Youth Engagement Fund Poll - Wave 2 - Frequency Table

Q1A_w2 How likely is it that you personally will vote in the 2012 election?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|--------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Extremely likely | 53.1 |
| | 2 Very likely | 15.6 |
| | 3 Somewhat likely | 9.4 |
| | 4 Not likely | 6.1 |
| | 5 Not very likely at all | 11.3 |
| | 6 Don't know | 4.6 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| | System | |
| | Total | |
| Total | | |

Q1B_w2 Voting is a right of all American citizens age 18 and older. How likely is it that you personally will vote in the 2012 election?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|--------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Extremely likely | 55.1 |
| | 2 Very likely | 11.3 |
| | 3 Somewhat likely | 10.2 |
| | 4 Not likely | 7.1 |
| | 5 Not very likely at all | 11.2 |
| | 6 Don't know | 5.1 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| | System | |
| | Total | |
| Total | | |

Q1C_w2 What is the likelihood of your voting in the elections to be held this November?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|--------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Extremely likely | 53.8 |
| | 2 Very likely | 11.9 |
| | 3 Somewhat likely | 13.4 |
| | 4 Not likely | 3.1 |
| | 5 Not very likely at all | 14.1 |
| | 6 Don't know | 3.7 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

| Missing | -1 Refused |
|---------|------------|
| | System |
| | Total |
| Total | |

Q6_w2 How much attention have you paid to the coming elections this November -- a lot, some, not much, or no attention so far?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|---------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 A lot | 23.2 |
| | 2 Some | 47.8 |
| | 3 Not much | 21.5 |
| | 4 None so far | 7.5 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q7_w2 Which of the following best describes why you personally are following the elections?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|--|---------------|
| Valid | 1 I am excited about a particular candidate | 14.6 |
| | 2 I care a lot about a particular issue | 12.6 |
| | 3 I feel that this election is really important | 40.4 |
| | 4 I want change | 15.8 |
| | 5 I will be voting for the first time in this election | 7.9 |
| | 6 Other or Don't know | 8.7 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| | System | |
| | Total | |
| Total | | |

Q8_w2 In general, do you think things in the country are moving in the right direction or the wrong direction?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|-------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Right direction | 31.2 |
| | 2 Wrong direction | 44.0 |
| | 3 Don't know | 24.8 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q8B_w2only If a political candidate is relatively young and seems aware of youth trends in things like music, how does that generally make you feel?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|---|---------------|
| Valid | 1 More interested in supporting the candidate | 16.8 |
| | 2 Concerned that she or he lacks experience | 14.6 |
| | 3 Doesn't affect me one way or the other | 58.7 |
| | 4 Don't know | 10.0 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q9_w2 During the past 6 months, have you been contacted by someone personally to work for or contribute money to a candidate, political party, or any other organization that supports candidates?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Yes | 15.1 |
| | 2 No | 75.3 |
| | 3 Not sure | 9.6 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q9B_1_w2only [Barack Obama] Which candidate were they contacting you in support of?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|--------|---------------|
| Valid | 0 No | 40.3 |
| | 1 Yes | 59.7 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | System | |
| Total | | |

Q9B_2_w2only [Mitt Romney] Which candidate were they contacting you in support of?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|-------|---------------|
| Valid | 0 No | 67.9 |
| | 1 Yes | 32.1 |

| | Total | 100.0 |
|---------|--------|-------|
| Missing | System | |
| Total | | |

Q9B_3_w2only [Jill Stein] Which candidate were they contacting you in support of?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|--------|---------------|
| Valid | 0 No | 98.7 |
| | 1 Yes | 1.3 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | System | |
| Total | | |

Q9B_4_w2only [Gary Johnson] Which candidate were they contacting you in support of?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|--------|---------------|
| Valid | 0 No | 95.8 |
| | 1 Yes | 4.2 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | System | |
| Total | | |

Q9B_5_w2only [Don't know] Which candidate were they contacting you in support of?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|--------|---------------|
| Valid | 0 No | 85.6 |
| | 1 Yes | 14.4 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | System | |
| Total | | |

