

BOSTON GLOBE POLL #26
MA 2010 GUBERNATORIAL ELECTION

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Technical Report

Field Period: June 17 to June 23, 2010

Hours: 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Median Completion Time: 16 minutes

Sample Size: 558 randomly selected Massachusetts adults (RDD)
497 randomly selected likely November, 2010 voters

Sampling Error: Full sample +/- 4.2%
Likely voters +/- 4.4%

Response Rate (AAPOR #4): 21%

The data have been weighted by the number of adults in a household and the number of telephone numbers at which a household can be reached in order to equalize the chances of an individual MA adult being selected. The data have also been weighted by the sex and race of the respondent and the region of the state based on the American Community Survey conducted by the US Census.

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FINAL

INTRO:

“Good afternoon / evening. My name is _____ and I'm from the University of New Hampshire Survey Center. We are conducting a short, confidential study about politics and policy in Massachusetts, and we'd really appreciate your help and cooperation.”

- 1 CONTINUE
- 99 REFUSED

BIR1

“In order to determine who to interview, could you tell me, of the adults who currently live in your household -- including yourself -- who had the most recent birthday? I don't mean who is the youngest, but rather, who had the most recent birthday?”

- 1 INFORMANT → SKIP TO SEX
- 2 SOMEONE ELSE (SPECIFY): _____ → SKIP TO INT2
- 3 DON'T KNOW ALL BIRTHDAYS, ONLY SOME → CONTINUE WITH BIR2
- 4 DON'T KNOW ANY BIRTHDAYS OTHER THAN OWN → SKIP TO SEX
- 99 REFUSED -- ENTER NON-RESPONSE INFORMATION

BIR2

“Of the ones that you do know, who had the most recent birthday?”

- 1 INFORMANT → SKIP TO SEX
- 2 SOMEONE ELSE (SPECIFY): _____ → SKIP TO INT2
- 99 REFUSED

INT2

ASK TO SPEAK TO THAT PERSON

“Good afternoon / evening, this is _____ calling from the University of New Hampshire. This month, we are conducting a confidential study about politics and policy in Massachusetts, and we'd really appreciate your help and cooperation. You have been identified as the adult in your household who had the most recent birthday. Is this correct?”

- 1 YES SKIP TO SEX
- 2 APPOINTMENT
- 99 REFUSAL TERMINATE

SEX

“Thank you very much for helping us with this important study. We really appreciate your help. Before we begin I want to assure you that all of your answers are strictly confidential. Your telephone number was randomly selected from all families in Massachusetts and your responses will be combined with answers from other people from across the state.”

“Participation is voluntary. If you decide to participate, you may decline to answer any question or end the interview at any time. This call may be monitored for quality assurance.”

IF ASKED: “This survey will take about ten minutes to complete.”

RECORD SEX OF RESPONDENT

- 1 MALE
- 2 FEMALE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

MIPMA

“First of all ... there are many problems facing the State of Massachusetts today. In general, what do you think is the most IMPORTANT problem facing the State of Massachusetts today?” (PROBE: “Could you be more SPECIFIC or give me an example?”)

RECORD VERBATIM PROBE FOR SPECIFIC RESPONSE

TRACKMA

“Do you think things in Massachusetts are generally going in the right direction or are they seriously off on the wrong track?”

- 1 RIGHT DIRECTION
- 2 WRONG TRACK
- 98 DK (PROBE: REPEAT QUESTION)
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

GOVAPP

“GENERALLY SPEAKING, do you approve or disapprove of the way Deval Patrick is handling his job as governor?”

(IF APPROVE): “Would you say that you STRONGLY approve of the way he is handling his job as governor, or that you approve only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF DISAPPROVE): “Would you say that you STRONGLY disapprove of the way he is handling his job as governor, or that you disapprove only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF NEITHER, NOT SURE, DK): “Would you say that you lean a little more toward APPROVING or DISAPPROVING of the way he is handling his job as governor?”

- 1 STRONGLY APPROVE
- 2 APPROVE SOMEWHAT
- 3 LEAN TOWARD APPROVING

- 4 NEITHER, NOT SURE, DK

- 5 LEAN TOWARD DISAPPROVING
- 6 DISAPPROVE SOMEWHAT
- 7 STRONGLY DISAPPROVE

* 99 NA / REFUSED

PRESAPP

“And generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?”

(IF APPROVE): “Would you say that you STRONGLY approve of the way he is handling his job as President, or that you approve only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF DISAPPROVE): “Would you say that you STRONGLY disapprove of the way he is handling his job as President, or that you disapprove only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF NEITHER, NOT SURE, DK): “Would you say that you lean a little more toward APPROVING or DISAPPROVING of the way he is handling his job as President?”

- 1 STRONGLY APPROVE
- 2 APPROVE SOMEWHAT
- 3 LEAN TOWARD APPROVING

- 4 NEITHER, NOT SURE, DK

- 5 LEAN TOWARD DISAPPROVING
- 6 DISAPPROVE SOMEWHAT
- 7 STRONGLY DISAPPROVE

* 99 NA / REFUSED

SENAPP

“And generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the way Scott Brown is handling his job as Senator?”

(IF APPROVE): “Would you say that you STRONGLY approve of the way he is handling his job as Senator, or that you approve only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF DISAPPROVE): “Would you say that you STRONGLY disapprove of the way he is handling his job as Senator, or that you disapprove only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF NEITHER, NOT SURE, DK): “Would you say that you lean a little more toward APPROVING or DISAPPROVING of the way he is handling his job as Senator?”

- 1 STRONGLY APPROVE
- 2 APPROVE SOMEWHAT
- 3 LEAN TOWARD APPROVING

- 4 NEITHER, NOT SURE, DK

- 5 LEAN TOWARD DISAPPROVING
- 6 DISAPPROVE SOMEWHAT
- 7 STRONGLY DISAPPROVE

* 99 NA / REFUSED

LEGAPP

“And generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the way the State Legislature is doing its job?”

(IF APPROVE): “Would you say that you STRONGLY approve of the way the Legislature is doing its job, or that you approve only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF DISAPPROVE): “Would you say that you STRONGLY disapprove of the way the Legislature is doing its job, or that you disapprove only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF NEITHER, NOT SURE, DK): “Would you say that you lean a little more toward APPROVING or DISAPPROVING of the way the Legislature is doing its job?”

- 1 STRONGLY APPROVE
- 2 APPROVE SOMEWHAT
- 3 LEAN TOWARD APPROVING

- 4 NEITHER, NOT SURE, DK

- 5 LEAN TOWARD DISAPPROVING
- 6 DISAPPROVE SOMEWHAT
- 7 STRONGLY DISAPPROVE

* 99 NA / REFUSED

FAV

“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 don't know enough about him or her to say. First, how about ... ROTATE FAV1 TO FAV7

FAV1

“Governor Deval Patrick.”

IF NECESSARY: “Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion about him, or don't you know enough about him to say?”

- 1 FAVORABLE
- 2 NEITHER FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE - VOLUNTEERED
- 3 UNFAVORABLE

- 98 DK / NEVER HEARD OF / KNOW TOO LITTLE TO SAY
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

FAV2 “Attorney General Martha Coakley.”

FAV3 “State Treasurer Tim Cahill.”

FAV4 “Republican gubernatorial candidate Charlie Baker.”

FAV5 “Senator John Kerry.”

FAV6 “Senator Scott Brown.”

FAV7 “President Barack Obama.”

VOTEMOT

“Think for a minute about political incumbents, the people in Washington and Massachusetts who are currently in office. Overall, do you trust current political incumbents to provide leadership in Washington and Massachusetts or do you think political incumbents in Washington and Massachusetts need to be replaced by a new crop of leaders?” ROTATE RESPONSES

- 1 TRUST CURRENT INCUMBENTS
- 2 WANT NEW CROP OF LEADERS
- 3 OTHER – IT DEPENDS ON THE PERSON

- 98 DK / NOT SURE – DO NOT PROBE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

TPARTY

"Overall would you say you support the political movement known as the Tea Party, you oppose the Tea Party, or that you neither support nor oppose it?"

IF NEITHER / DK: "Would you say you lean towards supporting or opposing the Tea Party movement?"

- 1 SUPPORT TEA PARTY
- 2 LEAN - SUPPORT
- 3 NEITHER SUPPORT OR OPPOSE
- 4 LEAN - OPPOSE
- 5 OPPOSE TEA PARTY

- 98 DK / NOT SURE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

STREP1

"Let's change the subject a minute ... do you happen to know who your Representative to the Massachusetts House of Representatives is?"

- 1 YES
- 2 NO

- 98 DK (DO NOT PROBE)
- * 99 NA

STREP2

"Do you plan to vote for your current Massachusetts State Representative in November or will you vote for his or her opponent?"

- 1 VOTE FOR STATE REP
- 2 VOTE FOR OPPONENT
- 3 WON'T VOTE

- 98 DK (DO NOT PROBE)
- * 99 NA

REGVOTE

“Are you registered to vote at your current address?”

IF YES: “Are you registered to vote as a Democrat, Independent, Republican or something else?”

- 1 REGISTERED DEMOCRAT → SKIPTO VOTEINT
- 2 REGISTERED INDEPENDENT / UNAFFILIATED → SKIPTO VOTEINT
- 3 REGISTERED REPUBLICAN → SKIPTO VOTEINT
- 4 REGISTERED OTHER → SKIPTO VOTEINT

- 98 NOT REGISTERED / DK (DO NOT PROBE)
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

NOTREG

“Do you plan on registering so that you can vote in the November election?”

- 1 YES
- 2 NO → SKIPTO ECON1

- 98 DK (DO NOT PROBE) → SKIPTO ECON1
- * 99 NA → SKIPTO ECON1

VOTEINT

“And as you know, the general election for Governor of Massachusetts and other offices is being held in November 2010. How interested would you say you are in the 2010 general election ... extremely interested ... very interested ... somewhat interested ... or not very interested?”

- 1 EXTREMELY INTERESTED
- 2 VERY INTERESTED
- 3 SOMEWHAT INTERESTED
- 4 NOT VERY INTERESTED

- 98 DK (DO NOT PROBE)
- * 99 NA

VOTELIKE

“Which of the following statements best describes you ... (READ NUMBERS 1 TO 5)

- 1 I will probably NOT vote in the November 2010 general election, → SKIPTO ECON1
- 2 I MAY vote in the November 2010 general election,
- 3 Unless some emergency comes up, I WILL vote in the 2010 general election,
- 4 I will DEFINITELY vote in the 2010 general election, or
- 5 I just don't know at this time.” → SKIPTO ECON1

- * 99 NA/REFUSED → SKIPTO ECON1

GOV1

"I know that it is early, but have you definitely decided who you will vote for in the election for Massachusetts governor in 2010 ... are you leaning toward someone ... or have you considered some candidates but are still trying to decide?"

- 1 DEFINITELY DECIDED WHO WILL VOTE FOR
- 2 LEANING TOWARD SOMEONE
- 3 STILL TRYING TO DECIDE

* 99 NA / REFUSED

GOV2

"If the 2010 Massachusetts gubernatorial election was being held TODAY and the candidates are Charlie Baker, the Republican ... Deval Patrick, the Democrat ... Tim Cahill, the Independent ... and Jill Stein, the Green-Rainbow candidate, who would you vote for ... Charlie Baker ... Deval Patrick ... Tim Cahill ... or Jill Stein?" ROTATE CANDIDATES

- 1 BAKER
- 2 PATRICK
- 3 CAHILL
- 4 STEIN
- 5 OTHER

- 6 WILL NOT VOTE IN GUBERNATORIAL ELECTION

98 DK / UNSURE
* 99 NA/REFUSED

CONGVOTE

"Please think about the November election for your representative to the U.S. House of Representatives. Do you plan to vote for the Democratic or Republican candidate for the U.S. House of Representatives ... or do you plan to skip the election for U.S. House of Representatives this time?"

ROTATE PARTIES

- 1 REPUBLICAN
- 2 DEMOCRAT
- 3 OTHER

- 4 WILL NOT VOTE IN US HOUSE ELECTION

98 DK / NOT SURE
* 99 NA / REFUSED

CHAR

“Thinking again about the candidates for governor ...

ROTATE CHAR1 TO CHAR3

CHAR1

“Does Deval Patrick’s four years as Governor make you more likely or less likely to vote for him in November, or will this make little difference in your vote?”

- 1 MORE LIKELY
- 2 LESS LIKELY
- 3 MAKE LITTLE DIFFERENCE

- 98 DK / UNSURE
- * 99 NA/REFUSED

CHAR2

“Does Tim Cahill’s eight years as State Treasurer make you more likely or less likely to vote for him in November, or will this make little difference in your vote?”

- 1 MORE LIKELY
- 2 LESS LIKELY
- 3 MAKE LITTLE DIFFERENCE

- 98 DK / UNSURE
- * 99 NA/REFUSED

CHAR3

“Does Charlie Baker’s record as a former health insurance company CEO make you more likely or less likely to vote for him in November, or will this make little difference in your vote?”

