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TIGHT RACES IN BOTH NH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS

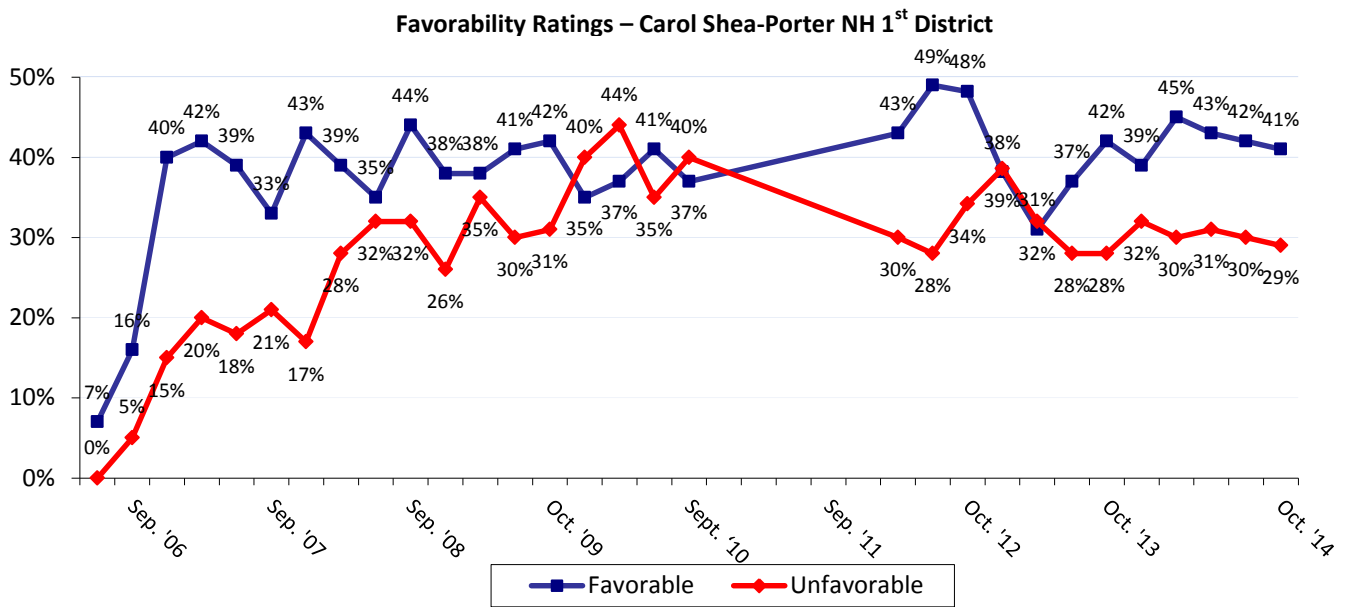
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DURHAM, NH – With less than a month to go until the general election, Congresswoman Carol-Shea Porter and former Congressman Frank Guinta remain statistically tied in New Hampshire’s 1st Congressional District. In District 2, Congresswoman Ann Kuster and State Representative Marilinda Garcia are also in a statistical dead heat.

These findings are based on the latest **WMUR Granite State Poll**,* conducted by the University of New Hampshire Survey Center. Six hundred and eighty-one (681) randomly selected New Hampshire adults were interviewed by landline and cellular telephone between September 29 and October 5, 2014. The margin of sampling error for the survey is +/- 3.8 percent. The sample included 532 likely voters (with a +/- 4.2 percent margin of sampling error). Included were 341 residents of New Hampshire’s First Congressional District (MSE = +/- 5.3%) and 340 from the Second District (MSE = +/- 5.3%). Of these residents, 258 in the First District (MSE = +/- 6.1%) and 275 (MSE = +/- 5.9%) in the Second District are 2014 likely voters.

NH First Congressional District

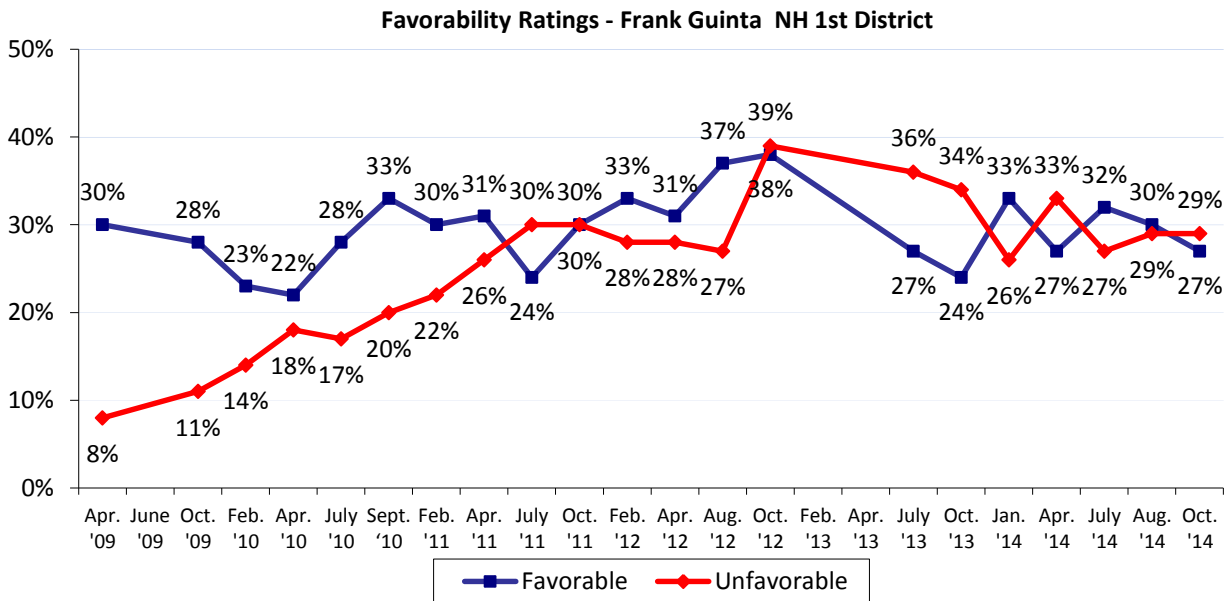
Democrat Congresswoman Carol Shea-Porter was first elected in 2006, lost in 2010, and regained the seat in 2012. She remains modestly popular in the district -- 41% of 1st District adults have a favorable opinion of Shea-Porter, 29% have an unfavorable opinion, 8% are neutral, and 22% don’t know enough about her to say. Her net favorability rating, the percentage who have a favorable opinion of her minus the percentage who have an unfavorable opinion, is +12%. Shea-Porter is very popular among Democrats (net +65%), and very unpopular among Republicans (net -49%), while Independents are divided on her (net +5%). Shea-Porter’s net favorability among likely 2014 voters is +11%.



