | -10 | 1,000 | Adults | Zogby |
| 170 | 6/16-6/19 | 42 | 56 | 2 | -14 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 171 | 6/10-6/15 | 33 | 61 | 6 | -28 | 1,111 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 172 | 6/7-6/12 | 38 | 55 | 7 | -17 | 1,015 | Adults | Harris |
| 173 | 6/7-6/8 | 41 | 52 | 6 | -11 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 174 | 6/6-6/8 | 38 | 60 | 2 | -22 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 175 | 6/6-6/8 | 35 | 59 | 6 | -24 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 176 | 6/2-6/5 | 34 | 52 | 15 | -18 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 177 | June Polls | 37.2 | 55.5 | 7.4 | -18.4 | | | |
| 178 | 5/23-5/26 | 41 | 55 | 4 | -14 | 1,004 | Adults | Gallup |
| 179 | 5/23-5/28 | 37 | 51 | 12 | -14 | 1,000 | Adults | Feldman Group/Mkt Strat |
| 180 | 5/20-5/24 | 34 | 60 | 6 | -26 | 1,150 | Adults | CBS News |

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| 181 | 5/18-5/26 | 34 | 52 | 14 | -18 | 2,613 | RV | Emily |
| 182 | 5/17-5/23 | 37 | 55 | 8 | -18 | 1,013 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 183 | 5/16-5/17 | 38 | 55 | 7 | -17 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 184 | 5/12-5/16 | 35 | 52 | 13 | -17 | 1,005 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 185 | 5/11-5/15 | 39 | 57 | 4 | -18 | 1,000 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 186 | 5/2-5/5 | 39 | 58 | 3 | -19 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 187 | 5/2-5/4 | 36 | 59 | 5 | -23 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 188 | May Polls | 37.0 | 55.4 | 7.6 | -18.4 | | | |
| 189 | 4/28-5/1 | 32 | 54 | 14 | -22 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 190 | 4/18-4/21 | 38 | 56 | 6 | -18 | 1,007 | Adults | Marist College |
| 191 | 4/15-4/19 | 46 | 48 | 6 | -2 | 1,011 | Adults | Zogby |
| 192 | 4/13-4/19 | 34 | 56 | 10 | -22 | 1,058 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 193 | 4/13-4/16 | 32 | 62 | 6 | -30 | 1,149 | Adults | CBS News |
| 194 | 4/12-4/13 | 40 | 52 | 7 | -12 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 195 | 4/4-4/7 | 38 | 59 | 3 | -21 | 1,010 | Adults | Gallup |
| 196 | 4/4-4/6 | 38 | 56 | 6 | -18 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 197 | April Polls | 37.3 | 55.4 | 7.3 | -18.1 | | | |
| 198 | 3/31-4/3 | 34 | 51 | 15 | -17 | 1,002 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 199 | 3/31-4/3 | 30 | 56 | 14 | -26 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 200 | 3/21-3/23 | 38 | 59 | 3 | -21 | 1,001 | Adults | Gallup |
| 201 | 3/20-3/22 | 34 | 58 | 8 | -24 | 800 | LV | Lake Snell Perry |
| 202 | 3/15-3/21 | 41 | 52 | 7 | -11 | 1,002 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 203 | 3/15-3/17 | 44 | 51 | 5 | -7 | 1,010 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 204 | 3/13-3/14 | 45 | 47 | 8 | -2 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 205 | 3/8-3/10 | 36 | 56 | 8 | -20 | 800 | Adults | NBC News |
| 206 | 3/7-3/10 | 42 | 56 | 2 | -14 | 1,004 | Adults | Gallup |
| 207 | 3/7-3/9 | 39 | 54 | 7 | -15 | 1,000 | RV | Lake Snell Perry |
| 208 | 3/7-3/9 | 40 | 55 | 5 | -15 | 1,000 | RV | Battleground |
| 209 | 3/2-3/7 | 45 | 54 | 1 | -9 | 1,534 | RV | Quinnipiac |
| 210 | March Polls | 39.0 | 54.1 | 6.9 | -15.1 | | | |
| 211 | 2/24-2/28 | 42 | 52 | 6 | -10 | 1,111 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 212 | 2/24-2/27 | 38 | 50 | 13 | -12 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 213 | 2/21-2/24 | 45 | 52 | 3 | -7 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 214 | 2/16-2/21 | 38 | 56 | 6 | -18 | 1,502 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 215 | 2/15-2/17 | 42 | 51 | 7 | -9 | 800 | LV | Greenberg/POS |
| 216 | 2/14-2/16 | 47 | 48 | 5 | -1 | 1,009 | Adults | Marist |

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| 217 | 2/12-2/13 | 45 | 46 | 9 | -1 | 1,000 | RV | Winston Group |
| 218 | 2/10-2/14 | 42 | 48 | 11 | -6 | 1,008 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 219 | 2/7-2/10 | 46 | 52 | 2 | -6 | 1,008 | Adults | Gallup |
| 220 | 2/7-2/9 | 38 | 58 | 4 | -20 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 221 | February Polls | 42.3 | 51.3 | 6.6 | -9.0 | | | |
| 222 | 1/15-1/17 | 40 | 48 | 12 | -8 | 1,033 | Adults | LA Times |
| 223 | 1/14-1/18 | 39 | 56 | 5 | -17 | 1,118 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 224 | 1/13-1/17 | 40 | 47 | 13 | -7 | 1,007 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 225 | 1/12-1/13 | 46 | 49 | 5 | -3 | 1,002 | Adults | Time |
| 226 | 1/11-1/16 | 41 | 50 | 9 | -9 | 1,202 | Adults | Annenberg |