- 1 MORE LIKELY
- 2 LESS LIKELY
- 3 MAKE LITTLE DIFFERENCE

- 98 DK / UNSURE
- * 99 NA/REFUSED

ECON1

“Think for a minute about the state budget. Who do you TRUST MORE to handle the state’s budget and fiscal problems ... [ROTATE RESPONSES] Governor Patrick or the state Legislature?”

- 1 GOVERNOR PATRICK
- 2 STATE LEGISLATURE
- 3 BOTH EQUALLY
- 4 NEITHER

- 98 DK (PROBE: REPEAT QUESTION)
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

ECON2

“Overall, which of the following should be done to improve the state’s budget and fiscal problems ... should the governor and the legislature do more to cut government programs, services, and spending, or should taxes and other revenues be raised?”

ROTATE RESPONES

- 1 CUT PROGRAMS, SERVICES, SPENDING
- 2 RAISE TAXES AND OTHER REVENUES
- 3 SOME OF BOTH - VOLUNTEERED

- 98 DK (PROBE: REPEAT QUESTION)
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

GAME1

“Let’s switch gears and talk about gambling in Massachusetts. As you may know, the Massachusetts House and Senate have passed slightly different bills that would legalize casino gambling in Massachusetts. The Senate bill would allow gambling at three resort casinos while the House bill would allow gambling at two casinos and slot machines at the state’s four racetracks. Do you prefer the Senate bill with three resort casinos ... the House bill with 2 casinos and slot machines at racetracks ... do you not want any gambling, or haven’t you thought enough about this to say?”

- 1 PREFER SENATE BILL
- 2 PREFER HOUSE BILL WITH SLOTS AT RACETRACKS
- 3 PREFER OTHER GAMBLING BILL (VOLUNTEERED)
- 4 DO NOT WANT ANY LEGALIZED GAMBLING

- 98 DK / NOT SURE / DON’T KNOW ENOUGH ABOUT IT
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

GAME2

“How many times have you visited a casino outside of Massachusetts in the past twelve months?”

- 1 ONCE
- 2 2 TIMES
- 3 3 TO 5 TIMES
- 4 6 TO 10 TIMES
- 5 MORE THAN 10 TIMES

- 97 NEVER – VOLUNTEERED
- 98 DK / NOT SURE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

HC1

"Thinking about the national health care bill which was passed into law in April, do you think the changes the new law will make to the country's health care system will be generally good for the country or generally bad for the country?"

- 1 GENERALLY GOOD
- 2 GENERALLY BAD
- 3 SOME GOOD, SOME BAD/MIXED – VOLUNTEERED

- 98 DK / NOT SURE – PROBE: “In general ...”
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

HC2

"If your member of Congress voted for the health care overhaul just passed by Congress, would that make you more likely to vote for him or her in November ... less likely ... or will this make little difference in your vote?"

- 1 MORE LIKELY TO VOTE FOR
- 2 LESS LIKELY TO VOTE FOR
- 3 MAKE NO DIFFERENCE IN VOTE

- 98 DK / NOT SURE – DO NOT PROBE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

IMM1

"Turning to immigration for a moment ... In general, how serious a problem do you think illegal immigration is in the United States: a very serious problem, somewhat serious, not very serious, or not a problem at all?"

- 1 VERY SERIOUS PROBLEM
- 2 SOMEWHAT SERIOUS
- 3 NOT VERY SERIOUS
- 4 NOT A PROBLEM AT ALL

- 98 DK / NOT SURE – DO NOT PROBE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

IMM2

Overall, do you think illegal immigrants contribute to and help the state economy or do they take away from and hurt the state economy?" ROTATE RESPONSES

- 1 CONTRIBUTE AND HELP STATE ECONOMY
- 2 TAKE AWAY FROM AND HURT STATE ECONOMY
- 3 SOME OF BOTH - VOLUNTEERED

- 98 DK / NOT SURE – DO NOT PROBE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

IMM3

“Does Massachusetts need to do more to ensure that illegal immigrants do not receive public benefits?”

“Is that strongly or just somewhat?”

- 1 YES - STRONGLY
- 2 YES - SOMEWHAT
- 3 NEUTRAL
- 4 NO - SOMEWHAT
- 5 NO – STRONGLY

- 98 DK / NOT SURE – DO NOT PROBE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

ETHICS1

“Let’s turn back to state politics. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement ... Deval Patrick has brought reform to Beacon Hill.”

“Is that strongly or just somewhat?”

- 1 STRONGLY AGREE
- 2 AGREE SOMEWHAT
- 3 NEUTRAL
- 4 DISAGREE SOMEWHAT
- 5 STRONGLY DISAGREE

- 98 DK / NOT SURE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

ETHICS2

“How familiar are you with the recent controversy over political patronage at the Massachusetts Probation Department ... very familiar ... somewhat familiar ... not very familiar ... or not familiar at all?”

- 1 VERY FAMILIAR
- 2 SOMEWHAT FAMILIAR
- 3 NOT VERY FAMILIAR
- 4 NOT FAMILIAR AT ALL

- 98 DK / NOT SURE – DO NOT PROBE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

ETHICS3

“Do you think the patronage controversy in the Massachusetts Probation Department is an isolated incident ... do you think it is politics as usual for Massachusetts, or don't you know enough about it to say?”

ROTATE RESPONSES

- 1 ISOLATED INCIDENT
- 2 POLITICS AS USUSUAL

- 98 DK / NOT SURE – DO NOT PROBE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

SPORTS

“And on a completely different topic ... what is your favorite professional sports team?”

DO NOT READ RESPONSES

- 1 BOSTON BRUINS
- 2 BOSTON CELTICS
- 3 NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS
- 4 BOSTON RED SOX
- 5 NEW YORK YANKEES
- 6 OTHER - SPECIFY

- 7 NONE, DON'T FOLLOW PRO SPORTS

- 98 DK / NOT SURE – DO NOT PROBE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

TOWN

“Now, a few final questions . . .”

“What town do you live?” ENTER NUMBER OF TOWN FROM SHEET.

- 997 OTHER SPECIFY _____

- 998 DK - DO NOT PROBE
- * 999 NA / REFUSED

D1

“What is the highest grade in school, or level of education that you've completed and got credit for ...”

[READ RESPONSES]

- 1 “Eighth grade or less,
- 2 Some high school,
- 3 High school graduate, (INCLUDES G.E.D.)
- 4 Technical school,
- 5 Some college,
- 6 College graduate,
- 7 Or postgraduate work?”

- 98 DK (DO NOT PROBE)
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

D2

“GENERALLY SPEAKING, do you usually think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or what?”

(IF REPUBLICAN): “Would you call yourself a STRONG Republican or a NOT VERY STRONG Republican?”

(IF DEMOCRAT): “Would you call yourself a STRONG Democrat or a NOT VERY STRONG Democrat?”

(IF INDEPENDENT, NO PREFERENCE, OR OTHER): “Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican or to the Democratic party?”

- 1 STRONG DEMOCRAT
- 2 NOT VERY STRONG DEMOCRAT
- 3 INDEPENDENT, BUT CLOSER TO DEMOCRATS
- 4 INDEPENDENT--CLOSER TO NEITHER
- 5 INDEPENDENT, BUT CLOSER TO REPUBLICANS
- 6 NOT VERY STRONG REPUBLICAN
- 7 STRONG REPUBLICAN
- 8 OTHER PARTY

* 99 DK / NA / REFUSED

MASEN

“Think back to the special election for Senate in January. Did you vote Scott Brown, the Republican, Martha Coakley, the Democrat, someone else, or did you skip that election?”

- 1 SCOTT BROWN - REPUBLICAN
- 2 MARTHA COAKLEY - DEMOCRAT
- 3 OTHER

97 DID NOT VOTE

98 DK / NOT SURE

* 99 NA / REFUSED

D3

“What is your current age?”

RECORD EXACT NUMBER OF YEARS OLD -- E.G., 45

96 NINETY-SIX YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER

97 REFUSED

98 DK

* 99 NA

D4

“How many years have you lived in the State of Massachusetts?”

IF “ALL MY LIFE” ASK – “About how many years is that?”

RECORD EXACT NUMBER OF YEARS OF RESIDENCE

- 1 ONE YEAR OR LESS
- 96 96 YEARS OR MORE
- 97 REFUSED
- 98 DK
- * 99 NA

D5

“Are you of Hispanic or Spanish origin?”

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 98 DON'T KNOW
- * 99 REFUSED

D6

“Which of the following best describes your race? Is it ...White ... African-American ... Asian ... Native-American ... or some other race?”

- 1 WHITE (CAUCASIAN)
- 2 BLACK (AFRICAN-AMERICAN)
- 3 HISPANIC
- 4 ASIAN
- 5 NATIVE AMERICAN
- 6 OTHER - SPECIFY: _____
- 98 DON'T KNOW
- * 99 NO ANSWER/REFUSED

D7

“Including yourself, how many adults CURRENTLY live in your household?”

- 1 ONE - JUST RESPONDENT
- 2 TWO
- 3 THREE
- 4 FOUR
- 5 FIVE
- 6 SIX
- 7 SEVEN OR MORE
- 98 DK
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

D8

“How much TOTAL income did you and your family receive in 2009, not just from wages or salaries but from ALL sources -- that is, before taxes and other deductions were made? Was it” (READ CATEGORIES)

	<u>ANNUAL</u>	<u>MONTHLY EQUIVALENT</u>
1	Less than \$15,000,	LESS THAN \$1,250
2	\$15,000 - \$29,999,	\$1,250 - \$2,499
3	\$30,000 - \$44,999,	\$2,500 - \$3,749
4	\$45,000 - \$59,999,	\$3,750 - \$4,999
5	\$60,000 - \$74,999,	\$5,000 - \$6,249
6	\$75,000 - \$99,999,	\$6,250 - \$8,333
7	\$100,000 to \$149,999, or	\$8,334 - \$12,4999
8	\$150,000 and over?”	\$12,500 or more
* 97	REFUSED	
* 98	DK	
* 99	NA	

D9

“Not counting business lines, extension phones, or cellular phones -- on how many different telephone NUMBERS can your household be reached?”

1	ONE
2	TWO
3	THREE
4	FOUR
5	FIVE
6	SIX
7	SEVEN OR MORE
98	DK
* 99	NA / REFUSED

D10

“Finally, would you be willing to be interviewed by a reporter to discuss your reactions to some of the topics we've been talking about?”

1	YES “Could I have just your first name in case a reporter wants to call you?” _____
2	NO / DK (DO NOT PROBE)
99	NA / REFUSED

“Thank you for your time and participation. Your input has been very valuable. Goodbye.”

Tabular Results

"First of all ... there are many problems facing the State of Massachusetts today. In general, what do you think is the most IMPORTANT problem facing the State of Massachusetts today?" (PROBE: "Could you be more SPECIFIC or give me an example?")

	<u>Taxes</u>	<u>Jobs/ Economy</u>	<u>State Budget/ Spending</u>	<u>Govt. Corruption</u>	<u>Educa- tion</u>	<u>Health Care</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	8%	43%	17%	6%	6%	6%	12%	2%	551
Likely voter	8%	44%	18%	6%	6%	5%	11%	1%	492
Non-likely voter	9%	43%	17%	1%	6%	7%	13%	5%	30
Baker voter	10%	45%	20%	6%	3%	4%	13%	1%	150
Patrick voter	3%	47%	19%	3%	9%	5%	13%	1%	189
Cahill voter	12%	44%	10%	12%	8%	3%	7%	3%	44
Other/Undecided voter	12%	38%	17%	9%	7%	8%	7%	3%	106
Registered Democrat	9%	46%	17%	3%	7%	5%	10%	2%	170
Registered Undeclared	6%	47%	16%	7%	6%	4%	11%	2%	265
Registered Republican	9%	33%	23%	9%	4%	4%	18%	1%	66
Democrat	6%	44%	19%	3%	10%	6%	12%	2%	247
Independent	10%	42%	12%	10%	4%	8%	13%	1%	139
Republican	10%	41%	20%	8%	3%	4%	12%	2%	155
Support Tea Party	15%	34%	19%	7%	1%	7%	15%	2%	146
Neither Support/Oppose	8%	41%	17%	7%	7%	7%	11%	2%	157
Oppose Tea Party	2%	51%	19%	3%	10%	3%	10%	1%	205
Male	11%	41%	20%	7%	2%	4%	14%	2%	262
Female	5%	45%	15%	5%	11%	8%	10%	2%	289
35 or under	10%	35%	18%	0%	8%	9%	14%	6%	75
35 to 49	6%	40%	23%	4%	7%	6%	13%	1%	121
50 to 64	7%	51%	14%	6%	5%	5%	10%	0%	207
65 and over	9%	39%	15%	9%	7%	4%	14%	2%	140
White	7%	44%	18%	6%	6%	6%	11%	2%	481
African American	25%	38%	7%	4%	17%	3%	8%	0%	24
Other	4%	42%	15%	6%	3%	7%	22%	1%	34
10 years or less in MA	4%	25%	28%	4%	8%	12%	18%	2%	40
11 to 20 years	15%	41%	22%	1%	4%	7%	8%	2%	61
More than 20 years	7%	45%	16%	7%	7%	5%	12%	2%	445
High school or less	16%	34%	11%	9%	7%	8%	13%	2%	92
Some college	8%	50%	8%	7%	4%	7%	14%	3%	101
College graduate	6%	47%	21%	3%	6%	6%	10%	2%	198
Post-graduate	5%	40%	21%	6%	9%	4%	14%	1%	154
Less than \$30K	15%	39%	10%	3%	4%	7%	16%	4%	34
\$30K to \$60K	2%	52%	16%	4%	9%	8%	9%	1%	68
\$60K to \$75K	11%	48%	13%	4%	5%	3%	11%	5%	35
\$75K to \$100K	9%	44%	21%	7%	5%	5%	8%	2%	68
\$100K or more	8%	49%	15%	5%	5%	9%	7%	2%	86
Inside 128	5%	41%	19%	7%	5%	6%	15%	1%	143
128 to 495	9%	43%	21%	4%	5%	6%	11%	0%	160
Central MA	10%	42%	13%	7%	4%	7%	13%	4%	104
Western MA	11%	49%	12%	9%	7%	2%	8%	2%	69
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	4%	44%	16%	3%	15%	6%	11%	2%	75

“Do you think things in Massachusetts are generally going in the right direction or are they seriously off on the wrong track?”