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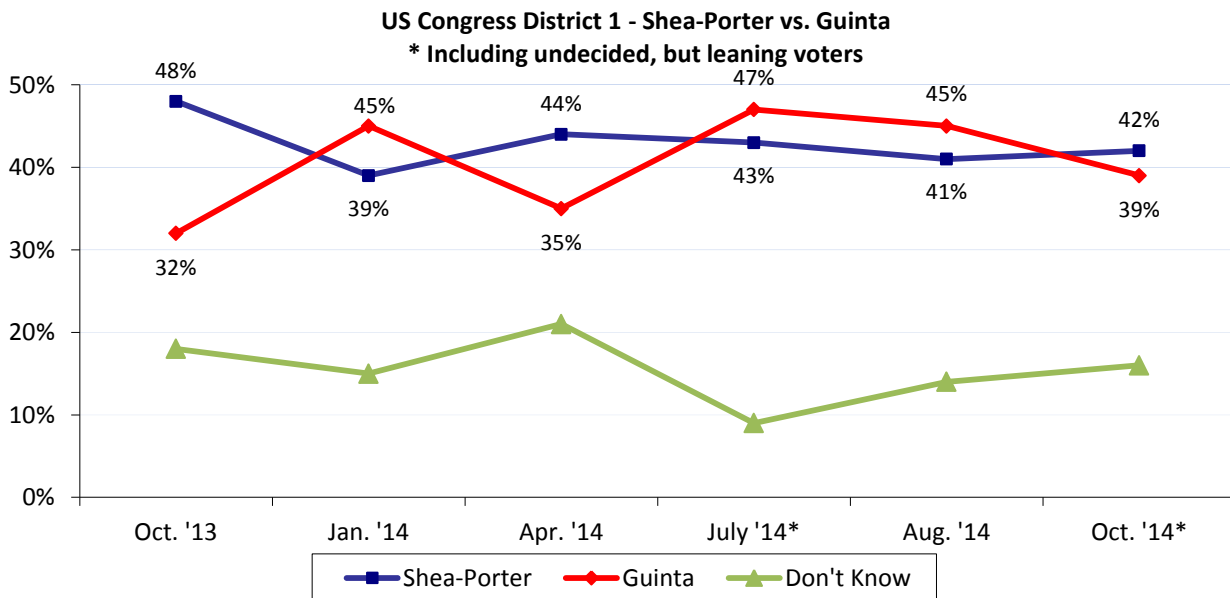
Favorability Ratings – Frank Guinta

Currently 27% of 1st C.D. adults have a favorable opinion of former Congressman Frank Guinta, 29% have an unfavorable opinion of him, 9% are neutral and 35% don't know enough about him to say. His net favorability rating is -2%, down from +1% in August. Guinta is popular among Republicans (net +41%), but less popular than Shea-Porter is among Democrats. Guinta is unpopular among Independents (-9%), and very unpopular among Democrats (-35%). Guinta's net favorability among likely 2014 voters is -3%.



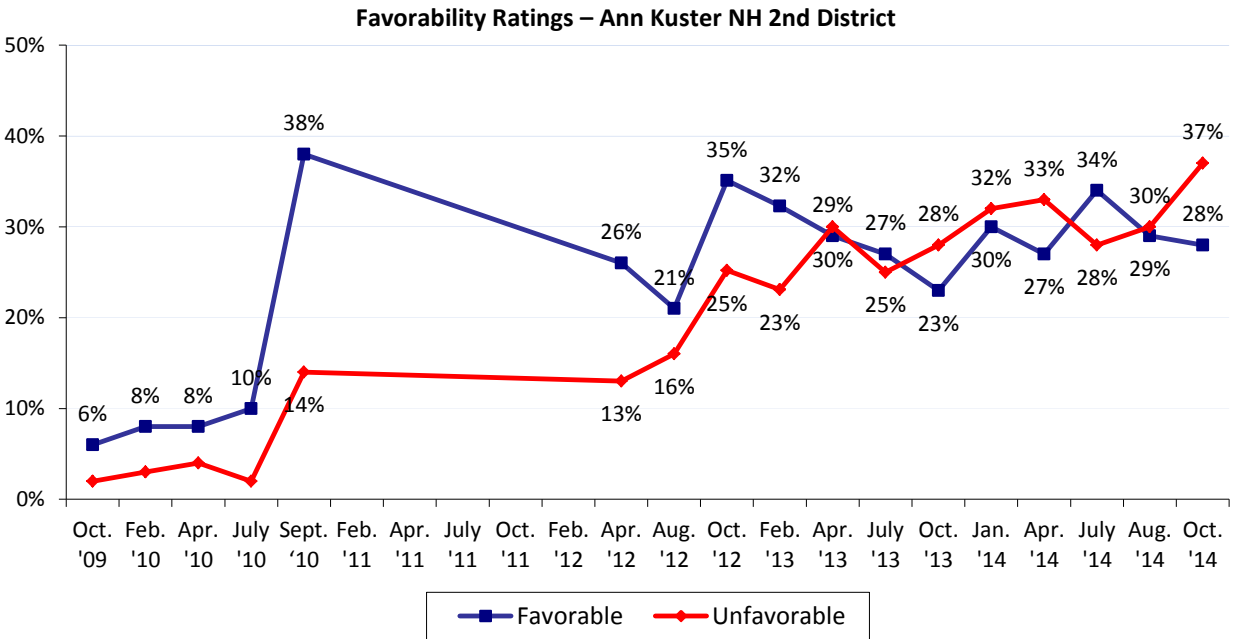
2014 U.S. Congress Election – 1st District

Guinta and Shea-Porter will face each other for the third straight time. Guinta defeated then incumbent Shea-Porter in 2010 while Shea-Porter won the seat back from Guinta in 2012. If the congressional election were held today, 37% of likely 1st District likely voters would vote for Shea-Porter, 32% would vote for Guinta, 3% would vote for someone else and 29% are undecided. When undecided voters are asked which candidate they lean toward supporting, 42% would vote for Shea-Porter, 39% would vote for Guinta, 3% would vote for someone else, and 16% remain undecided.