| 227 | 1/5-1/9 | 40 | 54 | 5 | -14 | 1,503 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 228 | 1/3-1/5 | 46 | 53 | 2 | -7 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 229 | 1/3-1/5 | 44 | 51 | 5 | -7 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 230 | January Polls | 42.0 | 51.0 | 7.0 | -9.0 | | | |

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| 3 | 10/10-10/11 | 40 | 56 | 4 | -16 | 900 | LV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 4 | 10/6-10/8 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 5 | 10/6-10/8 | 39 | 56 | 5 | -17 | 1,028 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 6 | 10/5-10/8 | 34 | 60 | 6 | -26 | 983 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 7 | 10/5-10/8 | 39 | 60 | 1 | -21 | 1,204 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 8 | 10/5-10/6 | 33 | 59 | 8 | -26 | 1,004 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 9 | 10/3-10/4 | 36 | 57 | 7 | -21 | 1,002 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 10 | 10/2-10/4 | 39 | 58 | 3 | -19 | 741 | LV | AP/Ipsos |
| 11 | 10/1-10/3 | 43 | 53 | 4 | -10 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 12 | October Polls | 37.8 | 57.6 | 4.7 | -19.8 | | | |
| 13 | 9/30-10/2 | 39 | 56 | 5 | -17 | 802 | RV | NBC News/WSJ |
| 14 | 9/29-10/2 | 39 | 59 | 2 | -20 | 1,014 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 15 | 9/26-9/27 | 42 | 54 | 4 | -12 | 900 | LV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 16 | 9/24-9/27 | 45 | 52 | 3 | -7 | 1,000 | LV | Battleground |
| 17 | 9/24-9/26 | 42 | 56 | 2 | -14 | 423 | LV | Diatego/Hotline |
| 18 | 9/22-9/24 | 42 | 55 | 3 | -13 | 1,009 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 19 | 9/21-10/4 | 37 | 53 | 10 | -16 | 914 | Adults | Pew |
| 20 | 9/21-9/24 | 40 | 50 | 10 | -10 | 950 | RV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 21 | 9/17-9/19 | 44 | 52 | 4 | -8 | 1,006 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 22 | 9/16-9/19 | 45 | 52 | 3 | -7 | 1,517 | Adults | LA Times |
| 23 | 9/15-9/19 | 37 | 56 | 7 | -19 | 1,131 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 24 | 9/15-9/17 | 44 | 51 | 5 | -7 | 1,002 | Adults | Gallup |
| 25 | 9/12-9/13 | 40 | 49 | 11 | -9 | 900 | LV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 26 | 9/11-9/13 | 39 | 60 | 1 | -21 | 1,501 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 27 | 9/8-9/11 | 42 | 53 | 5 | -11 | 1,009 | RV | NBC News/WSJ |
| 28 | 9/7-9/10 | 39 | 56 | 5 | -17 | 1,002 | Adults | Gallup |
| 29 | 9/6-9/10 | 43 | 53 | 4 | -10 | 1,004 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 30 | 9/6-9/10 | 37 | 53 | 10 | -16 | 1,507 | Adults | Pew Research |
| 31 | 9/5-9/7 | 42 | 55 | 3 | -13 | 1,003 | Adults | ABC News |
| 32 | September Polls | 40.9 | 53.9 | 5.1 | -13.0 | | | |
| 33 | 8/30-9/2 | 41 | 55 | 4 | -14 | 1,000 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 34 | 8/29-8/30 | 38 | 56 | 6 | -18 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 35 | 8/25-8/27 | 39 | 55 | 6 | -16 | 801 | RV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 36 | 8/24-8/25 | 36 | 56 | 8 | -20 | 1,002 | Adults | Newsweek |

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| 37 | 8/22-8/24 | 38 | 57 | 5 | -19 | 1,002 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 38 | 8/18-8/21 | 36 | 58 | 6 | -22 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 39 | 8/18-8/20 | 42 | 57 | 1 | -15 | 1,033 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 40 | 8/18-8/20 | 42 | 54 | 4 | -12 | 1,001 | Adults | Gallup |
| 41 | 8/17-8/23 | 39 | 53 | 8 | -14 | 1,080 | Adults | Quinnipiac |
| 42 | 8/17-8/21 | 36 | 57 | 7 | -21 | 1,206 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 43 | 8/11-8/13 | 36 | 57 | 7 | -21 | 974 | Adults | CBS News |
| 44 | 8/10-8/11 | 38 | 55 | 7 | -17 | 1,001 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 45 | 8/9-8/13 | 37 | 54 | 9 | -17 | 1,506 | Adults | Pew Research |
| 46 | 8/9-8/10 | 35 | 58 | 7 | -23 | 1,003 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 47 | 8/8-8/9 | 36 | 56 | 8 | -20 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 48 | 8/7-8/10 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 49 | 8/7-8/9 | 33 | 64 | 3 | -31 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 50 | 8/3-8/6 | 40 | 58 | 2 | -18 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 51 | 8/2-8/3 | 40 | 59 | 1 | -19 | 1,047 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 52 | August Polls | 37.8 | 56.7 | 5.4 | -18.9 | | | |
| 53 | 7/28-8/1 | 40 | 58 | 2 | -18 | 1,478 | Adults | LA Times |
