

Latino Victory Project/LD Latino Battleground Poll July 23, 2016

I am going to read a list of names, for each one, please tell me if you have a favorable or unfavorable view of that person. [Follow up with “and is that very favorable/unfavorable, or just somewhat favorable/unfavorable”]

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfave	Very Unfave	TOTAL FAVE	TOTAL UNFAVE	Haven't Heard of	No opinion / DK
1. President Barack Obama	47%	28%	8%	15%	75%	23%	0%	2%
2. Democratic Presidential Candidate, Hillary Clinton	30%	32%	12%	24%	62%	36%	0%	2%
3. Republican Presidential Candidate, Donald Trump	8%	12%	10%	68%	20%	78%	0%	2%
4. Mike Pence, Republican candidate for vice-president	8%	16%	16%	26%	24%	43%	25%	8%

5. If the 2016 election for President was held today and the candidates were [ROTATE: Republican Donald Trump and Democrat Hillary Clinton] who would you most likely vote for? [IF CANDIDATE:] Would you say you are certain to vote [ANSWER] or could change your mind? [IF UNDECIDED:] Well, if you had to choose, who would you lean towards?

Trump - certain	16%
Trump - not-certain	2%
Undecided - lean Trump	5%
Clinton – certain	56%
Clinton - not-certain	7%
Undecided - lean Clinton	8%
TOTAL TRUMP	24%
TOTAL CLINTON	71%
Undecided / Don't know	5%

6. Which of these two statements is closer to your view? [ROTATE]

On the issues that are most important to me, I agree more with the Republican Party	26%
On the issues that are most important to me, I agree more with the Democratic Party	64%
Neither	9%
Don't know	1%

Now I am going to ask you about different policies and issues that are being discussed in this election season. [RANDOMIZE ORDER 8 – 20].

When it comes to guns, do you agree or disagree with the following statements:

7. Congress should not consider any new laws restricting gun ownership

Agree	40%
Disagree	58%
Neither/Don't know	2%

8. People should be required to pass a background check in order to buy a gun.

Agree	95%
Disagree	5%
Neither/Don't know	-

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9. America will be more safe if more people own and carry guns.

Agree	32%
Disagree	65%
Neither/Don't know	3%

10. There should be a ban on assault weapon sales.

Agree	67%
Disagree	32%
Neither/Don't know	2%

11. When it comes to the environment, which of the following two statements is closer to your view? [ROTATE]

Environmental protection policies hurt business and there is not enough evidence that climate change or global warming are real. 16%

Congress should address climate change by supporting clean energy technology and jobs 80%

Neither	3%
Don't know	1%

12. When it comes to immigration, which of the following two statements is closer to your view? [ROTATE]

All undocumented immigrants now living in the United States should be deported. 13%

Congress should pass immigration reform to create a pathway to citizenship, keep families together, and enable millions of workers to come out of the shadows. 82%

Neither	4%
Don't know	1%

13. When it comes to health care, which of these two statements is closer to your view? [ROTATE]

The Affordable Health Care Act is mostly working well. It should remain in place and improved by lowering out-of-pocket costs. 59%

The Affordable Health Care Act is not working and should be completely repealed. People should not be required to have health insurance. 35%

Neither	4%
Don't know	2%

14. Which of the following is closer to your view? [ROTATE]

We should have law that temporarily bans Muslims from other countries from entering the United States 26%

A religious test that singles out Muslims, or any religious group, from being in the U.S. is against American values and our Constitution 57%

Neither	13%
Don't know	4%

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When it comes to workplace policies, do you agree or disagree with the following? Is that strong/somewhat?

15. The minimum wage should be at least \$15 an hour.

Strongly agree	45%
Somewhat agree	22%
Somewhat disagree	16%
Strongly disagree	16%
TOTAL AGREE	68%
TOTAL DISAGREE	31%
Neither / Don't know	1%

16. Employers should offer paid leave to parents of new children and employees caring for sick family members.

Strongly agree	61%
Somewhat agree	25%
Somewhat disagree	7%
Strongly disagree	4%
TOTAL AGREE	86%
TOTAL DISAGREE	11%
Neither / Don't know	3%

17. We should strengthen laws to ensure women get paid the same as men if they do equal work.

Strongly agree	80%
Somewhat agree	13%
Somewhat disagree	3%
Strongly disagree	3%
TOTAL AGREE	94%
TOTAL DISAGREE	6%
Neither / Don't know	1%

18. When it comes to reproductive rights, which of the following two statements is closer to your view? [ROTATE]

Laws should not interfere with women's access to reproductive health care, including contraception and safe, legal abortion. 68%

Abortion should be illegal in all cases, and providers like Planned Parenthood should not be funded 25%

Neither	6%
Don't know	1%

19. When it comes to taxes, which of the following two statements is closer to your view? [ROTATE]

Corporations should have lower tax rates and should also get tax credits when they pay taxes in foreign countries where they do business. 18%

Our tax code should reward businesses that make investments and provide good-paying jobs here in the United States, not businesses that look for tax loopholes outside the United States 73%

Neither	6%
Don't know	3%

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Thinking about the presidential candidates, Republican Donald Trump and Democrat Hillary Clinton, which candidate do you think would be best at dealing with the following issues: [RANDOMIZE ORDER].