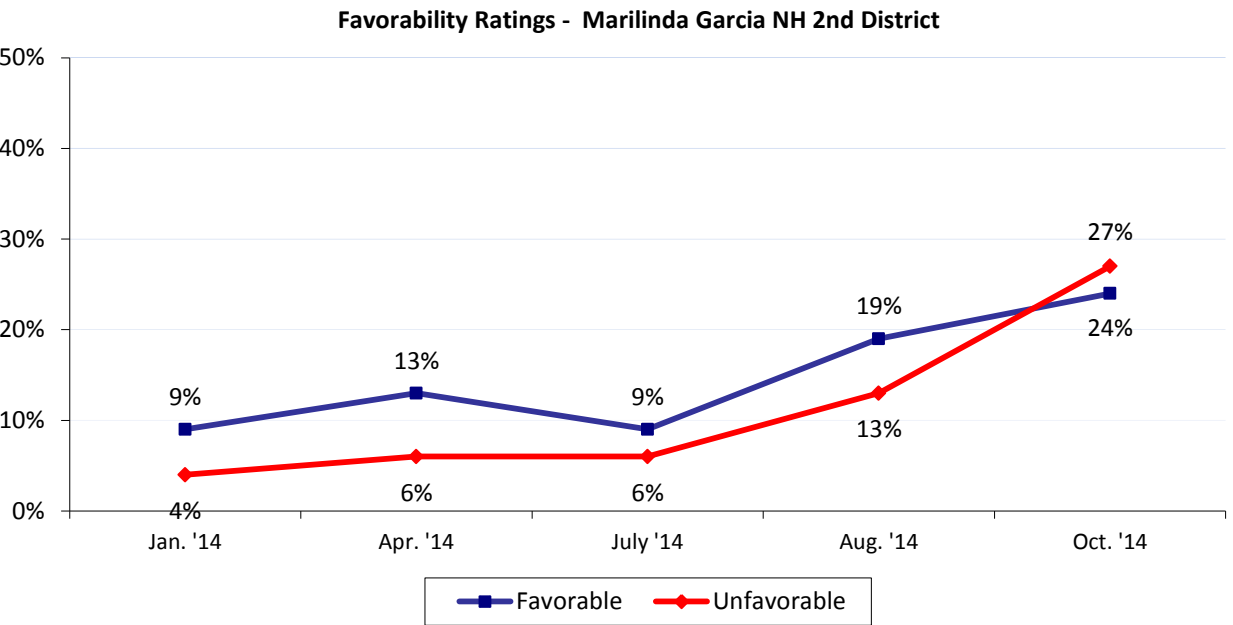


NH Second Congressional District

In New Hampshire's Second Congressional District, first term Congresswoman Ann Kuster's favorability ratings remain low. Currently, only 28% of 2nd District adults have a favorable opinion of Kuster, 37% have an unfavorable opinion of her, 10% are neutral, and 24% don't know enough about her to say. Her net favorability rating is -9%, which is down from -1% in August. She is popular among Democrats (net +58%), unpopular among Independents (net -12%) and very unpopular among Republicans (net -60%). Kuster's net favorability among likely 2014 voters is -10%.