| 54 | 7/28-7/30 | 39 | 51 | 10 | -12 | 809 | RV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 55 | 7/28-7/30 | 40 | 56 | 4 | -16 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 56 | 7/21-7/25 | 36 | 55 | 9 | -19 | 1,127 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 57 | 7/21-7/24 | 39 | 56 | 5 | -17 | 1,010 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 58 | 7/21-7/23 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 59 | 7/20-7/23 | 38 | 59 | 3 | -21 | 800 | RV | Diatego/Hotline |
| 60 | 7/18-7/21 | 35 | 59 | 6 | -24 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 61 | 7/16-7/18 | 42 | 54 | 4 | -12 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 62 | 7/11-7/12 | 36 | 53 | 11 | -17 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 63 | 7/10-7/12 | 36 | 63 | 1 | -27 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 64 | 7/6-7/19 | 36 | 57 | 7 | -21 | 2,003 | Adults | Pew Research |
| 65 | 7/6-7/9 | 40 | 55 | 5 | -15 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 66 | July Polls | 38.0 | 56.5 | 5.5 | -18.5 | | | |
| 67 | 6/27-6/29 | 35 | 59 | 6 | -24 | 1,003 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 68 | 6/27-6/28 | 41 | 50 | 9 | -9 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 69 | 6/25-6/29 | 42 | 54 | 4 | -12 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 70 | 6/24-6/27 | 41 | 56 | 3 | -15 | 1,321 | Adults | LA Times |
| 71 | 6/23-6/25 | 37 | 60 | 3 | -23 | 1,000 | Adults | Gallup |
| 72 | 6/22-6/25 | 38 | 60 | 2 | -22 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |

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| 73 | 6/21-6/25 | 41 | 56 | 3 | -15 | 800 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 74 | 6/18-6/21 | 36 | 57 | 7 | -21 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 75 | 6/14-6/19 | 36 | 54 | 10 | -18 | 1,501 | Adults | Pew Research |
| 76 | 6/14-6/15 | 37 | 53 | 10 | -16 | 1,017 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 77 | 6/13-6/14 | 40 | 52 | 8 | -12 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 78 | 6/10-6/11 | 33 | 60 | 7 | -27 | 659 | Adults | CBS News |
| 79 | 6/9-6/12 | 37 | 58 | 5 | -21 | 1,002 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 80 | 6/9-6/11 | 38 | 56 | 6 | -18 | 1,002 | Adults | Gallup |
| 81 | 6/5-6/7 | 35 | 63 | 2 | -28 | 1,003 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 82 | 6/1-6/4 | 37 | 57 | 6 | -20 | 874 | RV | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 83 | 6/1-6/4 | 36 | 57 | 7 | -21 | 1,002 | Adults | Gallup |
| 84 | June Polls | 37.6 | 56.6 | 5.8 | -18.9 | | | |
| 85 | 5/23-5/30 | 35 | 58 | 7 | -23 | 1,534 | RV | Quinnipiac |
| 86 | 5/18-5/24 | 37 | 58 | 5 | -21 | 1,200 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 87 | 5/18-5/21 | 37 | 61 | 2 | -24 | 801 | RV | Diaego/Hotline |
| 88 | 5/18-5/21 | 32 | 61 | 6 | -29 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 89 | 5/16-5/18 | 35 | 56 | 11 | -21 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 90 | 5/16-5/17 | 36 | 57 | 7 | -21 | 1,022 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 91 | 5/16-5/17 | 35 | 60 | 5 | -25 | 636 | Adults | CBS News |
| 92 | 5/11-5/15 | 33 | 65 | 2 | -32 | 1,103 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 93 | 5/11-5/12 | 35 | 59 | 6 | -24 | 1,007 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 94 | 5/8-5/11 | 33 | 61 | 6 | -28 | 1,002 | Adults | Gallup |
| 95 | 5/5-5/7 | 31 | 65 | 4 | -34 | 1,013 | Adults | Gallup |
| 96 | 5/5-5/7 | 34 | 58 | 8 | -24 | 1,021 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 97 | 5/4-5/8 | 31 | 63 | 6 | -32 | 1,241 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 98 | 5/2-5/3 | 38 | 53 | 11 | -15 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 99 | 5/1-5/3 | 33 | 65 | 2 | -32 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 100 | May Polls | 34.3 | 60.0 | 5.9 | -25.7 | | | |
| 101 | 4/28-4/30 | 33 | 58 | 9 | -25 | 719 | Adults | CBS News |
| 102 | 4/28-4/30 | 34 | 63 | 3 | -29 | 1,011 | Adults | Gallup |
| 103 | 4/27-5/22 | 33 | 56 | 11 | -23 | 1,000 | Adults | Pew Research |
| 104 | 4/27-4/30 | 36 | 59 | 5 | -23 | 1,003 | Adults | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 105 | 4/21-4/24 | 36 | 57 | 7 | -21 | 1,109 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 106 | 4/21-4/23 | 32 | 60 | 8 | -28 | 1,012 | Adults | CNN/Opinion Research |
| 107 | 4/20-4/24 | 40 | 56 | 4 | -16 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 108 | 4/18-4/21 | 34 | 60 | 6 | -26 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |

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| 109 | 4/18-4/19 | 33 | 57 | 10 | -24 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 110 | 4/10-4/13 | 36 | 59 | 5 | -23 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 111 | 4/8-4/11 | 39 | 57 | 4 | -18 | 1,357 | Adults | LA Times |
| 112 | 4/7-4/16 | 35 | 55 | 10 | -20 | 1,501 | Adults | Pew Resarch Center |
| 113 | 4/7-4/9 | 37 | 60 | 3 | -23 | 1,004 | Adults | Gallup |
| 114 | 4/6-4/9 | 37 | 56 | 7 | -19 | 1,000 | Adults | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 115 | 4/6-4/9 | 37 | 56 | 7 | -19 | 899 | Adults | CBS News |
| 116 | 4/6-4/9 | 38 | 60 | 2 | -22 | 1,027 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 117 | 4/4-4/5 | 36 | 53 | 11 | -17 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 118 | 4/3-4/5 | 36 | 62 | 2 | -26 | 1,003 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 119 | April Polls | 35.7 | 58.0 | 6.3 | -22.3 | | | |
| 120 | 3/29-3/30 | 37 | 57 | 6 | -20 | 1,004 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 121 | 3/22-3/23 | 39 | 56 | 5 | -17 | 1,003 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 122 | 3/18-3/21 | 37 | 57 | 6 | -20 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 123 | 3/16-3/20 | 40 | 57 | 3 | -17 | 1,150 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 124 | 3/16-3/17 | 36 | 58 | 6 | -22 | 1,020 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 125 | 3/16-3/17 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 1,000 | Adults | Gallup |
| 126 | 3/14-3/15 | 39 | 51 | 10 | -12 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 127 | 3/12-3/14 | 39 | 58 | 3 | -19 | 800 | LV | NPR/POS/GQR |
| 128 | 3/10-3/13 | 37 | 58 | 5 | -21 | 1,005 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 129 | 3/10-3/12 | 36 | 60 | 4 | -24 | 1,001 | Adults | Gallup |
| 130 | 3/9-3/12 | 34 | 57 | 9 | -23 | 1,136 | Adults | CBS News |
| 131 | 3/8-3/12 | 33 | 57 | 10 | -24 | 1,405 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 132 | 3/6-3/8 | 37 | 60 | 3 | -23 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 133 | 3/2-3/5 | 41 | 58 | 1 | -17 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 134 | March Polls | 37.3 | 57.4 | 5.4 | -20.1 | | | |
| 135 | 2/28-3/1 | 38 | 60 | 2 | -22 | 1,020 | Adults | Gallup |
| 136 | 2/28-3/1 | 39 | 54 | 7 | -15 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 137 | 2/25-3/1 | 38 | 58 | 4 | -20 | 1,273 | Adults | LA Times |
| 138 | 2/23-2/27 | 42 | 55 | 3 | -13 | 1,135 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 139 | 2/23-2/26 | 40 | 54 | 6 | -14 | 1,000 | Adults | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 140 | 2/22-2/26 | 34 | 59 | 7 | -25 | 1,018 | Adults | CBS News |
| 141 | 2/21-2/28 | 36 | 58 | 6 | -22 | 1,892 | RV | Quinnipiac |
| 142 | 2/16-2/19 | 45 | 52 | 3 | -7 | 807 | RV | Diago/Hotline |
| 143 | 2/15-2/16 | 40 | 54 | 6 | -14 | 1,001 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 144 | 2/13-2/15 | 40 | 57 | 3 | -17 | 1,132 | Adults | Marist |

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| 145 | 2/12-2/15 | 46 | 52 | 2 | -6 | 1,000 | LV | Battleground |
| 146 | 2/9-2/12 | 39 | 56 | 5 | -17 | 1,000 | Adults | Gallup |
| 147 | 2/7-2/8 | 44 | 47 | 9 | -3 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 148 | 2/6-2/9 | 42 | 55 | 3 | -13 | 1,002 | Adults | Gallup |
| 149 | 2/6-2/8 | 40 | 57 | 3 | -17 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 150 | 2/1-2/5 | 40 | 52 | 8 | -12 | 1,502 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 151 | February Polls | 40.2 | 55.0 | 4.8 | -14.8 | | | |
| 152 | 1/26-1/29 | 39 | 54 | 7 | -15 | 1,011 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 153 | 1/24-1/26 | 41 | 55 | 4 | -14 | 1,002 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 154 | 1/24-1/25 | 41 | 51 | 8 | -10 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 155 | 1/23-1/26 | 42 | 56 | 2 | -14 | 1,002 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 156 | 1/22-1/125 | 47 | 50 | 3 | -3 | 1,000 | Adults | Cook/RT Strategies |
| 157 | 1/22-1/25 | 43 | 54 | 3 | -11 | 1,555 | Adults | LA Times |
| 158 | 1/20-1/25 | 42 | 51 | 7 | -9 | 1,229 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 159 | 1/20-1/22 | 43 | 54 | 3 | -11 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 160 | 1/12-1/15 | 46 | 53 | 1 | -7 | 806 | RV | Diago/Hotline |
| 161 | 1/9-1/12 | 43 | 53 | 4 | -10 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 162 | 1/10-1/11 | 42 | 49 | 9 | -7 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 163 | 1/6-1/8 | 43 | 54 | 3 | -11 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 164 | 1/5-1/8 | 46 | 52 | 2 | -6 | 1,001 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 165 | 1/5-1/8 | 41 | 52 | 7 | -11 | 1,151 | Adults | CBS News |