	<u>Right Direction</u> 40%	<u>Wrong Track</u> 49%	<u>Don't Know</u> 11%	<u>(N=)</u> 554
ALL MA ADULTS				
Likely voter	39%	50%	11%	494
Non-likely voter	35%	59%	6%	31
Baker voter	17%	76%	8%	152
Patrick voter	73%	16%	11%	188
Cahill voter	11%	76%	13%	42
Other/Undecided voter	24%	63%	13%	108
Registered Democrat	58%	32%	11%	171
Registered Undeclared	33%	56%	11%	263
Registered Republican	19%	72%	8%	66
Democrat	59%	28%	12%	250
Independent	31%	59%	10%	140
Republican	16%	75%	9%	154
Support Tea Party	15%	78%	7%	147
Neither Support/Oppose	33%	54%	13%	159
Oppose Tea Party	65%	23%	12%	205
Male	38%	53%	10%	268
Female	42%	46%	13%	286
35 or under	43%	45%	12%	77
35 to 49	40%	47%	14%	121
50 to 64	38%	53%	9%	208
65 and over	42%	46%	12%	140
White	40%	50%	10%	480
African American	44%	42%	14%	28
Other	38%	43%	18%	34
10 years or less in MA	50%	37%	13%	42
11 to 20 years	53%	37%	10%	63
More than 20 years	37%	52%	11%	444
High school or less	28%	64%	8%	98
Some college	31%	60%	10%	101
College graduate	44%	44%	11%	194
Post-graduate	49%	37%	14%	154
Less than \$30K	33%	54%	12%	36
\$30K to \$60K	45%	45%	10%	68
\$60K to \$75K	33%	49%	17%	34
\$75K to \$100K	45%	49%	7%	67
\$100K or more	36%	55%	9%	85
Inside 128	43%	46%	10%	146
128 to 495	40%	49%	11%	162
Central MA	31%	62%	6%	103
Western MA	45%	42%	13%	69
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	40%	43%	17%	74

“GENERALLY SPEAKING, do you approve or disapprove of the way Deval Patrick is handling his job as governor?”

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	42%	9%	49%	549
Likely voter	41%	8%	51%	493
Non-likely voter	42%	19%	39%	29
Baker voter	12%	6%	82%	152
Patrick voter	79%	7%	14%	190
Cahill voter	17%	1%	83%	43
Other/Undecided voter	26%	13%	61%	106
Registered Democrat	59%	9%	32%	170
Registered Undeclared	35%	9%	56%	261
Registered Republican	16%	6%	78%	65
Democrat	63%	11%	26%	249
Independent	29%	8%	63%	136
Republican	20%	6%	74%	154
Support Tea Party	16%	5%	79%	146
Neither Support/Oppose	36%	10%	53%	159
Oppose Tea Party	66%	10%	24%	205
Male	39%	6%	55%	267
Female	45%	12%	42%	282
35 or under	40%	18%	42%	76
35 to 49	33%	12%	55%	118
50 to 64	44%	8%	48%	208
65 and over	47%	5%	48%	139
White	40%	10%	50%	479
African American	72%	0%	28%	28
Other	47%	7%	46%	31
10 years or less in MA	58%	11%	31%	41
11 to 20 years	52%	9%	40%	62
More than 20 years	39%	9%	52%	440
High school or less	39%	9%	52%	96
Some college	39%	10%	51%	98
College graduate	42%	10%	48%	197
Post-graduate	46%	9%	45%	152
Less than \$30K	39%	4%	57%	35
\$30K to \$60K	48%	12%	40%	67
\$60K to \$75K	39%	9%	51%	35
\$75K to \$100K	36%	12%	52%	68
\$100K or more	33%	6%	61%	84
Inside 128	48%	10%	43%	146
128 to 495	38%	10%	51%	160
Central MA	34%	7%	59%	102
Western MA	52%	8%	39%	69
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	39%	12%	49%	72

“And generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President?”

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	53%	2%	45%	554
Likely voter	51%	2%	47%	493
Non-likely voter	52%	5%	42%	32
Baker voter	18%	2%	81%	151
Patrick voter	85%	1%	14%	190
Cahill voter	31%	5%	64%	44
Other/Undecided voter	45%	4%	51%	107
Registered Democrat	76%	1%	22%	172
Registered Undeclared	43%	4%	53%	262
Registered Republican	12%	1%	87%	66
Democrat	81%	1%	17%	253
Independent	43%	6%	52%	139
Republican	15%	1%	84%	154
Support Tea Party	15%	2%	83%	146
Neither Support/Oppose	48%	3%	48%	160
Oppose Tea Party	81%	1%	17%	206
Male	47%	2%	51%	266
Female	58%	3%	39%	288
35 or under	65%	7%	29%	79
35 to 49	49%	3%	48%	120
50 to 64	55%	1%	44%	210
65 and over	48%	1%	51%	138
White	50%	3%	47%	481
African American	86%	0%	14%	28
Other	68%	1%	31%	34
10 years or less in MA	64%	1%	35%	41
11 to 20 years	65%	2%	34%	63
More than 20 years	50%	3%	47%	445
High school or less	54%	3%	43%	97
Some college	46%	0%	54%	102
College graduate	53%	3%	43%	196
Post-graduate	57%	2%	41%	152
Less than \$30K	57%	3%	40%	36
\$30K to \$60K	62%	0%	38%	68
\$60K to \$75K	52%	6%	41%	35
\$75K to \$100K	47%	7%	46%	68
\$100K or more	42%	2%	56%	86
Inside 128	59%	0%	41%	147
128 to 495	51%	2%	46%	161
Central MA	45%	4%	51%	104
Western MA	56%	5%	40%	69
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	51%	3%	46%	73

“And generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the way Scott Brown is handling his job as Senator?”

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	50%	33%	17%	547
Likely voter	52%	30%	18%	486
Non-likely voter	39%	53%	8%	32
Baker voter	68%	26%	6%	152
Patrick voter	42%	24%	34%	185
Cahill voter	51%	36%	13%	44
Other/Undecided voter	49%	44%	7%	104
Registered Democrat	41%	28%	31%	168
Registered Undeclared	56%	34%	10%	260
Registered Republican	68%	25%	6%	65
Democrat	39%	32%	29%	243
Independent	47%	42%	11%	140
Republican	70%	26%	5%	154
Support Tea Party	71%	24%	5%	146
Neither Support/Oppose	48%	43%	8%	157
Oppose Tea Party	39%	29%	32%	202
Male	50%	32%	17%	266
Female	49%	34%	17%	281
35 or under	47%	41%	12%	75
35 to 49	43%	40%	17%	118
50 to 64	54%	28%	19%	207
65 and over	52%	31%	17%	139
White	51%	33%	16%	478
African American	67%	21%	13%	24
Other	30%	43%	27%	33
10 years or less in MA	44%	32%	23%	41
11 to 20 years	51%	34%	15%	60
More than 20 years	50%	33%	17%	439
High school or less	52%	37%	11%	93
Some college	50%	36%	15%	100
College graduate	49%	33%	17%	196
Post-graduate	50%	27%	23%	152
Less than \$30K	41%	51%	8%	35
\$30K to \$60K	48%	36%	16%	67
\$60K to \$75K	53%	31%	16%	34
\$75K to \$100K	52%	36%	12%	68
\$100K or more	53%	29%	19%	86
Inside 128	46%	33%	21%	144
128 to 495	47%	36%	18%	158
Central MA	55%	34%	11%	103
Western MA	43%	37%	19%	68
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	62%	23%	15%	73

“And generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the way the State Legislature is doing its job?”

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	30%	16%	54%	554
Likely voter	29%	15%	56%	495
Non-likely voter	38%	13%	49%	32
Baker voter	16%	8%	75%	152
Patrick voter	45%	16%	39%	189
Cahill voter	17%	14%	69%	43
Other/Undecided voter	27%	21%	52%	108
Registered Democrat	46%	12%	41%	172
Registered Undeclared	23%	16%	61%	264
Registered Republican	14%	11%	75%	65
Democrat	46%	16%	38%	250
Independent	21%	15%	64%	140
Republican	12%	14%	74%	154
Support Tea Party	16%	14%	70%	147
Neither Support/Oppose	32%	16%	52%	161
Oppose Tea Party	39%	15%	46%	204
Male	22%	15%	63%	268
Female	37%	16%	46%	286
35 or under	35%	23%	42%	79
35 to 49	33%	12%	55%	120
50 to 64	26%	15%	59%	208
65 and over	31%	16%	53%	139
White	29%	14%	56%	481
African American	60%	27%	14%	28
Other	25%	26%	49%	33
10 years or less in MA	30%	21%	49%	42
11 to 20 years	43%	26%	31%	62
More than 20 years	28%	14%	58%	444
High school or less	36%	16%	48%	95
Some college	27%	13%	60%	102
College graduate	31%	19%	49%	197
Post-graduate	28%	12%	60%	153
Less than \$30K	33%	26%	40%	36
\$30K to \$60K	32%	14%	54%	68
\$60K to \$75K	29%	9%	61%	34
\$75K to \$100K	26%	15%	59%	68
\$100K or more	33%	12%	55%	85
Inside 128	36%	12%	52%	147
128 to 495	29%	15%	56%	160
Central MA	21%	17%	62%	102
Western MA	37%	14%	49%	70
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	26%	25%	49%	75

“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 to say. First, how about ... Governor Deval Patrick.”

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>DK</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	43%	8%	45%	4%	558
Likely voter	44%	7%	47%	2%	497
Non-likely voter	29%	15%	34%	21%	32
Baker voter	10%	9%	78%	3%	152
Patrick voter	84%	5%	10%	0%	190
Cahill voter	19%	2%	79%	0%	44
Other/Undecided voter	30%	8%	57%	6%	108
Registered Democrat	61%	5%	30%	3%	172
Registered Undeclared	38%	9%	51%	2%	266
Registered Republican	15%	5%	75%	4%	66
Democrat	63%	7%	26%	4%	253
Independent	34%	12%	52%	3%	141
Republican	19%	6%	72%	4%	155
Support Tea Party	13%	8%	76%	2%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	38%	7%	48%	6%	161
Oppose Tea Party	68%	7%	23%	3%	206
Male	38%	5%	52%	4%	270
Female	48%	10%	39%	4%	289
35 or under	43%	7%	37%	14%	79
35 to 49	41%	6%	51%	3%	121
50 to 64	45%	9%	45%	1%	210
65 and over	44%	8%	43%	5%	140
White	42%	7%	47%	4%	485
African American	70%	4%	18%	7%	28
Other	41%	17%	37%	5%	34
10 years or less in MA	51%	9%	28%	13%	42
11 to 20 years	61%	4%	32%	4%	63
More than 20 years	40%	8%	49%	3%	448
High school or less	35%	10%	46%	9%	98
Some college	40%	9%	47%	4%	102
College graduate	43%	7%	46%	4%	198
Post-graduate	52%	5%	41%	2%	154
Less than \$30K	42%	10%	41%	7%	36
\$30K to \$60K	46%	9%	41%	4%	68
\$60K to \$75K	36%	8%	51%	5%	35
\$75K to \$100K	38%	10%	49%	3%	68
\$100K or more	39%	2%	56%	3%	86
Inside 128	48%	10%	38%	3%	147
128 to 495	47%	5%	45%	3%	162
Central MA	30%	9%	58%	4%	104
Western MA	46%	4%	45%	4%	71
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	40%	8%	44%	8%	75

“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 to say. First, how about ... Attorney General Martha Coakley.”