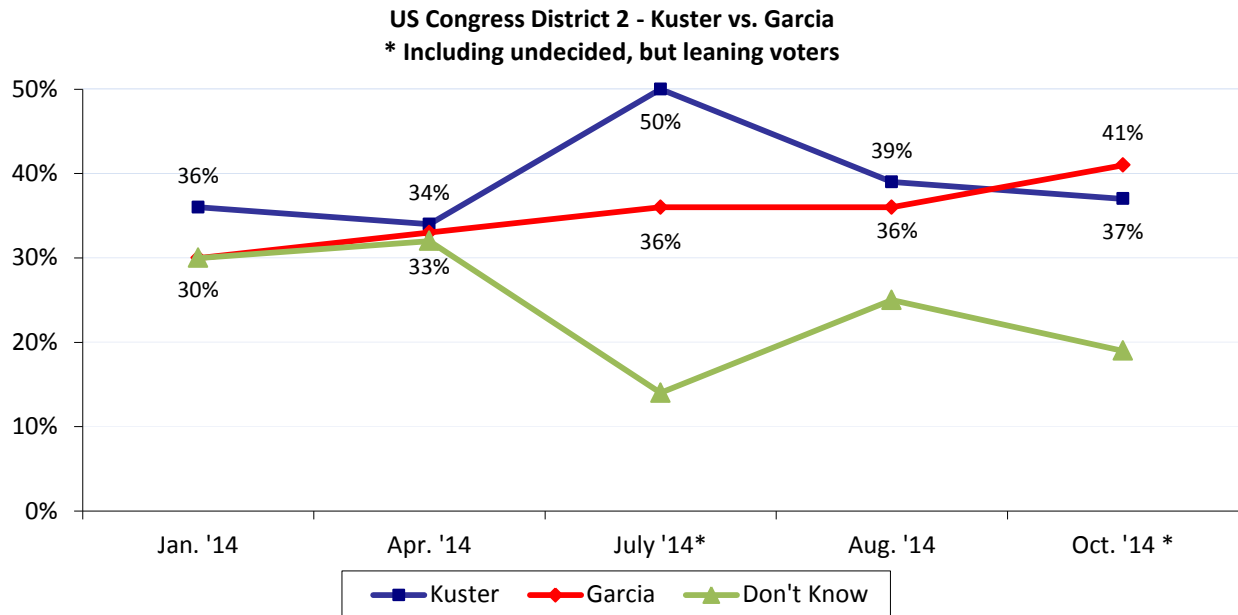


Marlinda Garcia has become considerably better known, but less popular, in recent months. Currently 24% of Second District adults have a favorable opinion of Garcia, 27% have an unfavorable opinion, 7% are neutral, and 43% don't know enough about her to say. Her net favorability rating is -3%, down from +6% in August. Garcia is popular among Republicans (+24%), and very unpopular among Democrats (-42%), while Independents are divided on her (0%). Garcia's net favorability among likely 2014 voters is -2%.



2014 U.S. Congress Election – 2nd District

The unpopularity of both candidates make the race for the 2nd District seat a volatile one. Currently, 36% of likely voters in the 2nd District say they would vote for Kuster if the election were held today, 34% would vote for Garcia, 3% would vote for someone else and 28% are undecided. However, when undecided voters are asked which candidate they lean toward supporting, the race shifts so that 41% of voters say they would vote for Garcia, 37% would vote for Kuster, 3% would vote for someone else, and 19% remain undecided.



Granite State Poll Methodology

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The data have been weighted to adjust for numbers of adults and telephone lines within households, respondent sex, age, and region of the state. In addition to potential sampling error, all surveys have other potential sources of non-sampling error including question order effects, question wording effects, and non-response. Due to rounding, percentages may not sum to 100%. The number of respondents in each demographic below may not equal the number reported in cross-tabulation tables as some respondents choose not to answer some questions.

Granite State Poll, Fall 2014 Demographics

Sex	N	%	Region	N	%
Male	336	49%	North Country	52	8%
Female	345	51%	Central/Lakes	112	16%
			Connecticut Valley	98	14%
			Mass Border	179	26%
			Seacoast	113	17%
			Manchester Area	127	19%
Age	N	%	Party Registration	N	%
18 to 34	175	27%	Democrat	140	24%
35 to 49	182	28%	Undeclared	290	49%
50 to 64	173	26%	Republican	158	27%
65 and Over	123	19%			
Highest Level of Education	N	%	Party Identification	N	%
High School or Less	116	18%	Democrat	259	39%
Some College	169	25%	Independent	147	22%
College Graduate	249	37%	Republican	261	39%
Post-Graduate	135	20%			
Years Lived in NH	N	%			
10 yrs. or less	114	17%			
11-20 yrs.	145	22%			
> 20 yrs.	398	61%			

US Congress District 1 – Guinta vs. Shea-Porter – Likely Voters

"Next, thinking about the election for Congress in November, will you vote for Frank Guinta the Republican ... Carol Shea-Porter, the Democrat ... or haven't you decided yet?" ROTATE CANDIDATES

	<u>Oct. '13</u>	<u>Jan. '14</u>	<u>Apr. '14</u>	<u>July '14</u>	<u>Aug. '14</u>	<u>Oct. '14</u>
Guinta	32%	45%	35%	46%	45%	32%
Shea-Porter	48%	39%	44%	43%	41%	37%
Other	1%	2%	0%	2%	0%	3%
Don't know / undecided	18%	15%	21%	10%	14%	29%
(N=)	(258)	(245)	(199)	(251)	(291)	(255)

With Leaners

"Would you say you are leaning towards Frank Guinta, the Republican or Carol Shea-Porter, the Democrat?" ROTATE CANDIDATES

	<u>July '14</u>	<u>Oct. '14</u>
Guinta	47%	39%
Shea-Porter	43%	42%
Other	2%	3%
Don't know / undecided	9%	16%
(N=)	(251)	(255)

US Congress District 2 – Garcia vs. Kuster – Likely Voters

"Next, thinking about the election for Congress in November, will you vote for Marilinda Garcia the Republican ... Ann Kuster, the Democrat ... or haven't you decided yet?" ROTATE CANDIDATES

	<u>Jan. '14</u>	<u>Apr. '14</u>	<u>July '14</u>	<u>Aug. '14</u>	<u>Oct. '14</u>
Garcia	30%	33%	35%	36%	34%
Kuster	36%	34%	49%	39%	36%
Other	4%	1%	1%	1%	3%
Don't know / undecided	30%	32%	15%	25%	28%
(N=)	(218)	(184)	(240)	(307)	(266)

With Leaners

"Would you say you are leaning towards Marilinda Garcia, the Republican or Ann Kuster, the Democrat?" ROTATE CANDIDATES

	<u>July '14</u>	<u>Oct. '14</u>
Garcia	36%	41%
Kuster	50%	37%
Other	1%	3%
Don't know / undecided	14%	19%
(N=)	(240)	(265)

Favorability Rating – Frank Guinta - NH 1st District

"Next, I'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of this person - or if you have never heard of him or her. Former Congressman (Congressman) Frank Guinta?"

<u>1st C.D.</u>	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>Net</u>	<u>(N)</u>
Oct. '14	27%	9%	29%	35%	-2%	(339)
Aug. '14	30%	9%	29%	32%	+1%	(395)
July '14	32%	8%	27%	33%	+5%	(336)
Apr. '14	27%	7%	33%	33%	-6%	(255)
Jan. '14	33%	11%	26%	29%	+7%	(300)
Oct. '13	24%	8%	34%	34%	-10%	(325)
July '13	27%	6%	36%	31%	-9%	(274)
Oct. '12 – LVs	38%	6%	39%	17%	-1%	(273)
Aug. '12	37%	5%	27%	31%	+6%	(270)
Apr. '12	31%	9%	28%	33%	+3%	(253)
Feb. '12	33%	8%	28%	30%	+5%	(256)
Oct. '11	30%	12%	30%	28%	0%	(247)
July '11	24%	12%	30%	34%	-6%	(248)
Apr. '11	31%	10%	26%	33%	+5%	(243)
Feb. '11	30%	12%	22%	35%	+8%	(236)
Sept. '10	33%	4%	20%	42%	+13%	(262)
July '10	28%	9%	17%	46%	+11%	(264)
Apr. '10	22%	7%	18%	52%	+4%	(257)
Feb. '10	23%	7%	14%	55%	+9%	(251)
Oct. '09	28%	9%	11%	52%	+17%	(251)
April '09	30%	12%	8%	51%	+22%	(260)

Favorability Rating –U.S. Representative Carol Shea-Porter - NH 1st District

"Next, I'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of this person - or if you have never heard of him or her. Congresswoman (Former Congresswoman) Carol Shea-Porter?"