| 166 | 1/4-1/8 | 38 | 54 | 8 | -16 | 1,503 | Adults | Pew Research |
| 167 | 1/3-1/5 | 40 | 59 | 1 | -19 | 1,001 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 168 | January Polls | 42.3 | 53.2 | 4.5 | -10.9 | | | |
| 169 | 12/19-12/22 | 43 | 53 | 4 | -10 | 1,000 | Adults | Gallup |
| 170 | 12/16-12/18 | 41 | 56 | 3 | -15 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 171 | 12/15-12/18 | 47 | 52 | 1 | -5 | 1,003 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 172 | 12/15-12/18 | 40 | 56 | 4 | -16 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 173 | 12/15, 12/17-12/18 | 44 | 54 | 2 | -10 | 800 | LV | NPR/POS/GQR |
| 174 | 12/13-12/14 | 42 | 51 | 7 | -9 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 175 | 12/12-12/13 | 50 | 47 | 3 | 3 | 813 | RV | Diago/Hotline |
| 176 | 12/9-12/12 | 39 | 55 | 6 | -16 | 1,006 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 177 | 12/9-12/11 | 42 | 55 | 3 | -13 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 178 | 12/8-12/11 | 42 | 55 | 3 | -13 | 1,000 | Adults | RT Strategies |
| 179 | 12/5/-12/8 | 43 | 52 | 5 | -9 | 1,013 | Adults | Gallup |
| 180 | 12/5/-12/7 | 42 | 57 | 1 | -15 | 1,002 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |

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| 181 | 12/2-12/6 | 40 | 53 | 7 | -13 | 1,155 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 182 | December Polls | 42.7 | 53.5 | 3.8 | -10.8 | | | |
| 183 | 11/30-12/4 | 41 | 54 | 5 | -13 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 184 | 11/29-12/1 | 41 | 53 | 6 | -12 | 1,004 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 185 | 11/29-11/30 | 42 | 48 | 10 | -6 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 186 | 11/28-12/4 | 40 | 54 | 6 | -14 | 1,230 | RV | Quinnipiac |
| 187 | 11/19-11/22 | 36 | 58 | 6 | -22 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 188 | 11/17-11/20 | 41 | 52 | 7 | -11 | 1,001 | Adults | RT Strategies |
| 189 | 11/16-11/20 | 42 | 56 | 2 | -14 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 190 | 11/11-11/15 | 39 | 59 | 2 | -20 | 700 | RV | Diatego/Hotline |
| 191 | 11/11-11/13 | 37 | 60 | 3 | -23 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 192 | 11/10-11/11 | 36 | 58 | 6 | -22 | 1,002 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 193 | 11/8-11/9 | 36 | 53 | 11 | -17 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 194 | 11/7-11/9 | 37 | 61 | 2 | -24 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 195 | 11/4-11/7 | 38 | 57 | 5 | -19 | 1,003 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 196 | 11/3-11/6 | 36 | 55 | 9 | -19 | 1,201 | Adults | Pew Research |
| 197 | November Polls | 39.2 | 55.4 | 5.4 | -16.2 | | | |
| 198 | 10/31-11/2 | 37 | 59 | 4 | -22 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 199 | 10/30-11/2 | 39 | 60 | 1 | -21 | 1,202 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 200 | 10/30-11/1 | 35 | 57 | 8 | -22 | 936 | Adults | CBS News |
| 201 | 10/28-10/30 | 41 | 56 | 3 | -15 | 1,008 | Adults | Gallup |
| 202 | 10/28-10/29 | 39 | 58 | 3 | -19 | 600 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 203 | 10/25-10/26 | 41 | 51 | 8 | -10 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 204 | 10/21-10/23 | 42 | 55 | 3 | -13 | 1,008 | Adults | Gallup |
| 205 | 10/18-10/21 | 38 | 55 | 7 | -17 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 206 | 10/13-10/16 | 39 | 58 | 3 | -19 | 1,012 | Adults | Gallup |
| 207 | 10/12-10/24 | 40 | 52 | 8 | -12 | 1,003 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 208 | 10/12-10/17 | 41 | 53 | 6 | -12 | 1,053 | Adults | Marist |
| 209 | 10/12-10/16 | 41 | 57 | 2 | -16 | 500 | RV | Diatego/Hotline |
| 210 | 10/11-10/12 | 40 | 51 | 9 | -11 | 900 | LV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 211 | 10/9-10/12 | 44 | 54 | 2 | -10 | 1,000 | RV | GWU-Battleground |
| 212 | 10/8-10/10 | 39 | 54 | 7 | -15 | 807 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 213 | 10/6-10/10 | 38 | 56 | 6 | -18 | 1,500 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 214 | 10/5-10/10 | 42 | 54 | 4 | -12 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 215 | 10/3-10/5 | 39 | 58 | 3 | -19 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 216 | 10/3-10/5 | 37 | 58 | 5 | -21 | 808 | Adults | CBS News |

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| 217 | October Polls | 39.6 | 55.6 | 4.8 | -16.0 | | | |