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>DK</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	42%	8%	42%	9%	558
Likely voter	43%	7%	44%	6%	497
Non-likely voter	29%	24%	20%	27%	32
Baker voter	25%	6%	66%	3%	152
Patrick voter	61%	7%	26%	6%	190
Cahill voter	30%	2%	65%	3%	44
Other/Undecided voter	41%	9%	38%	12%	108
Registered Democrat	58%	8%	28%	6%	172
Registered Undeclared	36%	8%	48%	9%	266
Registered Republican	20%	7%	66%	7%	66
Democrat	56%	8%	29%	8%	253
Independent	37%	11%	42%	10%	141
Republican	23%	6%	63%	7%	155
Support Tea Party	28%	6%	60%	7%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	39%	11%	41%	10%	161
Oppose Tea Party	53%	9%	33%	5%	206
Male	35%	7%	50%	8%	270
Female	47%	9%	34%	10%	289
35 or under	39%	9%	34%	18%	79
35 to 49	41%	5%	43%	11%	121
50 to 64	42%	10%	42%	6%	210
65 and over	43%	7%	42%	7%	140
White	41%	8%	43%	8%	485
African American	62%	16%	23%	0%	28
Other	48%	3%	24%	24%	34
10 years or less in MA	33%	14%	41%	12%	42
11 to 20 years	57%	4%	29%	11%	63
More than 20 years	40%	8%	44%	8%	448
High school or less	41%	10%	37%	12%	98
Some college	46%	3%	40%	11%	102
College graduate	39%	9%	42%	10%	198
Post-graduate	43%	9%	44%	4%	154
Less than \$30K	62%	3%	26%	8%	36
\$30K to \$60K	49%	6%	38%	8%	68
\$60K to \$75K	61%	6%	26%	6%	35
\$75K to \$100K	42%	7%	42%	9%	68
\$100K or more	28%	8%	59%	5%	86
Inside 128	46%	8%	37%	9%	147
128 to 495	45%	5%	45%	5%	162
Central MA	37%	6%	46%	10%	104
Western MA	39%	11%	34%	16%	71
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	34%	14%	44%	8%	75

“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 to say. First, how about ... State Treasurer Tim Cahill.”

ALL MA ADULTS	<u>Favorable</u> 21%	<u>Neutral</u> 18%	<u>Unfavorable</u> 30%	<u>DK</u> 31%	<u>(N=)</u> 558
Likely voter	22%	18%	32%	29%	497
Non-likely voter	16%	31%	13%	40%	32
Baker voter	23%	10%	40%	28%	152
Patrick voter	19%	19%	34%	28%	190
Cahill voter	44%	18%	20%	18%	44
Other/Undecided voter	16%	26%	21%	37%	108
Registered Democrat	24%	16%	35%	25%	172
Registered Undeclared	20%	21%	28%	31%	266
Registered Republican	20%	19%	35%	25%	66
Democrat	20%	17%	31%	31%	253
Independent	17%	25%	30%	28%	141
Republican	27%	13%	29%	32%	155
Support Tea Party	29%	13%	29%	29%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	17%	21%	27%	35%	161
Oppose Tea Party	21%	19%	37%	23%	206
Male	22%	18%	35%	25%	270
Female	20%	18%	24%	38%	289
35 or under	17%	18%	20%	46%	79
35 to 49	23%	20%	27%	30%	121
50 to 64	23%	17%	32%	28%	210
65 and over	20%	18%	33%	29%	140
White	21%	19%	31%	29%	485
African American	13%	8%	25%	54%	28
Other	21%	13%	21%	45%	34
10 years or less in MA	12%	32%	29%	27%	42
11 to 20 years	17%	15%	24%	44%	63
More than 20 years	23%	17%	31%	29%	448
High school or less	19%	21%	23%	38%	98
Some college	20%	10%	36%	34%	102
College graduate	22%	19%	24%	34%	198
Post-graduate	22%	20%	37%	21%	154
Less than \$30K	18%	24%	14%	44%	36
\$30K to \$60K	22%	25%	20%	33%	68
\$60K to \$75K	28%	2%	36%	34%	35
\$75K to \$100K	20%	20%	40%	20%	68
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Inside 128	19%	19%	29%	33%	147
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Central MA	19%	21%	28%	32%	104
Western MA	24%	11%	29%	36%	71
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	15%	13%	32%	40%	75

“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 to say. First, how about ... Republican gubernatorial candidate Charlie Baker.”

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>DK</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	20%	16%	20%	45%	558
Likely voter	21%	16%	20%	42%	496
Non-likely voter	7%	13%	9%	70%	32
Baker voter	52%	11%	2%	35%	152
Patrick voter	5%	16%	38%	40%	190
Cahill voter	16%	25%	18%	40%	44
Other/Undecided voter	9%	19%	15%	57%	107
Registered Democrat	9%	12%	34%	44%	172
Registered Undeclared	24%	18%	14%	43%	265
Registered Republican	38%	21%	1%	40%	66
Democrat	9%	14%	31%	46%	252
Independent	19%	18%	19%	43%	141
Republican	36%	17%	3%	44%	155
Support Tea Party	39%	12%	6%	43%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	16%	20%	12%	53%	160
Oppose Tea Party	11%	15%	39%	35%	206
Male	24%	18%	18%	40%	270
Female	15%	13%	22%	50%	288
35 or under	11%	15%	18%	56%	79
35 to 49	21%	19%	13%	47%	121
50 to 64	21%	15%	21%	43%	209
65 and over	21%	16%	23%	40%	140
White	21%	17%	19%	43%	484
African American	6%	0%	25%	69%	28
Other	11%	8%	26%	54%	34
10 years or less in MA	15%	26%	14%	46%	42
11 to 20 years	10%	13%	24%	53%	63
More than 20 years	22%	15%	20%	43%	447
High school or less	11%	19%	15%	55%	98
Some college	19%	16%	16%	49%	101
College graduate	19%	15%	20%	46%	198
Post-graduate	27%	15%	25%	33%	154
Less than \$30K	6%	28%	11%	56%	35
\$30K to \$60K	15%	22%	19%	44%	68
\$60K to \$75K	18%	17%	15%	50%	35
\$75K to \$100K	24%	8%	26%	43%	68
\$100K or more	27%	13%	20%	40%	86
Inside 128	19%	17%	26%	38%	147
128 to 495	24%	17%	24%	35%	161
Central MA	19%	17%	10%	55%	104
Western MA	12%	12%	14%	62%	71
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	18%	14%	18%	50%	75

“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 to say. First, how about ... Senator John Kerry.”

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>DK</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	52%	5%	37%	6%	558
Likely voter	52%	5%	39%	4%	497
Non-likely voter	47%	5%	30%	18%	32
Baker voter	23%	4%	71%	3%	152
Patrick voter	79%	2%	15%	3%	190
Cahill voter	39%	5%	46%	10%	44
Other/Undecided voter	52%	9%	33%	7%	108
Registered Democrat	79%	4%	14%	3%	172
Registered Undeclared	44%	6%	44%	5%	266
Registered Republican	15%	2%	77%	6%	66
Democrat	75%	5%	14%	6%	253
Independent	45%	9%	42%	4%	141
Republican	21%	2%	72%	5%	155
Support Tea Party	23%	4%	71%	2%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	47%	4%	37%	11%	161
Oppose Tea Party	77%	7%	13%	3%	206
Male	46%	3%	47%	3%	270
Female	57%	7%	28%	8%	289
35 or under	50%	11%	23%	15%	79
35 to 49	51%	4%	38%	7%	121
50 to 64	56%	4%	38%	2%	210
65 and over	48%	5%	42%	4%	140
White	51%	5%	39%	5%	485
African American	70%	3%	21%	6%	28
Other	62%	7%	26%	6%	34
10 years or less in MA	52%	16%	28%	5%	42
11 to 20 years	58%	3%	32%	7%	63
More than 20 years	51%	5%	39%	5%	448
High school or less	52%	6%	34%	8%	98
Some college	44%	4%	48%	4%	102
College graduate	54%	7%	33%	6%	198
Post-graduate	56%	3%	37%	4%	154
Less than \$30K	65%	4%	21%	10%	36
\$30K to \$60K	55%	9%	32%	4%	68
\$60K to \$75K	54%	1%	37%	8%	35
\$75K to \$100K	55%	9%	33%	3%	68
\$100K or more	42%	7%	45%	6%	86
Inside 128	60%	3%	32%	5%	147
128 to 495	53%	5%	39%	4%	162
Central MA	41%	5%	45%	8%	104
Western MA	55%	6%	29%	9%	71
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	45%	11%	40%	4%	75

“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 to say. First, how about ... Senator Scott Brown.”

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>DK</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	55%	13%	18%	14%	558
Likely voter	57%	13%	19%	11%	496
Non-likely voter	38%	16%	10%	37%	32
Baker voter	76%	8%	8%	8%	152
Patrick voter	44%	14%	32%	10%	189
Cahill voter	63%	13%	9%	15%	44
Other/Undecided voter	52%	16%	16%	17%	108
Registered Democrat	42%	13%	33%	12%	171
Registered Undeclared	59%	15%	12%	13%	266
Registered Republican	84%	5%	2%	9%	66
Democrat	41%	12%	32%	15%	252
Independent	55%	17%	11%	17%	141
Republican	79%	10%	3%	7%	155
Support Tea Party	77%	10%	3%	10%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	58%	14%	13%	16%	161
Oppose Tea Party	39%	15%	34%	12%	206
Male	54%	14%	18%	14%	270
Female	56%	12%	18%	14%	288
35 or under	45%	8%	17%	29%	79
35 to 49	58%	9%	19%	14%	121
50 to 64	59%	14%	18%	9%	209
65 and over	54%	18%	17%	11%	140
White	57%	13%	17%	13%	484
African American	62%	8%	17%	13%	28
Other	35%	17%	28%	20%	34
10 years or less in MA	54%	10%	17%	18%	42
11 to 20 years	60%	2%	21%	17%	63
More than 20 years	55%	15%	17%	12%	447
High school or less	51%	19%	12%	19%	98
Some college	57%	18%	9%	16%	102
College graduate	58%	9%	20%	14%	198
Post-graduate	54%	12%	26%	7%	153
Less than \$30K	43%	38%	9%	10%	36
\$30K to \$60K	50%	16%	21%	14%	68
\$60K to \$75K	47%	18%	17%	18%	35
\$75K to \$100K	67%	11%	9%	13%	68
\$100K or more	52%	12%	25%	11%	86
Inside 128	52%	9%	24%	15%	147
128 to 495	53%	15%	21%	11%	161
Central MA	63%	13%	12%	12%	104
Western MA	43%	22%	14%	21%	71
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	69%	8%	12%	12%	75

“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 to say. First, how about ... President Barack Obama.”

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>DK</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	54%	4%	41%	1%	557
Likely voter	53%	4%	43%	0%	496
Non-likely voter	43%	0%	41%	16%	32
Baker voter	19%	4%	77%	0%	152
Patrick voter	86%	3%	10%	0%	190
Cahill voter	37%	10%	53%	0%	44
Other/Undecided voter	48%	4%	48%	0%	107
Registered Democrat	78%	5%	16%	1%	172
Registered Undeclared	47%	5%	49%	0%	265
Registered Republican	10%	0%	89%	1%	66
Democrat	84%	3%	12%	1%	253
Independent	43%	9%	46%	2%	140
Republican	14%	0%	85%	1%	155
Support Tea Party	16%	2%	82%	1%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	49%	6%	44%	1%	160
Oppose Tea Party	84%	4%	11%	1%	206
Male	48%	4%	47%	1%	268
Female	59%	4%	35%	1%	289
35 or under	69%	4%	24%	3%	79
35 to 49	52%	3%	44%	1%	120
50 to 64	54%	6%	40%	0%	210
65 and over	49%	3%	46%	2%	140
White	52%	5%	42%	1%	483
African American	79%	0%	14%	7%	28
Other	66%	1%	32%	1%	34
10 years or less in MA	62%	1%	32%	5%	42
11 to 20 years	67%	0%	32%	1%	63
More than 20 years	52%	5%	43%	1%	447
High school or less	50%	4%	41%	5%	98
Some college	48%	5%	47%	0%	102
College graduate	57%	2%	41%	0%	198
Post-graduate	58%	6%	36%	0%	153
Less than \$30K	60%	6%	31%	3%	36
\$30K to \$60K	60%	1%	38%	0%	68
\$60K to \$75K	57%	3%	40%	0%	35
\$75K to \$100K	53%	4%	41%	2%	68
\$100K or more	45%	5%	50%	0%	86
Inside 128	60%	4%	34%	1%	147
128 to 495	54%	3%	42%	1%	162
Central MA	44%	7%	48%	1%	104
Western MA	59%	1%	37%	3%	69
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	52%	5%	44%	0%	75

“Think for a minute about political incumbents, the people in Washington and Massachusetts who are currently in office. Overall, do you trust current political incumbents to provide leadership in Washington and Massachusetts or do you think political incumbents in Washington and Massachusetts need to be replaced by a new crop of leaders?”