<u>1st C.D.</u>	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>Net</u>	<u>(N)</u>
Oct. '14	41%	8%	29%	22%	+12%	(340)
Aug. '14	42%	9%	30%	18%	+12%	(395)
July '14	43%	5%	31%	21%	+12%	(341)
Apr. '14	45%	9%	30%	16%	+15%	(256)
Jan. '14	39%	8%	32%	20%	+7%	(300)
Oct. '13	42%	7%	28%	22%	+14%	(325)
July '13	37%	6%	28%	28%	+9%	(274)
Apr. '13	31%	11%	32%	26%	-1%	(227)
Feb. '13	38%	8%	39%	15%	-1%	(254)
Oct. '12 - LVs	48%	4%	34%	13%	+14%	(273)
Aug. '12	49%	5%	28%	18%	+21%	(270)
Apr. '12	43%	3%	30%	24%	+13%	(252)
Sept. '10	37%	8%	40%	14%	-3%	(262)
July '10	41%	7%	35%	17%	+6%	(270)
Apr. '10	37%	7%	44%	12%	-7%	(257)
Feb. '10	35%	7%	40%	19%	-5%	(251)
Oct. '09	42%	7%	31%	20%	+11%	(248)
Jun. '09	41%	8%	30%	21%	+11%	(287)
Apr. '09	38%	4%	35%	23%	+3%	(260)
Feb. '09	38%	10%	26%	27%	+12%	(311)
Sep. '08	44%	5%	31%	20%	+13%	(251)
July '08	35%	9%	32%	24%	+3%	(235)
Apr. '08	39%	12%	28%	21%	+11%	(251)
Feb. '08	43%	13%	17%	26%	+26%	(267)
Sept. '07	33%	17%	21%	29%	+12%	(228)
July '07	39%	15%	18%	28%	+21%	(252)
Apr. '07	42%	15%	20%	24%	+22%	(251)
Feb. '07	40%	17%	15%	28%	+25%	(248)
Sept. '06	16%	14%	5%	65%	+11%	(266)
July '06	7%	7%	0%	86%	+7%	(256)

Favorability Rating – U.S. Representative Ann McLane Kuster - NH 2nd District

"Next, I'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of this person - or if you have never heard of him or her. Congresswoman (Attorney) Ann McLane Kuster?"

<u>2nd C.D.</u>	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>Net</u>	<u>(N)</u>
Oct. '14	28%	10%	37%	24%	-9%	(339)
Aug. '14	29%	10%	30%	31%	-1%	(430)
July '14	34%	7%	28%	31%	+6%	(325)
Apr. '14	27%	10%	33%	29%	-6%	(245)
Jan. '14	30%	6%	32%	31%	-2%	(281)
Oct. '13	23%	9%	28%	40%	-5%	(330)
July '13	27%	9%	25%	38%	+2%	(232)
Apr. '13	29%	8%	30%	34%	-1%	(276)
Feb. '13	32%	8%	23%	36%	+9%	(325)
Oct. '12 – LVs	35%	7%	25%	33%	+10%	(325)
Aug. '12	21%	1%	16%	61%	+5%	(311)
Apr. '12	26%	3%	13%	58%	+13%	(270)
Sept. '10	38%	6%	14%	42%	+24%	(243)
July '10	10%	3%	2%	85%	+8%	(226)
Apr. '10	8%	7%	4%	81%	+4%	(250)
Feb. '10	8%	2%	3%	87%	+5%	(240)
Oct. '09	6%	5%	2%	87%	+4%	(252)

Favorability Rating – Marilinda Garcia - NH 2nd District

"Next, I'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of this person - or if you have never heard of him or her. State Representative Marilinda Garcia?"

<u>2nd C.D.</u>	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>Net</u>	<u>(N)</u>
Oct. '14	24%	7%	27%	43%	-3%	(340)
Aug. '14	19%	4%	13%	64%	+6%	(430)
July '14	9%	2%	6%	83%	+3%	(322)
Apr. '14	13%	5%	6%	76%	+7%	(246)
Jan. '14	9%	9%	4%	78%	+5%	(281)