| 218 | 9/29-9/30 | 40 | 53 | 7 | -13 | 1,004 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 219 | 9/27-9/28 | 45 | 47 | 8 | -2 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 220 | 9/26-9/28 | 45 | 50 | 5 | -5 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 221 | 9/19-9/21 | 43 | 53 | 4 | -10 | 1,000 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 222 | 9/16-9/18 | 40 | 57 | 3 | -17 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 223 | 9/16-9/18 | 40 | 58 | 2 | -18 | 818 | Adults | Gallup |
| 224 | 9/13-9/14 | 41 | 51 | 8 | -10 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 225 | 9/9-9/13 | 41 | 53 | 6 | -12 | 1,167 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 226 | 9/9-9/12 | 40 | 55 | 5 | -15 | 1,013 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 227 | 9/8-9/11 | 46 | 51 | 3 | -5 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 228 | 9/8-9/11 | 42 | 57 | 1 | -15 | 1,201 | Adults | ABC News/Washington Post |
| 229 | 9/8-9/11 | 40 | 52 | 8 | -12 | 1,523 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 230 | 9/8-9/9 | 38 | 55 | 7 | -17 | 1,009 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 231 | 9/7-9/8 | 42 | 52 | 6 | -10 | 1,000 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 232 | 9/6-9/8 | 39 | 59 | 2 | -20 | 1,002 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 233 | 9/6-9/7 | 42 | 52 | 6 | -10 | 725 | Adults | CBS News |
| 234 | 9/6-9/7 | 40 | 59 | 1 | -19 | 1,157 | LV | Zogby |
| 235 | 9/6-9/7 | 40 | 52 | 8 | -12 | 1,000 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 236 | September Polls | 41.3 | 53.7 | 5.0 | -12.3 | | | |
| 237 | 8/30-8/31 | 45 | 50 | 5 | -5 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 238 | 8/29-8/31 | 41 | 51 | 8 | -10 | 871 | Adults | CBS News |
| 239 | 8/28-8/30 | 45 | 52 | 3 | -7 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 240 | 8/25-8/28 | 45 | 53 | 2 | -8 | 1,006 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 241 | 8/22-8/25 | 40 | 56 | 4 | -16 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 242 | 8/18-8/21 | 36 | 58 | 6 | -22 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 243 | 8/9-8/16 | 40 | 58 | 2 | -18 | 1,217 | Adults | Harris |
| 244 | 8/8-8/11 | 45 | 51 | 4 | -6 | 1,000 | Adults | Gallup |
| 245 | 8/5-8/7 | 45 | 51 | 4 | -6 | 1,004 | Adults | Gallup |
| 246 | 8/2-8/4 | 42 | 51 | 7 | -9 | 1,004 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 247 | 8/1-8/3 | 42 | 55 | 3 | -13 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 248 | August Polls | 42.4 | 53.3 | 4.4 | -10.9 | | | |
| 249 | 7/29-8/2 | 45 | 46 | 9 | -1 | 1,222 | Adults | CBS News |
| 250 | 7/26-7/30 | 45 | 55 | 5 | -10 | 1,042 | LV | Zogby |
| 251 | 7/25-7/28 | 44 | 51 | 5 | -7 | 1,010 | Adults | Gallup |
| 252 | 7/26-7/27 | 47 | 44 | 9 | 3 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |

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| 253 | 7/22-7/24 | 49 | 48 | 3 | 1 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 254 | 7/21-7/25 | 41 | 53 | 6 | -12 | 920 | RV | Quinnipiac |
| 255 | 7/19-7/25 | 45 | 52 | 3 | -7 | 1,001 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 256 | 7/18-7/21 | 42 | 52 | 6 | -10 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 257 | 7/13-7/17 | 44 | 48 | 8 | -4 | 1,502 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 258 | 7/13-7/14 | 45 | 50 | 5 | -5 | 632 | Adults | CBS News |
| 259 | 7/12-7/13 | 47 | 47 | 6 | 0 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 260 | 7/11-7/13 | 42 | 56 | 1 | -14 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 261 | 7/8-7/11 | 46 | 49 | 5 | -3 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 262 | 7/7-7/11 | 49 | 47 | 5 | 2 | 825 | LV | NPR/POS/GQR |
| 263 | 7/7-7/10 | 49 | 49 | 2 | 0 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 264 | 7/7-7/10 | 47 | 46 | 7 | 1 | 964 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 265 | 7/7-7/10 | 49 | 48 | 3 | 1 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 266 | July Polls | 45.6 | 49.5 | 5.2 | -3.8 | | | |
| 267 | 6/29-6/30 | 46 | 51 | 3 | -5 | 883 | Adults | Gallup |
| 268 | 6/27-6/29 | 43 | 56 | 1 | -13 | 905 | LV | Zogby |
| 269 | 6/23-6/26 | 48 | 51 | 1 | -3 | 1,004 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 270 | 6/20-6/26 | 48 | 50 | 3 | -2 | 1,078 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 271 | 6/20-6/22 | 44 | 56 | 1 | -12 | 900 | LV | Zogby |
| 272 | 6/19-6/22 | 42 | 53 | 5 | -11 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 273 | 6/16-6/19 | 47 | 51 | 2 | -4 | 1,009 | Adults | Gallup |
| 274 | 6/14-6/15 | 48 | 43 | 9 | 5 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 275 | 6/10-6/15 | 42 | 51 | 7 | -9 | 1,111 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 276 | 6/8-6/12 | 42 | 49 | 10 | -7 | 1,000 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 277 | 6/7-6/12 | 45 | 55 | 1 | -10 | 1,015 | Adults | Harris |