	Trust Current Incumbents	Want New Crop of Leaders	Other/ Depends	Don't Know	(N=)
ALL MA ADULTS	28%	50%	18%	5%	557
Likely voter	27%	50%	20%	4%	496
Non-likely voter	20%	61%	5%	14%	32
Baker voter	5%	80%	15%	0%	152
Patrick voter	49%	21%	23%	6%	189
Cahill voter	17%	64%	17%	2%	44
Other/Undecided voter	22%	51%	22%	5%	108
Registered Democrat	45%	28%	22%	5%	170
Registered Undeclared	17%	58%	21%	4%	266
Registered Republican	6%	81%	12%	1%	66
Democrat	45%	28%	22%	5%	251
Independent	21%	56%	19%	4%	141
Republican	6%	79%	12%	3%	155
Support Tea Party	5%	80%	12%	3%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	25%	55%	15%	6%	161
Oppose Tea Party	45%	25%	27%	3%	205
Male	24%	59%	16%	2%	268
Female	31%	41%	21%	7%	289
35 or under	41%	44%	14%	2%	79
35 to 49	30%	48%	15%	7%	121
50 to 64	23%	51%	23%	4%	209
65 and over	25%	51%	18%	6%	140
White	25%	51%	19%	5%	483
African American	72%	15%	13%	0%	28
Other	34%	49%	7%	11%	34
10 years or less in MA	43%	37%	14%	5%	42
11 to 20 years	45%	33%	23%	0%	63
More than 20 years	24%	53%	18%	5%	447
High school or less	25%	57%	12%	6%	98
Some college	26%	59%	12%	3%	102
College graduate	27%	47%	21%	5%	196
Post-graduate	32%	41%	23%	4%	154
Less than \$30K	24%	49%	11%	16%	36
\$30K to \$60K	32%	44%	21%	2%	68
\$60K to \$75K	29%	54%	16%	1%	35
\$75K to \$100K	19%	53%	25%	3%	68
\$100K or more	27%	52%	19%	2%	85
Inside 128	33%	43%	17%	7%	147
128 to 495	25%	50%	20%	4%	162
Central MA	19%	61%	15%	5%	104
Western MA	35%	47%	16%	2%	69
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	26%	48%	22%	4%	75

"Overall would you say you support the political movement known as the Tea Party, you oppose the Tea Party, or that you neither support nor oppose it?"

	Support			Oppose			(N=)
	Tea Party	Lean Support	Neither	Lean Oppose	Tea Party	Don't Know	
ALL MA ADULTS	20%	6%	29%	3%	34%	8%	558
Likely voter	22%	7%	26%	3%	36%	6%	497
Non-likely voter	6%	0%	53%	3%	20%	17%	32
Baker voter	40%	15%	23%	2%	13%	7%	152
Patrick voter	8%	2%	18%	4%	62%	6%	190
Cahill voter	19%	5%	49%	1%	24%	2%	44
Other/Undecided voter	22%	6%	35%	3%	25%	8%	108
Registered Democrat	11%	3%	20%	2%	58%	5%	172
Registered Undeclared	21%	8%	34%	3%	27%	7%	266
Registered Republican	45%	14%	19%	2%	11%	9%	66
Democrat	6%	2%	23%	5%	58%	6%	253
Independent	17%	6%	45%	2%	20%	10%	141
Republican	45%	15%	24%	1%	7%	9%	155
Male	25%	6%	28%	2%	32%	6%	270
Female	15%	7%	30%	4%	35%	9%	289
35 or under	11%	4%	42%	4%	28%	11%	79
35 to 49	17%	7%	30%	1%	35%	10%	121
50 to 64	22%	6%	29%	2%	37%	4%	210
65 and over	24%	8%	20%	5%	33%	10%	140
White	21%	7%	27%	3%	35%	7%	485
African American	21%	0%	46%	3%	24%	6%	28
Other	6%	4%	36%	1%	29%	24%	34
10 years or less in MA	10%	4%	37%	1%	44%	4%	42
11 to 20 years	15%	9%	27%	4%	36%	8%	63
More than 20 years	22%	6%	28%	3%	33%	8%	448
High school or less	24%	3%	37%	2%	23%	12%	98
Some college	25%	7%	30%	3%	19%	17%	102
College graduate	20%	8%	28%	5%	35%	4%	198
Post-graduate	13%	6%	25%	2%	50%	3%	154
Less than \$30K	16%	1%	42%	7%	24%	10%	36
\$30K to \$60K	19%	4%	26%	7%	38%	6%	68
\$60K to \$75K	32%	2%	24%	3%	34%	5%	35
\$75K to \$100K	21%	12%	31%	1%	34%	2%	68
\$100K or more	20%	7%	30%	3%	35%	5%	86
Inside 128	20%	5%	24%	2%	40%	9%	147
128 to 495	22%	4%	27%	3%	33%	10%	162
Central MA	23%	11%	28%	5%	27%	6%	104
Western MA	14%	7%	39%	3%	32%	5%	71
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	17%	7%	34%	1%	34%	6%	75

“Let’s change the subject a minute ... do you happen to know who your Representative to the Massachusetts House of Representatives is?”

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Don't</u> <u>Know</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	60%	38%	1%	558
Likely voter	65%	33%	2%	497
Non-likely voter	17%	83%	0%	32
Baker voter	66%	33%	0%	152
Patrick voter	68%	32%	1%	190
Cahill voter	68%	31%	1%	44
Other/Undecided voter	58%	36%	6%	108
Registered Democrat	72%	28%	0%	172
Registered Undeclared	62%	36%	3%	266
Registered Republican	52%	47%	1%	66
Democrat	61%	39%	0%	253
Independent	55%	40%	5%	141
Republican	64%	35%	1%	155
Support Tea Party	65%	34%	1%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	57%	41%	2%	161
Oppose Tea Party	66%	32%	1%	206
Male	64%	36%	0%	270
Female	57%	41%	3%	289
35 or under	35%	65%	0%	79
35 to 49	53%	46%	0%	121
50 to 64	72%	26%	2%	210
65 and over	60%	37%	3%	140
White	63%	36%	1%	485
African American	50%	42%	8%	28
Other	28%	72%	0%	34
10 years or less in MA	35%	65%	0%	42
11 to 20 years	52%	48%	0%	63
More than 20 years	64%	34%	2%	448
High school or less	52%	48%	0%	98
Some college	54%	45%	1%	102
College graduate	59%	39%	2%	198
Post-graduate	70%	29%	2%	154
Less than \$30K	58%	39%	3%	36
\$30K to \$60K	64%	35%	0%	68
\$60K to \$75K	60%	40%	0%	35
\$75K to \$100K	52%	46%	2%	68
\$100K or more	56%	39%	5%	86
Inside 128	49%	51%	1%	147
128 to 495	71%	28%	1%	162
Central MA	50%	50%	0%	104
Western MA	70%	27%	4%	71
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	65%	32%	3%	75

“Do you plan to vote for your current Massachusetts State Representative in November or will you vote for his or her opponent?”

	<u>Vote For State Rep</u>	<u>Vote for Opponent</u>	<u>Won't Vote</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	36%	18%	8%	38%	549
Likely voter	39%	19%	3%	38%	491
Non-likely voter	13%	10%	38%	39%	29
Baker voter	23%	38%	1%	38%	150
Patrick voter	58%	9%	2%	31%	190
Cahill voter	28%	21%	4%	47%	42
Other/Undecided voter	32%	11%	10%	47%	106
Registered Democrat	58%	13%	4%	25%	169
Registered Undeclared	31%	20%	5%	45%	264
Registered Republican	16%	37%	7%	40%	63
Democrat	52%	8%	8%	33%	250
Independent	25%	18%	11%	46%	137
Republican	22%	35%	5%	38%	152
Support Tea Party	18%	44%	4%	34%	146
Neither Support/Oppose	34%	12%	14%	41%	158
Oppose Tea Party	53%	5%	6%	36%	202
Male	36%	23%	8%	32%	263
Female	36%	13%	8%	43%	286
35 or under	23%	9%	22%	46%	77
35 to 49	33%	20%	10%	37%	120
50 to 64	43%	17%	6%	34%	207
65 and over	36%	23%	3%	38%	138
White	36%	18%	9%	37%	479
African American	48%	18%	6%	27%	26
Other	34%	11%	10%	45%	33
10 years or less in MA	29%	7%	31%	33%	39
11 to 20 years	29%	19%	8%	45%	63
More than 20 years	37%	19%	6%	37%	442
High school or less	37%	23%	14%	27%	93
Some college	35%	15%	7%	43%	102
College graduate	33%	18%	9%	40%	195
Post-graduate	40%	17%	6%	37%	153
Less than \$30K	45%	9%	8%	38%	36
\$30K to \$60K	40%	16%	13%	31%	67
\$60K to \$75K	40%	24%	6%	30%	35
\$75K to \$100K	32%	23%	9%	37%	68
\$100K or more	33%	21%	7%	39%	85
Inside 128	36%	14%	9%	40%	143
128 to 495	35%	17%	8%	39%	162
Central MA	33%	23%	5%	39%	104
Western MA	41%	15%	12%	32%	71
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	35%	24%	8%	32%	70

“I know that it is early, but have you definitely decided who you will vote for in the election for Massachusetts governor in 2010 ... are you leaning toward someone ... or have you considered some candidates but are still trying to decide?”

	Def. Decided Vote	Leaning Toward Someone	Still Trying To Decide	(N=)
ALL MA ADULTS	24%	15%	61%	488
Likely voter	24%	15%	61%	488
Baker voter	23%	22%	55%	149
Patrick voter	39%	18%	43%	188
Cahill voter	8%	10%	82%	44
Other/Undecided voter	2%	4%	94%	104
Registered Democrat	35%	16%	49%	161
Registered Undeclared	16%	16%	68%	243
Registered Republican	27%	13%	60%	61
Extremely interested in election	33%	18%	48%	170
Very interested	26%	12%	62%	185
Somewhat/Not Very interested	8%	17%	75%	134
Support Tea Party	20%	15%	65%	142
Neither Support/Oppose	11%	15%	74%	127
Oppose Tea Party	36%	16%	47%	188
Democrat	31%	18%	51%	226
Independent	11%	10%	79%	113
Republican	22%	16%	62%	145
Male	29%	18%	53%	236
Female	19%	13%	68%	251
35 or under	17%	9%	74%	55
35 to 49	23%	13%	65%	102
50 to 64	23%	19%	58%	191
65 and over	29%	15%	56%	132
White	24%	16%	59%	429
African American	20%	0%	80%	24
Other	17%	9%	75%	24
10 years or less in MA	24%	7%	69%	26
11 to 20 years	12%	14%	75%	56
More than 20 years	25%	16%	59%	401
High school or less	22%	8%	70%	74
Some college	16%	16%	68%	90
College graduate	21%	16%	64%	172
Post-graduate	33%	19%	48%	146
Less than \$30K	10%	21%	69%	32
\$30K to \$60K	28%	17%	54%	51
\$60K to \$75K	14%	27%	59%	33
\$75K to \$100K	21%	12%	67%	63
\$100K or more	28%	18%	54%	81
Inside 128	30%	16%	55%	125
128 to 495	23%	19%	58%	149
Central MA	18%	12%	69%	90
Western MA	24%	7%	70%	60
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	20%	20%	60%	63

“If the 2010 Massachusetts gubernatorial election was being held TODAY and the candidates are Charlie Baker, the Republican ... Deval Patrick, the Democrat ... Tim Cahill, the Independent ... and Jill Stein, the Green-Rainbow candidate, who would you vote for ... Charlie Baker ... Deval Patrick ... Tim Cahill ... or Jill Stein?”