Favorability Rating – Carol Shea-Porter

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>(N)</u>
STATEWIDE	41%	8%	29%	22%	340
Registered Democrat	81%	5%	4%	10%	73
Registered Undeclared	39%	14%	28%	18%	137
Registered Republican	17%	3%	63%	17%	81
Democrat	70%	6%	5%	20%	144
Independent	28%	20%	23%	29%	76
Republican	14%	2%	63%	21%	115
Liberal	72%	2%	8%	18%	69
Moderate	43%	16%	18%	23%	134
Conservative	19%	3%	63%	15%	96
Support Tea Party	10%	2%	64%	24%	66
Neutral	32%	13%	29%	27%	133
Oppose Tea Party	68%	6%	9%	16%	127
Approve of Obama	70%	5%	7%	19%	131
Neutral	50%	24%	2%	25%	33
Disapprove of Obama	18%	7%	50%	24%	176
Likely Voter	44%	7%	33%	16%	257
Non-Likely Voter	34%	8%	15%	43%	81
Union household	63%	13%	17%	7%	40
Non-union	38%	7%	30%	25%	295
Read Union Leader	33%	11%	49%	7%	91
Read Boston Globe	49%	4%	26%	20%	37
Watch WMUR	45%	10%	29%	17%	202
Listen to NHPR	63%	5%	19%	13%	93
10 yrs or less in NH	35%	9%	21%	35%	49
11 to 20 years	39%	7%	26%	27%	83
More than 20 years	43%	8%	30%	18%	194
18 to 34	36%	6%	18%	39%	90
35 to 49	47%	8%	21%	23%	96
50 to 64	38%	10%	41%	11%	81
65 and over	44%	4%	38%	13%	57
Male	32%	6%	34%	28%	166
Female	50%	10%	23%	17%	174
High school or less	20%	15%	27%	38%	54
Some college	33%	11%	34%	21%	79
College graduate	46%	5%	25%	23%	140
Post-graduate	56%	4%	31%	9%	60
Attend services 1 or more/week	39%	10%	36%	14%	56
1-2 times a month	42%	5%	28%	25%	36
Less often	39%	10%	26%	25%	91
Never	44%	7%	25%	24%	135
North Country	32%	17%	36%	15%	23
Central / Lakes	72%	2%	22%	4%	32
Mass Border	32%	10%	39%	20%	63
Seacoast	42%	5%	23%	31%	113
Manchester Area	39%	10%	29%	22%	110

Favorability Rating – Ann McLane Kuster

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>(N)</u>
STATEWIDE	28%	10%	37%	24%	339
Registered Democrat	70%	8%	3%	18%	67
Registered Undeclared	19%	14%	45%	21%	151
Registered Republican	9%	5%	65%	20%	77
Democrat	66%	11%	8%	16%	116
Independent	17%	24%	29%	29%	71
Republican	5%	4%	65%	26%	145
Liberal	49%	7%	17%	27%	102
Moderate	28%	14%	38%	20%	125
Conservative	7%	12%	57%	24%	93
Support Tea Party	10%	4%	67%	19%	60
Neutral	9%	15%	45%	31%	125
Oppose Tea Party	59%	7%	18%	15%	133
Approve of Obama	60%	9%	9%	21%	124
Neutral	16%	35%	23%	27%	18
Disapprove of Obama	9%	9%	57%	25%	195
Likely Voter	32%	10%	42%	17%	274
Non-Likely Voter	15%	14%	18%	53%	65
Union household	38%	7%	42%	13%	45
Non-union	27%	11%	36%	26%	291
Read Union Leader	17%	7%	55%	20%	81
Read Boston Globe	47%	1%	40%	12%	36
Watch WMUR	28%	7%	40%	24%	193
Listen to NHPR	48%	3%	30%	20%	100
10 yrs or less in NH	21%	17%	30%	31%	65
11 to 20 years	30%	8%	33%	28%	62
More than 20 years	31%	9%	40%	20%	204
18 to 34	13%	16%	37%	35%	85
35 to 49	28%	11%	36%	26%	86
50 to 64	31%	7%	46%	16%	92
65 and over	49%	10%	25%	16%	64
Male	27%	13%	42%	19%	168
Female	30%	8%	32%	29%	170
High school or less	14%	11%	29%	47%	63
Some college	20%	13%	44%	23%	90
College graduate	34%	9%	37%	20%	110
Post-graduate	44%	10%	34%	12%	73
Attend services 1 or more/week	20%	8%	43%	29%	82
1-2 times a month	28%	12%	31%	29%	34
Less often	34%	10%	35%	21%	94
Never	29%	13%	37%	22%	113
North Country	16%	14%	50%	20%	30
Central / Lakes	32%	2%	41%	25%	80
Connecticut Valley	38%	9%	28%	25%	97
Mass Border	21%	16%	39%	24%	115
Manchester Area	29%	12%	38%	21%	17

Favorability Rating – Frank Guinta

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>(N)</u>
STATEWIDE	27%	9%	29%	35%	339
Registered Democrat	11%	4%	57%	29%	73
Registered Undeclared	23%	12%	33%	33%	137
Registered Republican	53%	5%	12%	30%	81
Democrat	11%	8%	46%	36%	143
Independent	15%	17%	24%	44%	76
Republican	54%	5%	13%	28%	115
Liberal	8%	7%	47%	39%	69
Moderate	17%	9%	38%	36%	133
Conservative	52%	10%	11%	27%	96
Support Tea Party	61%	3%	7%	29%	65
Neutral	27%	13%	16%	43%	133
Oppose Tea Party	9%	7%	55%	29%	127
Approve of Obama	7%	6%	47%	40%	131
Neutral	14%	20%	27%	38%	33
Disapprove of Obama	43%	9%	16%	31%	175
Likely Voter	30%	8%	33%	28%	256
Non-Likely Voter	15%	12%	14%	59%	81
Union household	22%	10%	53%	15%	39
Non-union	27%	9%	26%	38%	294
Read Union Leader	39%	7%	40%	14%	90
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35 to 49	21%	17%	22%	41%	96
50 to 64	35%	7%	34%	24%	80
65 and over	33%	5%	44%	18%	56
Male	33%	4%	27%	36%	165
Female	20%	14%	31%	35%	174
High school or less	32%	8%	20%	40%	54
Some college	32%	10%	23%	35%	79
College graduate	23%	6%	31%	40%	140
Post-graduate	27%	13%	44%	16%	59
Attend services 1 or more/week	46%	10%	26%	19%	56
1-2 times a month	34%	4%	28%	34%	36
Less often	23%	14%	31%	32%	90
Never	18%	6%	31%	45%	135
North Country	21%	10%	28%	40%	23
Central / Lakes	32%	2%	29%	37%	31
Mass Border	30%	10%	37%	23%	63
Seacoast	16%	9%	25%	50%	113
Manchester Area	35%	10%	29%	25%	109