| 278 | 6/6-6/8 | 47 | 49 | 4 | -2 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 279 | 6/6-6/8 | 43 | 55 | 1 | -12 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 280 | 6/2-6/5 | 48 | 52 | 1 | -4 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 281 | 6/2-6/5 | 51 | 44 | 6 | 7 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 282 | June Polls | 45.6 | 51.1 | 3.7 | -5.5 | | | |
| 283 | 5/23-5/26 | 48 | 47 | 5 | 1 | 1,004 | Adults | Gallup |
| 284 | 5/23-5/25 | 46 | 53 | 2 | -7 | 900 | LV | Zogby |
| 285 | 5/20-5/24 | 46 | 48 | 6 | -2 | 1,100 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 286 | 5/20-5/22 | 46 | 50 | 4 | -4 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 287 | 5/18-5/23 | 44 | 50 | 6 | -6 | 1,104 | Adults | Quinnipiac |
| 288 | 5/17-5/23 | 49 | 50 | 1 | -1 | 1,013 | LV | Democracy Corps |

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| 289 | 5/15-5/18 | 43 | 51 | 6 | -8 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 290 | 5/12-5/16 | 47 | 47 | 6 | 0 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 291 | 5/11-5/15 | 43 | 50 | 7 | -7 | 1,000 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 292 | 5/10-5/12 | 46 | 47 | 7 | -1 | 1,011 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 293 | 5/2-5/5 | 50 | 45 | 5 | 5 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 294 | 5/2-5/4 | 47 | 51 | 2 | -4 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 295 | May Polls | 46.3 | 49.1 | 4.8 | -2.8 | | | |
| 296 | 4/29-5/1 | 48 | 49 | 3 | -1 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 297 | 4/28-5/1 | 48 | 47 | 4 | 1 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 298 | 4/25-4/26 | 47 | 43 | 10 | 4 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 299 | 4/21-4/24 | 47 | 50 | 3 | -3 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 300 | 4/18-4/21 | 48 | 49 | 3 | -1 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 301 | 4/18-4/21 | 47 | 50 | 4 | -3 | 1,007 | Adults | Marist |
| 302 | 4/16-4/19 | 44 | 50 | 6 | -6 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 303 | 4/15-4/19 | 46 | 53 | 1 | -7 | 900 | LV | Zogby |
| 304 | 4/13-4/19 | 48 | 49 | 3 | -1 | 1,058 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 305 | 4/13-4/16 | 44 | 51 | 5 | -7 | 1,000 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 306 | 4/5-4/10 | 44 | 56 | 1 | -12 | 1,000 | Adults | Harris |
| 307 | 4/4-4/7 | 50 | 45 | 5 | 5 | 1,010 | Adults | Gallup |
| 308 | 4/4-4/6 | 44 | 54 | 1 | -10 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 309 | 4/1-4/2 | 48 | 48 | 4 | 0 | 1,040 | Adults | Gallup |
| 310 | April Polls | 46.6 | 49.6 | 3.8 | -2.9 | | | |
| 311 | 3/31-4/3 | 48 | 46 | 6 | 2 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 312 | 3/31-4/3 | 45 | 51 | 4 | -6 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 313 | 3/29-3/30 | 49 | 46 | 5 | 3 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 314 | 3/22-3/24 | 48 | 46 | 6 | 2 | 1,000 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 315 | 3/21-3/22 | 43 | 48 | 9 | -5 | 1,000 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 316 | 3/21-3/23 | 45 | 49 | 6 | -4 | 1,040 | Adults | Gallup |
| 317 | 3/18-3/20 | 52 | 44 | 4 | 8 | 1,001 | Adults | Gallup |
| 318 | 3/17-3/21 | 45 | 46 | 9 | -1 | 1,000 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 319 | 3/17-3/17 | 45 | 48 | 7 | -3 | 1,010 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 320 | 3/15-3/21 | 51 | 47 | 2 | 4 | 1,002 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 321 | 3/15-3/17 | 53 | 43 | 4 | 10 | 1,000 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 322 | 3/14-3/17 | 47 | 48 | 5 | -1 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 323 | 3/10-3/13 | 50 | 48 | 3 | 2 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 324 | 3/7-3/10 | 52 | 44 | 4 | 8 | 909 | Adults | Gallup |

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| 325 | 3/7-3/9 | 48 | 50 | 2 | -2 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 326 | 3/7-3/9 | 53 | 44 | 4 | 9 | 1,000 | RV | Battleground |
| 327 | 3/2-3/7 | 45 | 48 | 7 | -3 | 1,104 | Adults | Quinnipiac |
| 328 | 3/1-3/2 | 52 | 39 | 9 | 13 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 329 | March Polls | 48.4 | 46.4 | 5.3 | 2.0 | | | |
| 330 | 2/25-2/27 | 46 | 54 | 1 | -8 | 900 | LV | Zogby |
| 331 | 2/25-2/27 | 52 | 45 | 3 | 7 | 1,008 | Adults | Gallup |
| 332 | 2/24-2/28 | 49 | 44 | 7 | 5 | 1,111 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 333 | 2/24-2/27 | 52 | 46 | 2 | 6 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 334 | 2/21-2/24 | 51 | 45 | 4 | 6 | 1,003 | Adults | Gallup |