MA LIKELY VOTERS	<u>Baker</u> 31%	<u>Patrick</u> 38%	<u>Cahill</u> 9%	<u>Stein</u> 2%	<u>Other</u> 2%	<u>Don't Know</u> 17%	<u>(N=)</u> 494
Registered Democrat	10%	63%	6%	3%	5%	13%	162
Registered Undeclared	35%	30%	12%	3%	0%	20%	247
Registered Republican	67%	9%	7%	0%	2%	14%	63
Extremely interested in election	45%	34%	5%	3%	3%	10%	171
Very interested	29%	40%	10%	3%	1%	17%	183
Somewhat/Not Very interested	16%	41%	12%	1%	2%	28%	140
Definitely decided Vote	30%	65%	3%	0%	1%	1%	114
Leaning towards someone	44%	45%	6%	0%	0%	5%	75
Still trying to decide	28%	27%	12%	4%	3%	26%	296
Democrat	9%	64%	7%	3%	2%	14%	229
Independent	28%	24%	15%	3%	4%	26%	113
Republican	65%	10%	7%	1%	1%	16%	149
Support Tea Party	59%	12%	7%	2%	2%	18%	144
Neither Support/Oppose	27%	27%	17%	3%	4%	23%	129
Oppose Tea Party	12%	67%	6%	3%	1%	12%	189
Male	38%	35%	10%	2%	2%	14%	244
Female	24%	42%	8%	3%	2%	21%	250
35 or under	22%	29%	17%	8%	2%	23%	58
35 to 49	33%	34%	10%	4%	2%	16%	105
50 to 64	30%	42%	6%	0%	3%	19%	192
65 and over	35%	41%	8%	1%	2%	14%	132
White	32%	37%	9%	3%	2%	17%	435
African American	6%	64%	0%	0%	0%	29%	24
Other	26%	47%	7%	3%	5%	13%	24
10 years or less in MA	23%	41%	11%	5%	4%	15%	27
11 to 20 years	19%	47%	6%	1%	0%	28%	56
More than 20 years	33%	37%	9%	2%	2%	16%	406
High school or less	24%	37%	12%	0%	6%	22%	75
Some college	38%	33%	10%	2%	1%	16%	91
College graduate	31%	35%	8%	3%	2%	22%	178
Post-graduate	28%	49%	8%	3%	1%	11%	145
Less than \$30K	13%	48%	13%	2%	0%	24%	32
\$30K to \$60K	34%	36%	9%	8%	4%	9%	59
\$60K to \$75K	44%	29%	4%	2%	3%	18%	33
\$75K to \$100K	35%	36%	13%	2%	2%	13%	63
\$100K or more	37%	38%	12%	1%	0%	12%	81
Inside 128	27%	49%	7%	3%	1%	13%	128
128 to 495	35%	33%	10%	0%	2%	20%	148
Central MA	33%	32%	11%	3%	1%	19%	91
Western MA	20%	41%	11%	4%	7%	17%	63
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	36%	36%	4%	5%	0%	19%	65

"Please think about the November election for your representative to the U.S. House of Representatives. Do you plan to vote for the Democratic or Republican candidate for the U.S. House of Representatives ... or do you plan to skip the election for U.S. House of Representatives this time?"

MA LIKELY VOTERS	<u>GOP</u> 27%	<u>DEM</u> 42%	<u>Other</u> 6%	<u>Don't</u> <u>Know</u> 26%	<u>(N=)</u> 485
Baker voter	58%	10%	4%	28%	151
Patrick voter	7%	75%	3%	15%	188
Cahill voter	20%	27%	16%	38%	41
Other/Undecided voter	20%	34%	8%	37%	103
Registered Democrat	4%	76%	3%	17%	163
Registered Undeclared	28%	28%	9%	36%	238
Registered Republican	81%	3%	4%	12%	62
Democrat	4%	76%	2%	18%	226
Independent	21%	22%	15%	42%	109
Republican	67%	6%	4%	23%	147
Support Tea Party	60%	11%	5%	24%	142
Neither Support/Oppose	22%	35%	8%	36%	126
Oppose Tea Party	4%	70%	6%	21%	187
Male	33%	41%	5%	21%	236
Female	21%	43%	6%	30%	249
35 or under	27%	56%	4%	12%	51
35 to 49	29%	42%	4%	25%	104
50 to 64	25%	42%	8%	25%	193
65 and over	28%	37%	3%	32%	131
White	29%	40%	6%	25%	427
African American	3%	88%	0%	10%	24
Other	19%	48%	0%	33%	23
10 years or less in MA	33%	51%	5%	12%	25
11 to 20 years	23%	60%	0%	17%	56
More than 20 years	27%	39%	7%	27%	400
High school or less	16%	51%	6%	27%	74
Some college	38%	32%	6%	23%	90
College graduate	29%	41%	3%	27%	172
Post-graduate	22%	45%	8%	25%	143
Less than \$30K	13%	53%	6%	28%	29
\$30K to \$60K	15%	58%	6%	21%	56
\$60K to \$75K	27%	40%	3%	30%	32
\$75K to \$100K	23%	40%	2%	34%	62
\$100K or more	34%	35%	11%	19%	80
Inside 128	20%	54%	6%	20%	125
128 to 495	32%	42%	6%	20%	145
Central MA	27%	35%	9%	29%	90
Western MA	24%	39%	0%	37%	62
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	31%	30%	6%	33%	64

“Does Deval Patrick’s four years as Governor make you more likely or less likely to vote for him in November, or will this make little difference in your vote?”

	More Likely	Less Likely	Make Little Difference	Don't Know	(N=)
MA LIKELY VOTERS	30%	46%	20%	4%	492
Baker voter	7%	78%	13%	3%	152
Patrick voter	66%	7%	22%	5%	189
Cahill voter	4%	78%	18%	0%	44
Other/Undecided voter	12%	55%	28%	6%	105
Registered Democrat	46%	26%	23%	5%	162
Registered Undeclared	24%	53%	20%	2%	245
Registered Republican	10%	68%	16%	6%	63
Democrat	48%	26%	23%	3%	228
Independent	18%	52%	25%	5%	112
Republican	13%	70%	13%	5%	149
Support Tea Party	9%	72%	16%	3%	144
Neither Support/Oppose	19%	50%	30%	2%	128
Oppose Tea Party	54%	24%	19%	3%	189
Male	28%	48%	19%	4%	241
Female	32%	43%	21%	4%	251
35 or under	26%	44%	24%	6%	59
35 to 49	28%	53%	19%	0%	103
50 to 64	33%	42%	21%	4%	193
65 and over	30%	45%	19%	6%	130
White	30%	47%	19%	4%	435
African American	37%	6%	54%	3%	24
Other	36%	38%	16%	10%	23
10 years or less in MA	42%	44%	13%	2%	28
11 to 20 years	37%	25%	28%	9%	55
More than 20 years	28%	48%	20%	3%	405
High school or less	24%	45%	26%	4%	74
Some college	27%	52%	16%	5%	90
College graduate	28%	47%	22%	3%	179
Post-graduate	39%	39%	18%	4%	144
Less than \$30K	23%	39%	33%	5%	32
\$30K to \$60K	30%	44%	22%	3%	59
\$60K to \$75K	27%	58%	14%	2%	34
\$75K to \$100K	23%	53%	19%	4%	63
\$100K or more	19%	55%	22%	4%	80
Inside 128	34%	40%	21%	5%	128
128 to 495	33%	43%	20%	4%	149
Central MA	19%	59%	17%	5%	91
Western MA	34%	40%	27%	0%	61
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	29%	48%	18%	5%	63

“Does Tim Cahill’s eight years as State Treasurer make you more likely or less likely to vote for him in November, or will this make little difference in your vote?”

	More Likely	Less Likely	Make Little Difference	Don't Know	(N=)
MA LIKELY VOTERS	15%	30%	45%	10%	496
Baker voter	12%	43%	38%	7%	152
Patrick voter	15%	29%	47%	9%	190
Cahill voter	44%	4%	50%	2%	44
Other/Undecided voter	10%	26%	48%	17%	107
Registered Democrat	17%	26%	50%	8%	162
Registered Undeclared	15%	31%	45%	9%	249
Registered Republican	13%	39%	38%	10%	63
Democrat	16%	29%	47%	7%	229
Independent	15%	24%	46%	14%	115
Republican	14%	38%	40%	9%	149
Support Tea Party	14%	37%	37%	12%	144
Neither Support/Oppose	17%	21%	57%	4%	130
Oppose Tea Party	16%	31%	45%	8%	190
Male	12%	32%	48%	8%	242
Female	18%	28%	42%	12%	253
35 or under	9%	34%	44%	13%	59
35 to 49	24%	32%	43%	1%	105
50 to 64	13%	29%	48%	10%	193
65 and over	15%	31%	41%	14%	131
White	16%	31%	44%	9%	438
African American	0%	38%	62%	0%	24
Other	20%	20%	33%	27%	23
10 years or less in MA	25%	30%	40%	5%	28
11 to 20 years	14%	25%	48%	13%	56
More than 20 years	15%	31%	45%	9%	407
High school or less	7%	25%	49%	19%	74
Some college	14%	38%	41%	7%	91
College graduate	17%	27%	47%	9%	179
Post-graduate	19%	31%	43%	6%	146
Less than \$30K	9%	22%	57%	13%	32
\$30K to \$60K	17%	32%	43%	9%	59
\$60K to \$75K	16%	41%	32%	11%	34
\$75K to \$100K	21%	34%	37%	7%	63
\$100K or more	11%	24%	60%	4%	81
Inside 128	17%	31%	41%	11%	128
128 to 495	14%	29%	48%	8%	149
Central MA	10%	23%	57%	10%	91
Western MA	23%	34%	34%	9%	63
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	14%	36%	38%	12%	64

“Does Charlie Baker’s record as a former health insurance company CEO make you more likely or less likely to vote for him in November, or will this make little difference in your vote?”

	More Likely	Less Likely	Make Little Difference	Don't Know	(N=)
MA LIKELY VOTERS	20%	30%	37%	12%	494
Baker voter	47%	9%	36%	8%	152
Patrick voter	11%	43%	34%	12%	190
Cahill voter	8%	39%	44%	8%	44
Other/Undecided voter	5%	34%	42%	19%	105
Registered Democrat	15%	38%	39%	8%	162
Registered Undeclared	20%	29%	35%	16%	249
Registered Republican	38%	7%	47%	7%	63
Democrat	12%	43%	35%	10%	226
Independent	16%	31%	36%	18%	115
Republican	36%	11%	43%	10%	149
Support Tea Party	32%	18%	42%	9%	144
Neither Support/Oppose	21%	24%	43%	12%	128
Oppose Tea Party	11%	46%	33%	9%	190
Male	23%	30%	37%	10%	240
Female	18%	31%	37%	14%	253
35 or under	8%	45%	32%	15%	57
35 to 49	28%	23%	43%	6%	105
50 to 64	16%	33%	40%	11%	193
65 and over	26%	25%	32%	17%	131
White	21%	31%	37%	12%	438
African American	15%	11%	70%	4%	22
Other	12%	49%	18%	22%	23
10 years or less in MA	24%	40%	32%	4%	28
11 to 20 years	17%	34%	36%	13%	54
More than 20 years	21%	29%	38%	12%	407
High school or less	18%	26%	40%	16%	72
Some college	26%	17%	42%	16%	91
College graduate	19%	32%	40%	9%	179
Post-graduate	20%	39%	31%	10%	146
Less than \$30K	17%	31%	39%	13%	32
\$30K to \$60K	14%	40%	36%	11%	59
\$60K to \$75K	26%	21%	44%	9%	34
\$75K to \$100K	19%	38%	31%	12%	63
\$100K or more	22%	28%	47%	3%	81
Inside 128	21%	31%	35%	13%	126
128 to 495	21%	28%	39%	11%	149
Central MA	18%	36%	34%	12%	91
Western MA	18%	34%	40%	9%	63
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	25%	21%	38%	15%	64

“Think for a minute about the state budget. Who do you TRUST MORE to handle the state’s budget and fiscal problems ... Governor Patrick or the state Legislature?”

	Gov. Patrick	State Legislature	Both Equally	Neither	Don't Know	(N=)
ALL MA ADULTS	29%	30%	8%	27%	6%	554
Likely voter	29%	30%	8%	27%	6%	495
Non-likely voter	35%	29%	0%	30%	6%	32
Baker voter	15%	35%	3%	44%	3%	152
Patrick voter	56%	13%	12%	9%	11%	188
Cahill voter	16%	42%	4%	37%	1%	44
Other/Undecided voter	8%	43%	13%	33%	3%	108
Registered Democrat	40%	27%	11%	14%	7%	171
Registered Undeclared	27%	30%	7%	31%	5%	265
Registered Republican	11%	34%	2%	45%	7%	66
Democrat	40%	31%	10%	11%	8%	251
Independent	25%	24%	10%	37%	3%	138
Republican	13%	34%	4%	43%	6%	155
Support Tea Party	12%	30%	3%	49%	6%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	20%	36%	11%	27%	6%	161
Oppose Tea Party	47%	23%	11%	12%	7%	204
Male	36%	22%	7%	30%	4%	267
Female	22%	37%	9%	24%	8%	287
35 or under	24%	47%	6%	19%	4%	79
35 to 49	28%	37%	8%	25%	3%	121
50 to 64	30%	25%	10%	29%	7%	207
65 and over	31%	21%	8%	30%	10%	139
White	28%	30%	8%	27%	7%	482
African American	53%	20%	13%	11%	3%	28
Other	30%	40%	4%	21%	5%	32
10 years or less in MA	33%	37%	4%	22%	4%	42
11 to 20 years	34%	39%	10%	12%	5%	63
More than 20 years	28%	28%	8%	29%	7%	444
High school or less	30%	29%	6%	29%	6%	97
Some college	20%	35%	5%	34%	7%	100
College graduate	28%	36%	7%	23%	6%	198
Post-graduate	36%	18%	12%	26%	7%	152
Less than \$30K	21%	42%	8%	20%	9%	36
\$30K to \$60K	25%	29%	15%	25%	7%	68
\$60K to \$75K	28%	40%	0%	22%	9%	35
\$75K to \$100K	24%	31%	14%	27%	4%	68
\$100K or more	24%	37%	8%	29%	2%	86
Inside 128	30%	27%	8%	28%	8%	146
128 to 495	33%	30%	7%	26%	5%	161
Central MA	22%	37%	5%	31%	5%	102
Western MA	32%	27%	12%	25%	4%	70
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	24%	29%	13%	24%	10%	75

“Overall, which of the following should be done to improve the state’s budget and fiscal problems ... should the governor and the legislature do more to cut government programs, services, and spending, or should taxes and other revenues be raised?”