Favorability Rating –Marilinda Garcia

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>(N)</u>
STATEWIDE	24%	7%	27%	43%	340
Registered Democrat	9%	2%	47%	41%	67
Registered Undeclared	24%	10%	26%	39%	153
Registered Republican	41%	3%	13%	43%	77
Democrat	5%	9%	47%	38%	116
Independent	22%	8%	22%	49%	71
Republican	38%	5%	14%	42%	146
Liberal	11%	3%	32%	54%	102
Moderate	24%	11%	33%	33%	125
Conservative	35%	8%	14%	42%	95
Support Tea Party	55%	4%	10%	31%	60
Neutral	19%	8%	16%	58%	125
Oppose Tea Party	14%	6%	46%	34%	134
Approve of Obama	9%	5%	45%	42%	124
Neutral	11%	21%	5%	63%	18
Disapprove of Obama	34%	7%	17%	41%	196
Likely Voter	27%	7%	29%	37%	275
Non-Likely Voter	9%	7%	14%	69%	65
Union household	36%	2%	30%	32%	45
Non-union	21%	8%	26%	45%	292
Read Union Leader	31%	5%	22%	41%	81
Read Boston Globe	20%	11%	38%	32%	36
Watch WMUR	25%	4%	32%	39%	193
Listen to NHPR	26%	2%	42%	31%	100
10 yrs or less in NH	14%	11%	19%	56%	65
11 to 20 years	32%	7%	27%	34%	62
More than 20 years	23%	6%	29%	42%	204
18 to 34	13%	10%	13%	64%	85
35 to 49	29%	7%	20%	44%	86
50 to 64	28%	7%	31%	34%	92
65 and over	19%	5%	45%	32%	66
Male	27%	11%	18%	43%	170
Female	20%	3%	35%	43%	170
High school or less	26%	8%	16%	51%	63
Some college	23%	10%	18%	49%	90
College graduate	26%	6%	30%	39%	110
Post-graduate	16%	3%	43%	38%	75
Attend services 1 or more/week	30%	3%	16%	51%	82
1-2 times a month	30%	5%	20%	45%	34
Less often	28%	12%	29%	30%	96
Never	10%	6%	34%	50%	113
North Country	12%	9%	14%	64%	30
Central / Lakes	22%	1%	30%	47%	80
Connecticut Valley	27%	8%	24%	41%	98
Mass Border	25%	9%	27%	39%	115
Manchester Area	22%	14%	40%	24%	17

US Congress District 1 – Frank Guinta vs. Carol Shea-Porter – Likely Voters

STATEWIDE	<u>Guinta</u> 32%	<u>Shea-Porter</u> 37%	<u>Other</u> 3%	<u>DK</u> 29%	<u>(N)</u> 255
Registered Democrat	1%	87%	1%	11%	64
Registered Undeclared	27%	27%	5%	41%	115
Registered Republican	71%	6%	0%	23%	67
Democrat	1%	68%	1%	29%	115
Independent	11%	24%	12%	53%	37
Republican	75%	4%	1%	20%	100
Liberal	4%	76%	3%	17%	53
Moderate	19%	38%	3%	41%	103
Conservative	61%	9%	3%	27%	79
Support Tea Party	75%	0%	3%	22%	45
Neutral	39%	17%	5%	39%	93
Oppose Tea Party	6%	70%	1%	24%	108
Approve of Obama	3%	70%	2%	25%	102
Neutral	32%	45%	0%	23%	16
Disapprove of Obama	53%	11%	3%	33%	137
Union household	17%	63%	2%	18%	35
Non-union	34%	32%	3%	31%	215
Read Union Leader	46%	33%	2%	18%	76
Read Boston Globe	22%	47%	0%	31%	35
Watch WMUR	28%	42%	1%	29%	156
Listen to NHPR	13%	58%	5%	23%	77
10 yrs or less in NH	26%	31%	0%	43%	40
11 to 20 years	32%	34%	2%	32%	56
More than 20 years	32%	40%	3%	25%	147
18 to 34	29%	29%	0%	42%	52
35 to 49	20%	38%	4%	37%	69
50 to 64	44%	35%	3%	17%	70
65 and over	34%	44%	1%	21%	52
Male	43%	33%	3%	21%	120
Female	21%	40%	2%	37%	135
High school or less	37%	20%	7%	36%	28
Some college	39%	28%	2%	31%	58
College graduate	29%	37%	2%	32%	108
Post-graduate	28%	54%	1%	17%	56
Attend services 1 or more/week	40%	31%	2%	27%	51
1-2 times a month	35%	31%	0%	34%	29
Less often	31%	38%	5%	26%	66
Never	25%	43%	2%	30%	91
North Country	26%	43%	0%	30%	18
Central / Lakes	29%	51%	0%	20%	23
Mass Border	33%	26%	3%	37%	46
Seacoast	23%	36%	4%	37%	80
Manchester Area	40%	37%	2%	20%	87

US Congress District 1 – Frank Guinta vs. Carol Shea-Porter – Likely Voters – With Leaners

STATEWIDE	<u>Guinta</u> 39%	<u>Shea-Porter</u> 42%	<u>Other</u> 3%	<u>DK</u> 16%	<u>(N)</u> 255
Registered Democrat	1%	93%	1%	5%	64
Registered Undeclared	36%	36%	5%	23%	115
Registered Republican	83%	7%	1%	10%	67
Democrat	3%	80%	1%	17%	115
Independent	30%	26%	12%	32%	37
Republican	84%	5%	1%	10%	100
Liberal	6%	80%	3%	11%	53
Moderate	30%	46%	3%	21%	103
Conservative	68%	14%	3%	16%	79
Support Tea Party	89%	1%	3%	6%	45
Neutral	48%	26%	5%	21%	93
Oppose Tea Party	7%	75%	1%	17%	108
Approve of Obama	7%	79%	2%	12%	102
Neutral	32%	45%	0%	23%	16
Disapprove of Obama	63%	15%	3%	18%	137
Union household	17%	77%	3%	2%	35
Non-union	43%	37%	3%	18%	215
Read Union Leader	48%	39%	2%	11%	76
Read Boston Globe	33%	53%	0%	14%	35
Watch WMUR	35%	46%	1%	18%	156
Listen to NHPR	19%	60%	6%	15%	77
10 yrs or less in NH	39%	44%	0%	17%	40
11 to 20 years	34%	41%	3%	22%	56
More than 20 years	40%	43%	3%	14%	147
18 to 34	39%	35%	0%	26%	52
35 to 49	30%	50%	4%	16%	69
50 to 64	48%	38%	3%	11%	70
65 and over	40%	45%	2%	12%	52
Male	49%	36%	3%	12%	120
Female	29%	48%	3%	21%	135
High school or less	40%	26%	7%	27%	28
Some college	51%	36%	2%	11%	58
College graduate	36%	42%	2%	19%	108
Post-graduate	31%	56%	2%	11%	56
Attend services 1 or more/week	53%	38%	2%	8%	51
1-2 times a month	35%	36%	0%	28%	29
Less often	37%	44%	5%	14%	66
Never	33%	48%	2%	16%	91
North Country	44%	43%	0%	13%	18
Central / Lakes	32%	63%	0%	5%	23
Mass Border	33%	40%	3%	24%	46
Seacoast	32%	42%	4%	22%	80
Manchester Area	48%	39%	2%	11%	87