	Hillary Clinton	Donald Trump	Neither/ No difference	Don't Know
20. Protecting America from terrorist attacks	57%	29%	12%	2%
21. Criminal justice reform	64%	23%	11%	2%
22. Choosing the next members of the Supreme Court	65%	21%	12%	2%
23. Improving the economy and creating more jobs	57%	32%	10%	1%
24. Regulating big banks and Wall Street reform	55%	28%	14%	3%
25. Making college more affordable	71%	16%	12%	1%
26. Representing the United States around the world	70%	19%	10%	1%

[SPLIT A and B] 27a. When Republican candidates say they disagree with Donald Trump on many things but will still support and vote for Trump, does that make you more or less likely to vote for those candidates?

Much more likely to vote for	10%
Somewhat more likely to vote for	12%
Somewhat less likely to vote for	18%
Much less likely to vote for	44%
Have no effect	15%
Don't know	2%
Total MORE likely vote	22%
Total LESS likely vote	62%

27b. When Republican candidates say that even though they are members of the Republican Party, they refuse to support or vote for Donald Trump to become the next President, does that make you more or less likely to vote for those candidates?

Much more likely to vote for	18%
Somewhat more likely to vote for	15%
Somewhat less likely to vote for	14%
Much less likely to vote for	25%
Have no effect	25%
Don't know	3%
Total MORE likely vote	33%
Total LESS likely vote	39%

28. Which statement do you agree with most?

Hillary Clinton is the best candidate to unite all Americans of all backgrounds	75%
Donald Trump is the best candidate to unite all Americans of all backgrounds	19%
Don't know	5%

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Do you agree or disagree with the following statements [follow up is that strongly or somewhat]?
[29 and 30 Rotate, SPLIT A and B]

29a. Donald Trump's campaign has encouraged audiences to be angry and hostile toward Latinos, Muslims, and immigrants.

Strongly agree	60%
Somewhat agree	14%
Somewhat disagree	7%
Strongly disagree	17%
TOTAL AGREE	75%
TOTAL DISAGREE	24%
Neither / Don't know	2%

29b. Donald Trump's campaign has made people more openly hostile to Latinos, Muslims, and immigrants.

Strongly agree	57%
Somewhat agree	19%
Somewhat disagree	8%
Strongly disagree	15%
TOTAL AGREE	76%
TOTAL DISAGREE	23%
Neither / Don't know	1%

30a. Donald Trump's campaign events have been violent and dangerous.

Strongly agree	54%
Somewhat agree	19%
Somewhat disagree	12%
Strongly disagree	13%
TOTAL AGREE	73%
TOTAL DISAGREE	25%
Neither / Don't know	2%

30b. The United States is angrier and more divided on racial issues because of Donald Trump's campaign.

Strongly agree	52%
Somewhat agree	19%
Somewhat disagree	10%
Strongly disagree	18%
TOTAL AGREE	71%
TOTAL DISAGREE	28%
Neither / Don't know	1%

[ROTATE 31/32 and SPLIT A/B]

31a. In your opinion, if Hillary Clinton is elected President, will she stand up for, and support people like you?

Yes	71%
No	26%
Don't know	3%

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31b. In your opinion, if Hillary Clinton is elected President, will she stand up for, and support the Latino community?

Yes	71%
No	26%
Don't know	2%

32a. In your opinion, if Donald Trump is elected President, will he stand up for and support people like you?

Yes	27%
No	69%
Don't know	4%

32b. In your opinion, if Donald Trump is elected President, will he stand up for and support the Latino community?

Yes	23%
No	76%
Don't know	1%

33. Thinking ahead to the November 2016 election, are you MORE enthusiastic about voting in 2016, or were you more enthusiastic about voting back in 2012?

More enthusiastic about 2016	36%
More enthusiastic back in 2012	46%
No difference / same level	17%
Don't know	1%

34. [IF Q33 = YES] What is different about 2016 that makes you more enthusiastic to vote this time? [Code to list, ALLOW MULTIPLE ANSWERS]

Stop Trump / fight back racism / for Latinos	35%
Want to elect Clinton	22%
Want to elect Trump	12%
Want to elect first woman president	14%
Want to stop Clinton	6%
Other	36%
Don't know	3%

35. Thinking back over all the times you have voted, have you ever voted for a Republican candidate in any local, state, or national election?

Yes	45%
No	54%
Don't recall / Don't know	1%

37. Thinking back over all the times you have voted, have you ever voted for a Democratic candidate in any local, state, or national election?

Yes	81%
No	18%
Don't recall / Don't know	0%

Methodology

On behalf of Latino Victory Project, Latino Decisions interviewed a total of 800 Latino registered voters between July 18 – July 22, 2016. Surveys were implemented proportional to the size of the Latino electorate across the following battleground states: Arizona, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Iowa, Michigan, North Carolina, Nevada, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Virginia, and Wisconsin. Interviews were conducted in English or Spanish, according to the respondent's choice. Surveys were completed using a blended sample that included online surveys, and live telephone interviews on landlines and cell phones. The sample carries a margin of error of +/-3.5 percentage points.