	Cut Programs/ Services	Raise Taxes	Some of Both	Don't Know	(N=)
ALL MA ADULTS	52%	23%	19%	6%	547
Likely voter	53%	24%	19%	5%	488
Non-likely voter	54%	16%	10%	19%	32
Baker voter	78%	7%	13%	2%	151
Patrick voter	29%	42%	22%	6%	187
Cahill voter	67%	14%	15%	4%	41
Other/Undecided voter	53%	18%	23%	6%	107
Registered Democrat	33%	42%	20%	6%	167
Registered Undeclared	59%	14%	21%	6%	263
Registered Republican	78%	6%	10%	6%	65
Democrat	33%	41%	21%	4%	247
Independent	58%	10%	22%	10%	136
Republican	78%	6%	11%	6%	154
Support Tea Party	82%	10%	4%	4%	147
Neither Support/Oppose	56%	16%	21%	6%	157
Oppose Tea Party	30%	39%	26%	6%	203
Male	59%	17%	20%	4%	266
Female	46%	28%	18%	8%	282
35 or under	48%	24%	23%	5%	79
35 to 49	48%	27%	19%	6%	120
50 to 64	53%	21%	21%	5%	203
65 and over	57%	21%	13%	9%	137
White	51%	23%	20%	6%	477
African American	56%	37%	7%	0%	28
Other	61%	20%	12%	7%	31
10 years or less in MA	48%	24%	21%	7%	39
11 to 20 years	36%	33%	24%	6%	62
More than 20 years	55%	21%	17%	6%	440
High school or less	57%	26%	8%	9%	95
Some college	56%	15%	23%	7%	100
College graduate	53%	21%	20%	5%	194
Post-graduate	45%	29%	21%	5%	152
Less than \$30K	61%	14%	17%	8%	33
\$30K to \$60K	45%	34%	18%	3%	68
\$60K to \$75K	74%	18%	7%	1%	35
\$75K to \$100K	53%	20%	21%	7%	68
\$100K or more	56%	17%	24%	3%	85
Inside 128	47%	30%	18%	4%	145
128 to 495	53%	21%	20%	6%	159
Central MA	64%	16%	15%	4%	102
Western MA	46%	20%	17%	17%	68
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	49%	24%	24%	3%	74

“Let’s switch gears and talk about gambling in Massachusetts. As you may know, the Massachusetts House and Senate have passed slightly different bills that would legalize casino gambling in Massachusetts. The Senate bill would allow gambling at three resort casinos while the House bill would allow gambling at two casinos and slot machines at the state’s four racetracks. Do you prefer the Senate bill with three resort casinos ... the House bill with 2 casinos and slot machines at racetracks ... do you not want any gambling, or haven’t you thought enough about this to say?”

	Prefer Senate Bill	Prefer House Bill	Prefer Other	Don't Want Legalized Gambling	Don't Know	(N=)
ALL MA ADULTS	27%	22%	4%	30%	17%	557
Likely voter	27%	21%	4%	31%	17%	496
Non-likely voter	34%	30%	0%	20%	15%	32
Baker voter	33%	20%	3%	31%	13%	152
Patrick voter	26%	20%	3%	31%	20%	190
Cahill voter	9%	33%	4%	35%	19%	44
Other/Undecided voter	30%	18%	7%	30%	15%	107
Registered Democrat	25%	23%	3%	30%	19%	171
Registered Undeclared	30%	22%	5%	29%	14%	266
Registered Republican	23%	18%	2%	36%	20%	66
Democrat	25%	24%	3%	28%	20%	253
Independent	29%	19%	5%	36%	11%	140
Republican	30%	19%	4%	29%	18%	155
Support Tea Party	26%	18%	5%	33%	17%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	30%	25%	3%	24%	18%	161
Oppose Tea Party	26%	23%	3%	33%	16%	205
Male	30%	21%	2%	32%	16%	270
Female	25%	23%	5%	29%	19%	288
35 or under	36%	26%	2%	22%	14%	79
35 to 49	29%	23%	1%	27%	20%	121
50 to 64	25%	22%	5%	33%	15%	209
65 and over	25%	19%	4%	33%	19%	140
White	26%	22%	3%	31%	17%	483
African American	45%	15%	0%	19%	22%	28
Other	34%	21%	9%	21%	15%	34
10 years or less in MA	21%	19%	1%	42%	17%	42
11 to 20 years	32%	21%	2%	29%	16%	63
More than 20 years	27%	22%	4%	29%	17%	447
High school or less	27%	28%	5%	18%	22%	97
Some college	26%	32%	3%	19%	21%	102
College graduate	30%	20%	2%	30%	17%	198
Post-graduate	25%	13%	4%	45%	13%	154
Less than \$30K	19%	22%	5%	26%	28%	36
\$30K to \$60K	29%	22%	1%	33%	15%	68
\$60K to \$75K	24%	30%	6%	29%	11%	35
\$75K to \$100K	31%	31%	1%	19%	17%	68
\$100K or more	32%	13%	2%	38%	15%	86
Inside 128	31%	19%	2%	32%	16%	146
128 to 495	24%	21%	6%	29%	21%	162
Central MA	28%	23%	2%	37%	10%	104
Western MA	35%	17%	6%	20%	21%	71
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	19%	32%	1%	30%	19%	75

“How many times have you visited a casino outside of Massachusetts in the past twelve months?”

	<u>Once</u>	<u>2 Times</u>	<u>3 to 5 Times</u>	<u>6 to 10 Times</u>	<u>More Than 10 Times</u>	<u>Never</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	14%	6%	5%	2%	3%	69%	1%	558
Likely voter	14%	7%	5%	1%	3%	68%	1%	497
Non-likely voter	7%	3%	14%	3%	3%	70%	0%	32
Baker voter	18%	10%	6%	2%	5%	58%	1%	152
Patrick voter	10%	5%	5%	2%	2%	74%	1%	190
Cahill voter	18%	2%	3%	1%	8%	67%	1%	44
Other/Undecided voter	15%	6%	3%	1%	2%	73%	1%	108
Registered Democrat	11%	5%	7%	2%	3%	71%	1%	172
Registered Undeclared	17%	7%	5%	2%	3%	64%	1%	266
Registered Republican	11%	6%	2%	0%	3%	78%	0%	66
Democrat	14%	5%	6%	2%	3%	70%	1%	253
Independent	10%	7%	4%	3%	6%	70%	1%	141
Republican	18%	7%	6%	1%	2%	65%	1%	155
Support Tea Party	17%	8%	3%	2%	4%	64%	1%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	18%	6%	6%	2%	2%	67%	0%	161
Oppose Tea Party	11%	5%	5%	2%	3%	72%	1%	206
Male	14%	7%	7%	2%	3%	67%	1%	270
Female	14%	6%	4%	1%	3%	70%	1%	289
35 or under	24%	7%	6%	0%	4%	59%	1%	79
35 to 49	11%	6%	11%	3%	1%	69%	0%	121
50 to 64	13%	8%	1%	1%	4%	72%	1%	210
65 and over	13%	4%	6%	3%	4%	68%	0%	140
White	15%	7%	5%	2%	3%	68%	1%	485
African American	4%	6%	8%	0%	0%	82%	0%	28
Other	10%	0%	14%	3%	8%	64%	2%	34
10 years or less in MA	15%	8%	4%	0%	2%	69%	1%	42
11 to 20 years	15%	2%	2%	0%	2%	79%	0%	63
More than 20 years	14%	7%	6%	2%	4%	67%	1%	448
High school or less	12%	5%	9%	2%	5%	66%	0%	98
Some college	11%	8%	6%	2%	4%	67%	2%	102
College graduate	17%	7%	5%	1%	3%	67%	1%	198
Post-graduate	13%	4%	3%	3%	2%	73%	1%	154
Less than \$30K	12%	5%	7%	1%	2%	72%	1%	36
\$30K to \$60K	13%	8%	2%	5%	2%	71%	0%	68
\$60K to \$75K	6%	18%	4%	2%	3%	65%	2%	35
\$75K to \$100K	21%	7%	6%	2%	5%	54%	4%	68
\$100K or more	16%	8%	5%	2%	5%	65%	0%	86
Inside 128	11%	8%	4%	2%	4%	70%	1%	147
128 to 495	15%	1%	3%	2%	4%	73%	0%	162
Central MA	15%	12%	10%	0%	0%	61%	1%	104
Western MA	22%	5%	5%	3%	2%	60%	3%	71
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	9%	6%	7%	0%	4%	73%	0%	75

"Thinking about the national health care bill which was passed into law in April, do you think the changes the new law will make to the country's health care system will be generally good for the country or generally bad for the country?"

	Generally Good	Generally Bad	Mixed	Don't Know	(N=)
ALL MA ADULTS	45%	39%	10%	6%	554
Likely voter	44%	42%	9%	5%	492
Non-likely voter	47%	27%	10%	17%	32
Baker voter	14%	75%	8%	3%	151
Patrick voter	76%	13%	7%	4%	190
Cahill voter	20%	45%	24%	11%	44
Other/Undecided voter	39%	45%	10%	6%	104
Registered Democrat	71%	16%	9%	4%	170
Registered Undeclared	36%	46%	11%	7%	264
Registered Republican	9%	80%	8%	3%	66
Democrat	71%	13%	11%	5%	249
Independent	39%	40%	12%	9%	141
Republican	8%	82%	7%	3%	153
Support Tea Party	11%	77%	10%	1%	147
Neither Support/Oppose	38%	38%	13%	11%	159
Oppose Tea Party	74%	15%	8%	2%	205
Male	43%	43%	8%	6%	265
Female	47%	36%	12%	5%	288
35 or under	50%	27%	13%	9%	76
35 to 49	42%	44%	9%	5%	121
50 to 64	49%	40%	9%	2%	210
65 and over	40%	40%	10%	10%	138
White	43%	42%	10%	5%	484
African American	79%	6%	16%	0%	26
Other	52%	18%	9%	21%	31
10 years or less in MA	55%	34%	10%	1%	42
11 to 20 years	54%	28%	15%	3%	61
More than 20 years	43%	41%	9%	6%	445
High school or less	44%	40%	7%	9%	93
Some college	36%	46%	13%	5%	102
College graduate	45%	40%	11%	4%	197
Post-graduate	53%	33%	8%	6%	154
Less than \$30K	39%	32%	15%	15%	35
\$30K to \$60K	58%	28%	10%	3%	68
\$60K to \$75K	40%	43%	10%	6%	35
\$75K to \$100K	38%	44%	12%	5%	68
\$100K or more	39%	47%	12%	2%	86
Inside 128	52%	32%	11%	5%	144
128 to 495	43%	47%	5%	5%	162
Central MA	39%	46%	12%	3%	104
Western MA	51%	31%	7%	11%	71
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	38%	36%	18%	7%	73

"If your member of Congress voted for the health care overhaul just passed by Congress, would that make you more likely to vote for him or her in November ... less likely ... or will this make little difference in your vote?"

	<u>More Likely</u>	<u>Less Likely</u>	<u>Make No Difference</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	30%	29%	36%	5%	558
Likely voter	32%	31%	33%	4%	497
Non-likely voter	10%	10%	72%	8%	32
Baker voter	9%	62%	28%	1%	152
Patrick voter	58%	7%	33%	2%	190
Cahill voter	16%	31%	47%	5%	44
Other/Undecided voter	22%	31%	35%	12%	108
Registered Democrat	48%	11%	37%	5%	172
Registered Undeclared	25%	31%	39%	5%	266
Registered Republican	6%	75%	19%	0%	66
Democrat	49%	7%	40%	4%	252
Independent	20%	29%	43%	8%	141
Republican	7%	65%	25%	2%	155
Support Tea Party	8%	65%	24%	2%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	18%	25%	51%	7%	161
Oppose Tea Party	56%	8%	31%	4%	206
Male	28%	34%	35%	2%	269
Female	31%	24%	38%	8%	289
35 or under	18%	16%	58%	8%	79
35 to 49	30%	28%	38%	4%	121
50 to 64	33%	32%	31%	3%	210
65 and over	31%	30%	31%	7%	140
White	31%	30%	34%	5%	484
African American	16%	6%	68%	10%	28
Other	21%	19%	52%	7%	34
10 years or less in MA	37%	23%	35%	5%	42
11 to 20 years	35%	18%	39%	8%	63
More than 20 years	29%	31%	36%	5%	448
High school or less	18%	23%	50%	8%	98
Some college	20%	37%	37%	7%	102
College graduate	30%	30%	36%	4%	198
Post-graduate	44%	24%	28%	4%	154
Less than \$30K	35%	19%	46%	0%	36
\$30K to \$60K	45%	20%	29%	6%	68
\$60K to \$75K	29%	38%	32%	1%	35
\$75K to \$100K	41%	30%	28%	2%	68
\$100K or more	24%	34%	37%	5%	86
Inside 128	34%	23%	38%	5%	147
128 to 495	29%	35%	30%	6%	162
Central MA	24%	35%	38%	2%	104
Western MA	30%	19%	45%	5%	70
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	30%	28%	34%	8%	75

“Turning to immigration for a moment ... In general, how serious a problem do you think illegal immigration is in the United States: a very serious problem, somewhat serious, not very serious, or not a problem at all?”