US Congress District 2 – Marilinda Garcia vs. Ann Kuster – Likely Voters

STATEWIDE	<u>Garcia</u> 34%	<u>Kuster</u> 36%	<u>Other</u> 3%	<u>DK</u> 28%	<u>(N)</u> 266
Registered Democrat	1%	75%	1%	23%	57
Registered Undeclared	32%	30%	6%	33%	120
Registered Republican	69%	4%	1%	26%	65
Democrat	1%	77%	1%	21%	100
Independent	37%	18%	2%	43%	44
Republican	60%	8%	5%	27%	119
Liberal	13%	65%	0%	22%	74
Moderate	33%	38%	4%	25%	104
Conservative	54%	5%	5%	36%	78
Support Tea Party	77%	6%	2%	15%	50
Neutral	36%	16%	3%	45%	92
Oppose Tea Party	12%	64%	4%	20%	118
Approve of Obama	4%	72%	0%	23%	96
Neutral	0%	54%	0%	46%	10
Disapprove of Obama	54%	12%	5%	29%	160
Union household	39%	37%	1%	23%	40
Non-union	32%	36%	3%	29%	224
Read Union Leader	39%	25%	7%	29%	76
Read Boston Globe	20%	46%	2%	31%	34
Watch WMUR	37%	37%	3%	23%	158
Listen to NHPR	29%	57%	1%	13%	95
10 yrs or less in NH	23%	30%	4%	43%	47
11 to 20 years	41%	39%	1%	19%	57
More than 20 years	34%	37%	4%	26%	157
18 to 34	35%	23%	3%	39%	57
35 to 49	33%	35%	5%	27%	69
50 to 64	39%	37%	3%	21%	75
65 and over	24%	51%	2%	24%	55
Male	41%	28%	4%	28%	131
Female	27%	43%	2%	28%	135
High school or less	51%	25%	0%	24%	34
Some college	38%	17%	2%	43%	69
College graduate	31%	39%	6%	24%	96
Post-graduate	22%	58%	1%	19%	63
Attend services 1 or more/week	43%	21%	1%	34%	68
1-2 times a month	39%	25%	0%	36%	31
Less often	35%	42%	6%	16%	77
Never	22%	45%	3%	30%	78
North Country	26%	19%	3%	51%	20
Central / Lakes	32%	44%	1%	23%	62
Connecticut Valley	40%	33%	0%	27%	78
Mass Border	30%	35%	7%	27%	93
Manchester Area	38%	39%	0%	22%	13

US Congress District 2 – Marilinda Garcia vs. Ann Kuster – Likely Voters – With Leaners

	<u>Garcia</u>	<u>Kuster</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>DK</u>	<u>(N)</u>
STATEWIDE	41%	37%	3%	19%	265
Registered Democrat	1%	78%	1%	20%	57
Registered Undeclared	41%	31%	6%	22%	120
Registered Republican	81%	5%	1%	13%	64
Democrat	6%	79%	1%	14%	100
Independent	49%	20%	2%	29%	44
Republican	67%	8%	5%	20%	118
Liberal	13%	66%	0%	21%	74
Moderate	41%	39%	4%	17%	104
Conservative	68%	7%	5%	20%	77
Support Tea Party	79%	6%	2%	13%	50
Neutral	53%	17%	3%	27%	91
Oppose Tea Party	15%	65%	4%	16%	118
Approve of Obama	6%	74%	0%	19%	96
Neutral	0%	54%	0%	46%	10
Disapprove of Obama	64%	13%	5%	18%	159
Union household	47%	38%	1%	14%	39
Non-union	39%	37%	3%	20%	224
Read Union Leader	45%	27%	7%	21%	76
Read Boston Globe	26%	47%	2%	25%	34
Watch WMUR	42%	38%	3%	17%	157
Listen to NHPR	32%	58%	1%	9%	95
10 yrs or less in NH	40%	30%	4%	26%	47
11 to 20 years	46%	39%	1%	14%	57
More than 20 years	39%	38%	4%	19%	156
18 to 34	47%	23%	3%	27%	57
35 to 49	44%	35%	5%	16%	69
50 to 64	43%	39%	3%	15%	74
65 and over	26%	55%	2%	17%	55
Male	49%	28%	4%	20%	131
Female	33%	46%	2%	19%	134
High school or less	51%	27%	0%	22%	34
Some college	53%	18%	2%	27%	69
College graduate	37%	40%	6%	17%	95
Post-graduate	27%	59%	1%	13%	63
Attend services 1 or more/week	47%	24%	1%	28%	67
1-2 times a month	50%	25%	0%	25%	31
Less often	37%	43%	6%	13%	77
Never	36%	46%	3%	15%	78
North Country	45%	22%	3%	30%	20
Central / Lakes	38%	45%	1%	16%	61
Connecticut Valley	43%	34%	0%	22%	78
Mass Border	40%	36%	7%	16%	93
Manchester Area	38%	39%	0%	22%	13