Q9B_Refused_w2only [Refused] Which candidate were they contacting you in support of?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|--------|---------------|
| Valid | 0 No | 98.8 |
| | 1 Yes | 1.2 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | System | |
| Total | | |

Q10_w2 Does your state require you to show a driver's license or other government photo ID to vote?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Yes | 32.8 |
| | 2 No | 25.5 |
| | 3 Not sure | 41.7 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q11_w2 In your state, can you vote during an early voting period before Election Day?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Yes | 48.2 |
| | 2 No | 8.5 |
| | 3 Not sure | 43.3 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q12_w2 In your state, do you have to register to vote a month or more before you can actually vote on Election Day?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Yes | 47.7 |
| | 2 No | 11.9 |
| | 3 Not sure | 40.4 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q13_w2 If you go to vote in the 2012 election, do you expect that you will be allowed to vote?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Yes | 85.2 |
| | 2 No | 6.7 |
| | 3 Not sure | 8.1 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q14_w2 If you decide to vote, how long do you estimate that the whole voting process will take you on Election Day in November (including any travel to and from the polling place and any waiting)?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|-------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 20 minutes or less | 51.6 |
| | 2 21-60 minutes | 37.7 |
| | 3 61-minutes to 2 hours | 7.6 |
| | 4 Longer than 2 hours | 3.1 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q15_w2 Picture yourself going to the location where you can vote on Election Day. Which comes closest to your expectations?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|---|---------------|
| Valid | 1 I don't know how the voting will work but I will figure it out | 22.3 |
| | 2 I will be uncertain what to do and may be embarrassed or confused because of it | 4.8 |
| | 3 I do not know how the voting will work, but someone will explain it | 12.6 |
| | 4 I think I know how voting works | 28.7 |
| | 5 I know exactly what to expect and will have no problem voting | 31.6 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q16_A_w2 [President Barack Obama] If the election for President were being held today, and you had to make a choice, what is the likelihood that you will be voting for these candidates?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---------------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.8 |
| | 1 Would definitely vote for | 40.1 |
| | 2 Might vote for | 16.5 |
| | 3 Would probably not vote for | 9.6 |
| | 4 Would definitely not vote for | 29.1 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q16_B_w2 [Governor Mitt Romney] If the election for President were being held today, and you had to make a choice, what is the likelihood that you will be voting for these candidates?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---------------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 6.1 |
| | 1 Would definitely vote for | 24.2 |
| | 2 Might vote for | 15.7 |
| | 3 Would probably not vote for | 10.6 |
| | 4 Would definitely not vote for | 43.4 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q16_C_w2 [Someone else] If the election for President were being held today, and you had to make a choice, what is the likelihood that you will be voting for these candidates?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---------------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 16.2 |
| | 1 Would definitely vote for | 5.3 |
| | 2 Might vote for | 18.4 |
| | 3 Would probably not vote for | 17.3 |
| | 4 Would definitely not vote for | 42.7 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q17_w2only How likely are you to change your mind before the election?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|-------------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 2.2 |
| | 1 Very likely | 1.2 |
| | 2 Somewhat likely | 4.9 |
| | 3 Neither likely nor unlikely | 12.5 |
| | 4 Somewhat unlikely | 10.1 |
| | 5 Very unlikely | 60.1 |
| | 6 Don't know | 9.2 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q18_A_w2 [Has the right experience to be president] Regardless of the candidate you currently support, please tell me which candidate you feel each phrase describes better – Mitt Romney or Barack Obama:

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.4 |

| 1 Mitt Romney | 23.4 |
|----------------|-------|
| 2 Barack Obama | 42.5 |
| 4 Neither | 13.5 |
| 5 Both | 16.1 |
| Total | 100.0 |

Q18_B_w2 [Understand the problems of people your age] Regardless of the candidate you currently support, please tell me which candidate you feel each phrase describes better – Mitt Romney or Barack Obama:

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|----------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.5 |
| | 1 Mitt Romney | 15.2 |
| | 2 Barack Obama | 46.3 |
| | 4 Neither | 23.8 |
| | 5 Both | 10.1 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q18_C_w2 [Will bring change to America] Regardless of the candidate you currently support, please tell me which candidate you feel each phrase describes better – Mitt Romney or Barack Obama:

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|----------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.4 |
| | 1 Mitt Romney | 23.5 |
| | 2 Barack Obama | 34.6 |
| | 4 Neither | 19.4 |
| | 5 Both | 18.1 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q18_D_w2 [Will stand up for your interests] Regardless of the candidate you currently support, please tell me which candidate you feel each phrase describes better – Mitt Romney or Barack Obama:

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|----------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.2 |
| | 1 Mitt Romney | 24.7 |
| | 2 Barack Obama | 43.1 |
| | 4 Neither | 22.5 |
| | 5 Both | 5.6 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q18_E_w2 [Will get things done] Regardless of the candidate you currently support, please tell me which candidate you feel each phrase describes better – Mitt Romney or Barack Obama:

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|----------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 5.3 |
| | 1 Mitt Romney | 25.1 |
| | 2 Barack Obama | 34.5 |
| | 4 Neither | 22.2 |
| | 5 Both | 12.9 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q18_F_w2 [Is a typical politician] Regardless of the candidate you currently support, please tell me which candidate you feel each phrase describes better – Mitt Romney or Barack Obama:

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|----------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.7 |
| | 1 Mitt Romney | 32.2 |
| | 2 Barack Obama | 19.0 |
| | 4 Neither | 8.5 |
| | 5 Both | 35.6 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q18_G_w2 [Shares your values] Regardless of the candidate you currently support, please tell me which candidate you feel each phrase describes better – Mitt Romney or Barack Obama:

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|----------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.3 |
| | 1 Mitt Romney | 22.6 |
| | 2 Barack Obama | 42.6 |
| | 4 Neither | 24.2 |
| | 5 Both | 6.3 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q18_H_w2 [Honest and trustworthy] Regardless of the candidate you currently support, please tell me which candidate you feel each phrase describes better – Mitt Romney or Barack Obama:

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|----------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.8 |
| | 1 Mitt Romney | 17.2 |
| | 2 Barack Obama | 39.1 |

| 4 Neither | 29.7 |
|-----------|-------|
| 5 Both | 9.2 |
| Total | 100.0 |

Q18_I_w2 [Stands up for what he believes] Regardless of the candidate you currently support, please tell me which candidate you feel each phrase describes better – Mitt Romney or Barack Obama:

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|----------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.8 |
| | 1 Mitt Romney | 16.2 |
| | 2 Barack Obama | 34.7 |
| | 4 Neither | 18.4 |
| | 5 Both | 26.0 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q18_J_w2 [Will help improve our economy] Regardless of the candidate you currently support, please tell me which candidate you feel each phrase describes better – Mitt Romney or Barack Obama:

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|----------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.5 |
| | 1 Mitt Romney | 27.9 |
| | 2 Barack Obama | 36.0 |
| | 4 Neither | 21.5 |
| | 5 Both | 10.0 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q18B_w2only Regardless of whom you may support for president, is Paul Ryan an excellent choice, a good choice, a bad choice or a very bad choice to be vice president?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|--------------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 1.7 |
| | 1 Excellent choice | 11.2 |
| | 2 Good choice | 20.6 |
| | 3 Bad choice | 14.5 |
| | 4 Very bad choice | 19.5 |
| | 5 No opinion | 32.5 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q19_w2 How much difference do you think the 2012 election will make to everyday issues involving the government in your community, such as schools and police?

Valid Percent

| Valid | 1 No difference at all | 27.6 |
|---------|---|-------|
| | 2 Could only make a negative difference | 6.3 |
| | 3 May make a small positive difference | 38.3 |
| | 4 May make a significant positive difference | 20.8 |
| | 5 Will make a significant positive difference | 7.0 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q20_w2 Which of the following reasons BEST describes why you would choose to vote in elections?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|--|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Because voting is my responsibility as a citizen | 33.0 |
| | 2 Because voting is a right | 11.2 |
| | 3 Because my vote, along with others, can affect the outcome of the election | 25.0 |
| | 4 Because my vote is the expression of my choice | 17.7 |
| | 5 Not sure | 13.1 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q21_w2 On the whole, would you say the political system in this country IS or is NOT responsive to the genuine needs of the public, or haven't you thought much about it?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|---------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Is Responsive | 18.7 |
| | 2 Is NOT Responsive | 48.6 |
| | 3 Not sure | 32.7 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q22_A_w2 [As a group, young people have the power to change things in this country.'] Below are a set of statements, please tell me whether you agree or disagree with the following:

Valid Percent

| Valid | 1 Agree | 72.6 |
|---------|-----------------------|-------|
| | 2 Disagree | 9.0 |
| | 3 Neither or not sure | 18.3 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q22_B_w2 [Eventually I expect to be better off financially than my parents are.] Below are a set of statements, please tell me whether you agree or disagree with the following:

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|-----------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Agree | 55.9 |
| | 2 Disagree | 16.7 |
| | 3 Neither or not sure | 27.4 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q22_C_w2 [The federal deficit is too big] Below are a set of statements, please tell me whether you agree or disagree with the following:

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|-----------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Agree | 75.6 |
| | 2 Disagree | 5.4 |
| | 3 Neither or not sure | 19.0 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q22_D_w2 [The government is too big and powerful] Below are a set of statements, please tell me whether you agree or disagree with the following:

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|-----------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Agree | 59.1 |
| | 2 Disagree | 17.0 |
| | 3 Neither or not sure | 23.9 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q22_E_w2 [Big corporations have too much power in this country] Below are a set of statements, please tell me whether you agree or disagree with the following:

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Agree | 71.9 |

| | 2 Disagree | 7.8 |
|---------|-----------------------|-------|
| | 3 Neither or not sure | 20.3 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q22_F_w2 [I am more cynical about politics than I was 2 years ago.] Below are a set of statements, please tell me whether you agree or disagree with the following:

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|-----------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Agree | 53.9 |
| | 2 Disagree | 18.4 |
| | 3 Neither or not sure | 27.7 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| | System | |
| | Total | |
| Total | | |

Q22_G_w2 [I am less hopeful about the country's future than I was two years ago] Below are a set of statements, please tell me whether you agree or disagree with the following:

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|-----------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Agree | 36.0 |
| | 2 Disagree | 33.4 |
| | 3 Neither or not sure | 30.6 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| | System | |
| | Total | |
| Total | | |

Q22_H_w2 [Politicians don't talk about the issues that are important to me.] Below are a set of statements, please tell me whether you agree or disagree with the following:

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|-----------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Agree | 31.6 |
| | 2 Disagree | 35.3 |
| | 3 Neither or not sure | 33.1 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|----------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Admiring | 19.2 |
| | 2 Satisfied | 35.3 |
| | 3 Disappointed | 36.4 |
| | 4 Angry | 9.1 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q23B_w2only Which word comes closest to expressing your feelings about Mitt Romney as a candidate?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|----------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 3.0 |
| | 1 Admiring | 9.4 |
| | 2 Satisfied | 28.1 |
| | 3 Disappointed | 33.7 |
| | 4 Angry | 25.8 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q24_w2 Thinking about the people you are friends with on social networking sites, how much of what they share and post is related to politics, political issues or the 2012 elections?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 All or almost all of it | 2.3 |
| | 2 A lot | 11.3 |
| | 3 Some | 31.4 |
| | 4 Just a little | 22.3 |
| | 5 None at all | 14.7 |
| | 7 I am not on a social network site | 18.0 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q24B_A_w2only [Registering to vote?] Overall, how important are social networking sites and the web to you personally when it comes to...

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Very important | 22.4 |
| | 2 Somewhat important | 11.8 |
| | 3 Not too important | 13.8 |
| | 4 Not at all important | 40.8 |
| | 5 Not sure | 11.2 |

Total 100.0

Missing -1 Refused

Total

Q24B_B_w2only [Finding out information about voting (e.g. how to register, where to vote)?]

Overall, how important are social networking sites and the web to you personally when it comes to...

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Very important | 19.3 |
| | 2 Somewhat important | 18.1 |
| | 3 Not too important | 15.6 |
| | 4 Not at all important | 36.2 |
| | 5 Not sure | 10.8 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q43B_w2only [Preventing gays and lesbians from marrying legally?] Which 2012 presidential candidate supports?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|----------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Mitt Romney | 62.3 |
| | 2 Barack Obama | 6.1 |
| | 3 Both | 3.5 |
| | 4 Neither | 6.1 |
| | 5 Not Sure | 22.0 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q24B_C_w2only [Seeking out information about candidates or issues?] Overall, how important are social networking sites and the web to you personally when it comes to...