| 335 | 2/16-2/21 | 46 | 47 | 7 | -1 | 1,000 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 336 | 2/15-2/17 | 50 | 47 | 3 | 3 | 800 | LV | Greenberg/POS |
| 337 | 2/14-2/17 | 49 | 50 | 1 | -1 | 900 | LV | Zogby |
| 338 | 2/14-2/17 | 49 | 45 | 6 | 4 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 339 | 2/14-2/16 | 51 | 45 | 4 | 6 | 1,009 | Adults | Marist |
| 340 | 2/13-2/17 | 51 | 46 | 3 | 5 | 1,001 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 341 | 2/10-2/14 | 50 | 45 | 5 | 5 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |
| 342 | 2/8-2/13 | 48 | 51 | 1 | -3 | 1,000 | Adults | Harris |
| 343 | 2/8-2/9 | 51 | 43 | 7 | 8 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 344 | 2/7-2/10 | 49 | 48 | 3 | 1 | 1,006 | Adults | Gallup |
| 345 | 2/7-2/9 | 45 | 54 | 1 | -9 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 346 | 2/4-2/6 | 57 | 40 | 3 | 17 | 1,010 | Adults | Gallup |
| 347 | 2/3-2/6 | 49 | 48 | 3 | 1 | 1,236 | Adults | Harvard/Kaiser |
| 348 | 2/3-2/4 | 50 | 42 | 8 | 8 | 1,000 | Adults | Newsweek |
| 349 | February Polls | 49.7 | 46.6 | 3.8 | 3.2 | | | |
| 350 | 1/26-1/31 | 50 | 45 | 5 | 5 | 1,000 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 351 | 1/25-1/31 | 48 | 45 | 7 | 3 | 1,000 | Adults | Quinnipiac |
| 352 | 1/25-1/27 | 51 | 46 | 3 | 5 | 800 | RV | Westhill/Hotline |
| 353 | 1/25-1/26 | 50 | 40 | 10 | 10 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 354 | 1/18-1/21 | 48 | 51 | 1 | -3 | 900 | LV | Zogby |
| 355 | 1/16-1/20 | 51 | 47 | 2 | 4 | 998 | LV | Democracy Corps |
| 356 | 1/15-1/17 | 50 | 47 | 3 | 3 | 1,033 | Adults | LA Times |
| 357 | 1/14-1/18 | 49 | 46 | 5 | 3 | 1,100 | Adults | CBS News/NYT |
| 358 | 1/14-1/17 | 51 | 44 | 5 | 7 | 1,100 | Adults | ARG |
| 359 | 1/14-1/16 | 51 | 46 | 3 | 5 | 1,007 | Adults | Gallup |
| 360 | 1/13-1/17 | 50 | 44 | 6 | 6 | 1,000 | Adults | NBC News/WSJ |

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| 361 | 1/12-1/16 | 52 | 46 | 2 | 6 | 1,004 | Adults | ABC News/WP |
| 362 | 1/12-1/13 | 53 | 43 | 3 | 10 | 1,000 | Adults | Time/SRBI |
| 363 | 1/11-1/16 | 53 | 43 | 4 | 10 | 1,202 | Adults | Annenberg |
| 364 | 1/11-1/12 | 52 | 41 | 7 | 11 | 900 | RV | FOX News/Opinion Dynamics |
| 365 | 1/7-1/9 | 52 | 44 | 4 | 8 | 1,008 | Adults | Gallup |
| 366 | 1/5-1/9 | 50 | 43 | 7 | 7 | 964 | Adults | Pew Research Center |
| 367 | 1/3-1/5 | 52 | 44 | 4 | 8 | 1,005 | Adults | Gallup |
| 368 | 1/3-1/5 | 49 | 49 | 2 | 0 | 1,000 | Adults | AP/Ipsos |
| 369 | January Polls | 50.6 | 44.9 | 4.4 | 5.7 | | | |

Senate Polls
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| 1 | Date | Source | DEM | | GOP | | | | |
| 2 | <i>Arizona</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | 9/26-10/3 | Rocky Mountain Poll | 36% | Pederson | 45% | Kyl | | | |
| 4 | 9/21-9/25 | Zogby | 44% | Pederson | 51% | Kyl | | | |
| 5 | 9/21-9/24 | KAET-ASU | 38% | Pederson | 49% | Kyl | | | |
| 6 | 9/19-9/21 | POS | 44% | Pederson | 48% | Kyl | | | |
| 7 | 9/4-9/6 | Harstad Research (D) | 41% | Pederson | 47% | Kyl | | | |
| 8 | 8/29-9/5 | Zogby | 44% | Pederson | 50% | Kyl | | | |
| 9 | 8/29-8/31 | POS | 41% | Pederson | 50% | Kyl | | | |
| 10 | 8/24-8/29 | KAET-ASU | 36% | Pederson | 46% | Kyl | | | |
| 11 | 8/15-8/21 | Zogby | 44% | Pederson | 48% | Kyl | | | |
| 12 | 7/11-7/19 | Zogby | 42% | Pederson | 50% | Kyl | | | |
| 13 | 7/1-7/15 | Behavior Research Ctr. | 27% | Pederson | 45% | Kyl | | | |
| 14 | 6/15-6/18 | KAET-ASU | 29% | Pederson | 43% | Kyl | | | |
| 15 | 6/13-6/19 | Zogby | 42% | Pederson | 48% | Kyl | | | |
| 16 | 5/23-5/25 | POS | 40% | Pederson | 52% | Kyl | | | |
| 17 | 4/20-4/23 | KAET-ASU | 31% | Pederson | 42% | Kyl | | | |
| 18 | 3/22-3/27 | Zogby | 42% | Pederson | 47% | Kyl | | | |
| 19 | 1/12-1/16 | Zogby | 42% | Pederson | 52% | Kyl | | | |
| 20 | 1/5-1/8 | Behavior Research Ctr. | 26% | Pederson | 55% | Kyl | | | |
| 21 | 11/13-11/15/05 | V/CR for NRSC | 13% | Pederson | 52% | Kyl | | | |
| 22 | 10/25-10/31 | Zogby | 42% | Pederson | 52% | Kyl | | | |
| 23 | 10/20-10/23 | KAET-ASU | 28% | Pederson | 50% | Kyl | | | |
| 24 | 9/16-9/21 | Zogby | 42% | Pederson | 51% | Kyl | | | |
| 25 | | | | | | | | | |
| 26 | <i>California</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 27 | 9/25-9/28 | Mason-Dixon | 53% | Feinstein | 23% | Mountjoy | | | |
| 28 | 9/23-9/28 | LA Times | 54% | Feinstein | 36% | Mountjoy | | | |
| 29 | 9/14-9/24 | Field Poll | 57% | Feinstein | 29% | Mountjoy | | | |
| 30 | 9/12-9/15 | Datamar | 49% | Feinstein | 38% | Mountjoy | | | |
| 31 | 5/20-5/25 | LA Times | 59% | Feinstein | 30% | Mountjoy | | | |