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Very important | 22.3 |
| | 2 Somewhat important | 20.6 |
| | 3 Not too important | 16.1 |
| | 4 Not at all important | 30.0 |
| | 5 Not sure | 11.0 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q24B_D_w2only [Debating or discussing political issues with others?] Overall, how important are social networking sites and the web to you personally when it comes to...

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Very important | 14.6 |
| | 2 Somewhat important | 21.9 |
| | 3 Not too important | 18.1 |
| | 4 Not at all important | 35.4 |
| | 5 Not sure | 9.9 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q24B_E_w2only [Finding other people who share your views about important political issues?]

Overall, how important are social networking sites and the web to you personally when it

comes to...

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Very important | 13.3 |
| | 2 Somewhat important | 20.4 |
| | 3 Not too important | 19.5 |
| | 4 Not at all important | 35.3 |
| | 5 Not sure | 11.5 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q24B_F_w2only [Getting involved with political issues that matter to you?] Overall, how important are social networking sites and the web to you personally when it comes to...

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Very important | 13.7 |
| | 2 Somewhat important | 17.6 |
| | 3 Not too important | 20.0 |
| | 4 Not at all important | 37.4 |
| | 5 Not sure | 11.3 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q24B_G_w2only [Joining, liking, following or connecting with groups or organizations that are politically involved?] Overall, how important are social networking sites and the web to you personally when it comes to...

| Valid | 1 Very important | 13.9 |
|---------|------------------------|-------|
| | 2 Somewhat important | 14.1 |
| | 3 Not too important | 19.5 |
| | 4 Not at all important | 39.6 |
| | 5 Not sure | 13.0 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q25_A_w2 [You see your favorite celebrity on TV advocating voting] Please consider each of these situations and say whether you think it would make you more likely to vote.

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.3 |
| | 1 This would turn me off from voting | 9.3 |
| | 2 This would have no influence on whether I voted | 66.9 |
| | 3 This might influence me to vote | 12.9 |
| | 4 This would influence me to vote | 6.7 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q25_B_w2 [A political candidate personally asks you to vote for him or her] Please consider each of these situations and say whether you think it would make you more likely to vote.

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---|---------------|
| Valid | 4 Defriced | |
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.5 |
| | 1 This would turn me off from voting | 6.7 |
| | 2 This would have no influence on whether I voted | 61.7 |
| | 3 This might influence me to vote | 21.7 |
| | 4 This would influence me to vote | 5.4 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q25_C_w2 [A volunteer comes to your door to talk about the election] Please consider each of these situations and say whether you think it would make you more likely to vote.

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.6 |

| 1 This would turn me off from voting | 14.1 |
|---|-------|
| 2 This would have no influence on whether I voted | 60.4 |
| 3 This might influence me to vote | 15.9 |
| 4 This would influence me to vote | 5.0 |
| Total | 100.0 |

Q25_D_w2 [An organization that you belong to asks you to vote] Please consider each of these situations and say whether you think it would make you more likely to vote.

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.9 |
| | 1 This would turn me off from voting | 6.4 |
| | 2 This would have no influence on whether I voted | 59.9 |
| | 3 This might influence me to vote | 22.4 |
| | 4 This would influence me to vote | 6.4 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q25_E_w2 [A friend asks you to vote in person] Please consider each of these situations and say whether you think it would make you more likely to vote.

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.7 |
| | 1 This would turn me off from voting | 4.0 |
| | 2 This would have no influence on whether I voted | 49.7 |
| | 3 This might influence me to vote | 31.4 |
| | 4 This would influence me to vote | 10.2 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q25_F_w2 [A friend asks you to vote on Facebook] Please consider each of these situations and say whether you think it would make you more likely to vote.

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.6 |

| 1 This would turn me off from voting | 8.3 |
|---|-------|
| 2 This would have no influence on whether I voted | 68.6 |
| 3 This might influence me to vote | 13.3 |
| 4 This would influence me to vote | 5.1 |
| Total | 100.0 |

Q25_G_w2 [A parent asks you to vote] Please consider each of these situations and say whether you think it would make you more likely to vote.

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 4.9 |
| | 1 This would turn me off from voting | 4.4 |
| | 2 This would have no influence on whether I voted | 43.9 |
| | 3 This might influence me to vote | 30.4 |
| | 4 This would influence me to vote | 16.5 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q26_A_w2 [Volunteer for the campaign] If a political campaign that you support provided an opportunity for you to participate in some way, how likely would you be to participate in these activities?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---------------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 3.0 |
| | 1 Not at all likely | 47.8 |
| | 2 Not very likely | 32.0 |
| | 3 Somewhat likely | 13.0 |
| | 4 Very likely | 4.1 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q26_C_w2 [Attend a rally or event for the candidate] If a political campaign that you support provided an opportunity for you to participate in some way, how likely would you be to participate in these activities?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---------------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 3.8 |
| | 1 Not at all likely | 37.9 |
| | 2 Not very likely | 31.0 |

| 3 Somewhat likely | 21.4 |
|-------------------|-------|
| 4 Very likely | 5.9 |
| Total | 100.0 |

Q26_D_w2 [Display a sticker on your car/sign on your door/sign for the candidate] If a political campaign that you support provided an opportunity for you to participate in some way, how likely would you be to participate in these activities?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---------------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 3.5 |
| | 1 Not at all likely | 37.4 |
| | 2 Not very likely | 23.0 |
| | 3 Somewhat likely | 25.9 |
| | 4 Very likely | 10.2 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q26_E_w2 [Join an online group (like on Facebook) supporting the candidate] If a political campaign that you support provided an opportunity for you to participate in some way, how likely would you be to participate in these activities?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---------------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 3.9 |
| | 1 Not at all likely | 41.2 |
| | 2 Not very likely | 29.0 |
| | 3 Somewhat likely | 15.9 |
| | 4 Very likely | 10.1 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q26_I_w2 [Spread the campaign's message to your friends/family] If a political campaign that you support provided an opportunity for you to participate in some way, how likely would you be to participate in these activities?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---------------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 3.3 |
| | 1 Not at all likely | 34.6 |
| | 2 Not very likely | 28.9 |
| | 3 Somewhat likely | 24.0 |
| | 4 Very likely | 9.2 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q26_J_w2 [Follow on Twitter] If a political campaign that you support provided an opportunity for you to participate in some way, how likely would you be to participate in these activities?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---------------------|---------------|
| Valid | -1 Refused | 3.9 |
| | 1 Not at all likely | 51.4 |
| | 2 Not very likely | 24.6 |
| | 3 Somewhat likely | 13.3 |
| | 4 Very likely | 6.8 |
| | Total | 100.0 |

Q27_w2 I am now going to list some concerns that some people have. Please tell me which one of these you would most like for politicians to do something about?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|---|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Jobs and economy | 37.9 |
| | 2 Quality of education | 6.2 |
| | 3 The cost of college and student loans | 7.5 |
| | 4 Federal budget deficit | 10.3 |
| | 5 Social security and retirement | 1.4 |
| | 6 Health care | 11.3 |
| | 7 Gas prices | 5.8 |
| | 8 Taxes | 3.8 |
| | 9 Immigration | 2.6 |
| | 10 Middle East | 1.4 |
| | 11 Gay rights | 2.7 |
| | 12 Terrorism and homeland security | 1.4 |
| | 13 Environment and climate change | 2.8 |
| | 14 Violence and drugs | 1.5 |
| | 16 Abortion | 3.4 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q31_w2 Thinking about your own situation, what current economic issue is most important in determining your vote for President?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|----------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Losing your job | 4.3 |
| | 2 Rising health care costs | 10.4 |
| | 3 Higher taxes | 5.7 |
| | 4 A secure retirement | 3.6 |

| | 5 Expenses like childcare or college tuition | 3.9 |
|---------|--|-------|
| | 6 Every day expenses | 12.4 |
| | 7 Cost of gas | 6.7 |
| | 8 Affording a mortgage | 1.6 |
| | 9 Lack of jobs that pay a wage that allows you to support a family | 23.6 |
| | 10 The decline of the stock market | 1.0 |
| | 11 Credit card debt | 1.0 |
| | 12 Student loan debt | 9.9 |
| | 13 Other | 4.9 |
| | 14 Don't know | 11.1 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q34_w2 Do you support or oppose establishing a minimum tax rate of 30 percent on Americans making 1 million dollars a year or more -- also called the Buffett Rule?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|--------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Support | 55.2 |
| | 2 Oppose | 14.5 |
| | 3 Don't Know | 30.3 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q36_w2 Do you support a law that would allow illegal immigrants brought to the US as children to gain legal resident status if they join the military or go to college?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|--------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Support | 50.8 |
| | 2 Oppose | 25.5 |
| | 3 Don't Know | 23.6 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q37_w2 Do you support a law recognizing marriages or civil unions between same-sex couples as valid, with the same rights as traditional marriages?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|--------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Support | 51.7 |
| | 2 Oppose | 29.0 |
| | 3 Don't Know | 19.3 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q38_w2 As you may know, a bill that makes major changes to the country's health care system became law in 2010. Based on what you have read or heard about that legislation, do you generally support or generally oppose it?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|--------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Support | 34.1 |
| | 2 Oppose | 30.3 |
| | 3 Don't Know | 35.6 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q39_w2 Do you oppose that legislation because you think it gives the government too much responsibility for health care, or because you think it gives the government too little responsibility?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|---|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Gives the government too much power | 88.5 |
| | 2 Gives the government too little power | 5.4 |
| | 3 Don't know | 6.1 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| | System | |
| | Total | |
| Total | | |

Q40_w2 Which of the following approaches is more likely to be successful in growing the U.S. economy and creating jobs?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|---|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Spending cuts and tax cuts will give businesses | 34.5 |
| | more confidence to hire | |

| 2 Government investments in infrastructure, |
|--|
| education, and alternative energy will create jobs |

35.6

| | 3 Don't know | 29.9 |
|---------|--------------|-------|
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q43A_w2only [Allowing many illegal immigrants who were brought to the United States as children to remain in the country?] Which 2012 presidential candidate supports?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|----------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Mitt Romney | 4.9 |
| | 2 Barack Obama | 53.9 |
| | 3 Both | 5.9 |
| | 4 Neither | 4.4 |
| | 5 Not Sure | 30.9 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q43C_w2only [Raising taxes on income over \$250,000?] Which 2012 presidential candidate supports ?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|----------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Mitt Romney | 7.3 |
| | 2 Barack Obama | 53.1 |
| | 3 Both | 7.1 |
| | 4 Neither | 5.8 |
| | 5 Not Sure | 26.6 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q41B_w2only How strongly do you agree or disagree with this statement: The amount of money in political campaigns makes me not want to vote at all?

| | | Valid Percent |
|-------|------------------------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Strongly agree | 14.5 |
| | 2 Somewhat agree | 26.4 |
| | 3 Neither agree nor disagree | 28.9 |

| | 4 Somewhat disagree | 5.8 |
|---------|---------------------|-------|
| | 5 Strongly disagree | 11.8 |
| | 6 Don't know | 12.6 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| Total | | |

Q42A_w2 Do you think there is too much power in the hands of a few rich people and large corporations in the United States, or don't you think so?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Yes | 71.7 |
| | 2 No | 7.4 |
| | 3 Not sure | 20.8 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| | System | |
| | Total | |
| Total | | |

Q42B_w2 Do you think the richest 1% of people in the United States have too much power?

| | | Valid Percent |
|---------|------------|---------------|
| Valid | 1 Yes | 59.3 |
| | 2 No | 22.0 |
| | 3 Not sure | 18.7 |
| | Total | 100.0 |
| Missing | -1 Refused | |
| | System | |
| | Total | |
| Total | | |

Warning # 3211

On at least one case, the value of the weight variable was zero, negative, or missing. Such cases are invisible to statistical procedures and graphs which need positively weighted cases, but remain on the file and are processed by non-statistical facilities such as LIST and SAVE.