	Very Serious	Somewhat Serious	Not Very Serious	Not A Problem At All	Don't Know	(N=)
ALL MA ADULTS	55%	30%	10%	4%	1%	557
Likely voter	55%	31%	10%	4%	1%	496
Non-likely voter	69%	14%	17%	0%	0%	32
Baker voter	80%	17%	1%	1%	0%	152
Patrick voter	35%	43%	15%	6%	1%	190
Cahill voter	62%	26%	12%	0%	0%	43
Other/Undecided voter	54%	29%	11%	5%	1%	108
Registered Democrat	35%	43%	16%	5%	2%	172
Registered Undeclared	66%	26%	5%	3%	0%	265
Registered Republican	76%	17%	7%	0%	0%	66
Democrat	37%	40%	17%	5%	1%	253
Independent	60%	27%	5%	7%	0%	141
Republican	80%	16%	4%	0%	0%	155
Support Tea Party	81%	15%	4%	0%	0%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	51%	37%	9%	3%	0%	161
Oppose Tea Party	38%	37%	17%	5%	2%	205
Male	57%	26%	11%	5%	1%	270
Female	53%	34%	10%	3%	1%	288
35 or under	43%	36%	18%	4%	0%	79
35 to 49	45%	37%	11%	6%	2%	121
50 to 64	55%	33%	7%	4%	1%	210
65 and over	68%	17%	11%	3%	1%	140
White	56%	30%	10%	3%	1%	485
African American	21%	59%	15%	6%	0%	28
Other	62%	12%	12%	14%	0%	34
10 years or less in MA	38%	41%	17%	4%	0%	42
11 to 20 years	29%	41%	25%	2%	2%	63
More than 20 years	60%	28%	7%	4%	1%	448
High school or less	64%	21%	12%	2%	1%	98
Some college	64%	24%	5%	6%	1%	102
College graduate	47%	40%	9%	3%	1%	198
Post-graduate	51%	28%	14%	6%	1%	154
Less than \$30K	57%	27%	11%	5%	0%	36
\$30K to \$60K	52%	29%	10%	8%	1%	68
\$60K to \$75K	65%	28%	7%	0%	0%	35
\$75K to \$100K	58%	26%	15%	1%	0%	68
\$100K or more	52%	39%	7%	1%	2%	86
Inside 128	53%	29%	13%	3%	2%	147
128 to 495	55%	33%	8%	3%	0%	162
Central MA	66%	19%	10%	6%	0%	104
Western MA	47%	32%	12%	7%	2%	70
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	48%	41%	9%	2%	0%	75

“Overall, do you think illegal immigrants contribute to and help the state economy or do they take away from and hurt the state economy?”

	Contribute and Help	Take Away and Hurt	Some of Both	Don't Know	(N=)
ALL MA ADULTS	27%	53%	14%	6%	552
Likely voter	27%	53%	14%	6%	491
Non-likely voter	22%	68%	6%	3%	31
Baker voter	12%	77%	7%	4%	150
Patrick voter	41%	33%	17%	8%	187
Cahill voter	22%	65%	12%	1%	43
Other/Undecided voter	23%	51%	18%	8%	108
Registered Democrat	39%	33%	19%	9%	172
Registered Undeclared	20%	62%	13%	5%	261
Registered Republican	15%	76%	4%	4%	64
Democrat	40%	36%	17%	8%	249
Independent	21%	60%	16%	3%	140
Republican	10%	76%	9%	5%	153
Support Tea Party	7%	79%	12%	2%	146
Neither Support/Oppose	19%	60%	13%	8%	159
Oppose Tea Party	47%	29%	16%	8%	204
Male	25%	58%	13%	4%	266
Female	28%	48%	16%	8%	285
35 or under	32%	43%	20%	4%	79
35 to 49	26%	55%	11%	8%	120
50 to 64	29%	51%	15%	5%	206
65 and over	21%	57%	14%	8%	139
White	25%	53%	16%	6%	479
African American	35%	51%	0%	14%	28
Other	35%	44%	13%	8%	34
10 years or less in MA	36%	44%	15%	5%	42
11 to 20 years	44%	34%	16%	6%	63
More than 20 years	23%	57%	14%	6%	442
High school or less	18%	64%	14%	4%	98
Some college	17%	64%	12%	7%	101
College graduate	33%	48%	15%	4%	195
Post-graduate	31%	43%	16%	10%	153
Less than \$30K	15%	65%	14%	7%	36
\$30K to \$60K	35%	55%	9%	1%	68
\$60K to \$75K	21%	66%	5%	9%	34
\$75K to \$100K	31%	57%	11%	1%	66
\$100K or more	21%	59%	14%	7%	85
Inside 128	37%	46%	14%	3%	146
128 to 495	25%	54%	16%	4%	160
Central MA	23%	61%	11%	5%	103
Western MA	19%	51%	15%	15%	70
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	20%	54%	15%	11%	73

“Does Massachusetts need to do more to ensure that illegal immigrants do not receive public benefits?”

	Yes - Strongly	Yes - Somewhat	Neutral	No - Somewhat	No - Strongly	Don't Know	(N=)
ALL MA ADULTS	56%	12%	6%	10%	12%	4%	554
Likely voter	57%	12%	6%	10%	11%	4%	493
Non-likely voter	62%	8%	5%	0%	24%	0%	32
Baker voter	81%	12%	1%	2%	3%	2%	152
Patrick voter	33%	14%	10%	17%	21%	5%	188
Cahill voter	75%	12%	6%	2%	4%	1%	43
Other/Undecided voter	59%	12%	4%	11%	7%	7%	107
Registered Democrat	39%	9%	9%	14%	26%	3%	170
Registered Undeclared	64%	14%	4%	8%	5%	5%	263
Registered Republican	78%	15%	3%	2%	1%	2%	66
Democrat	37%	11%	8%	19%	20%	5%	249
Independent	60%	17%	5%	6%	9%	3%	141
Republican	83%	11%	3%	1%	1%	2%	155
Support Tea Party	80%	12%	2%	3%	2%	0%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	57%	18%	4%	9%	7%	5%	161
Oppose Tea Party	36%	8%	10%	17%	22%	6%	202
Male	59%	13%	5%	9%	10%	5%	269
Female	53%	12%	6%	12%	14%	3%	285
35 or under	43%	15%	9%	14%	15%	5%	79
35 to 49	54%	15%	3%	11%	12%	4%	121
50 to 64	54%	14%	4%	10%	13%	4%	208
65 and over	66%	5%	8%	8%	9%	3%	139
White	56%	12%	6%	9%	12%	4%	481
African American	43%	14%	3%	16%	19%	6%	28
Other	50%	7%	1%	23%	15%	4%	34
10 years or less in MA	37%	15%	8%	10%	22%	9%	42
11 to 20 years	28%	22%	13%	21%	14%	3%	63
More than 20 years	61%	11%	4%	9%	11%	4%	445
High school or less	73%	6%	7%	4%	6%	4%	98
Some college	73%	6%	3%	7%	7%	4%	102
College graduate	47%	17%	7%	13%	13%	3%	196
Post-graduate	43%	15%	6%	14%	18%	5%	152
Less than \$30K	65%	3%	12%	6%	8%	6%	36
\$30K to \$60K	61%	7%	5%	6%	15%	7%	68
\$60K to \$75K	62%	19%	4%	11%	4%	1%	35
\$75K to \$100K	60%	11%	5%	14%	8%	2%	66
\$100K or more	53%	21%	5%	4%	15%	1%	86
Inside 128	48%	14%	5%	14%	16%	3%	146
128 to 495	53%	10%	8%	13%	12%	4%	162
Central MA	67%	15%	2%	9%	5%	2%	102
Western MA	59%	11%	5%	2%	16%	6%	70
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	56%	13%	7%	7%	11%	7%	75

“Let’s turn back to state politics. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement ... Deval Patrick has brought reform to Beacon Hill.”

	Strongly Agree	Agree Somewhat	Neutral	Disagree Somewhat	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know	(N=)
ALL MA ADULTS	6%	22%	9%	22%	33%	9%	553
Likely voter	6%	22%	8%	23%	34%	8%	492
Non-likely voter	8%	11%	17%	21%	28%	16%	32
Baker voter	2%	15%	1%	18%	59%	4%	152
Patrick voter	13%	33%	13%	24%	9%	8%	190
Cahill voter	2%	16%	6%	24%	48%	3%	41
Other/Undecided voter	0%	13%	9%	27%	37%	13%	106
Registered Democrat	12%	25%	11%	22%	23%	7%	170
Registered Undeclared	3%	22%	8%	25%	34%	7%	265
Registered Republican	3%	12%	4%	16%	56%	9%	66
Democrat	9%	30%	10%	22%	20%	10%	249
Independent	4%	17%	11%	24%	37%	8%	141
Republican	2%	14%	5%	20%	50%	8%	155
Support Tea Party	2%	14%	6%	17%	56%	5%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	5%	22%	10%	25%	28%	10%	157
Oppose Tea Party	9%	28%	10%	23%	19%	10%	205
Male	5%	18%	6%	22%	42%	7%	266
Female	6%	26%	11%	22%	24%	12%	288
35 or under	6%	26%	9%	19%	29%	11%	77
35 to 49	4%	18%	6%	26%	34%	12%	121
50 to 64	5%	23%	11%	24%	33%	4%	210
65 and over	8%	20%	7%	16%	32%	15%	138
White	6%	22%	8%	22%	34%	8%	483
African American	7%	32%	20%	15%	10%	15%	26
Other	3%	23%	4%	29%	22%	18%	34
10 years or less in MA	2%	27%	11%	25%	21%	15%	42
11 to 20 years	7%	32%	8%	25%	18%	11%	61
More than 20 years	6%	20%	8%	21%	36%	9%	446
High school or less	8%	15%	14%	15%	38%	9%	94
Some college	6%	27%	4%	20%	36%	7%	102
College graduate	4%	18%	9%	25%	32%	11%	198
Post-graduate	5%	29%	8%	22%	27%	9%	154
Less than \$30K	10%	20%	14%	17%	28%	10%	34
\$30K to \$60K	5%	31%	8%	21%	23%	11%	68
\$60K to \$75K	6%	20%	5%	26%	34%	9%	35
\$75K to \$100K	7%	22%	9%	25%	35%	1%	68
\$100K or more	9%	9%	8%	23%	42%	9%	86
Inside 128	5%	20%	14%	23%	28%	10%	145
128 to 495	5%	22%	6%	20%	39%	8%	162
Central MA	3%	26%	7%	25%	35%	4%	104
Western MA	15%	22%	6%	17%	26%	14%	68
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	1%	21%	8%	25%	31%	14%	75

“How familiar are you with the recent controversy over political patronage at the Massachusetts Probation Department ... very familiar ... somewhat familiar ... not very familiar ... or not familiar at all?”

	Very Familiar	Somewhat Familiar	Not Very Familiar	Not Familiar At All	Don't Know	(N=)
ALL MA ADULTS	12%	27%	20%	40%	2%	555
Likely voter	13%	29%	20%	37%	1%	493
Non-likely voter	2%	12%	14%	72%	0%	32
Baker voter	19%	22%	23%	35%	1%	150
Patrick voter	11%	37%	22%	29%	0%	189
Cahill voter	16%	38%	8%	39%	0%	43
Other/Undecided voter	5%	22%	16%	52%	6%	108
Registered Democrat	14%	34%	16%	33%	3%	169
Registered Undeclared	12%	26%	22%	39%	1%	265
Registered Republican	8%	25%	18%	47%	2%	66
Democrat	12%	30%	19%	38%	1%	250
Independent	15%	27%	17%	40%	2%	141
Republican	8%	24%	22%	43%	2%	155
Support Tea Party	11%	24%	19%	44%	2%	146
Neither Support/Oppose	5%	24%	24%	45%	2%	161
Oppose Tea Party	18%	35%	18%	27%	1%	205
Male	18%	27%	19%	34%	2%	268
Female	6%	27%	21%	46%	1%	287
35 or under	7%	10%	14%	66%	3%	79
35 to 49	7%	27%	21%	45%	0%	120
50 to 64	14%	29%	25%	31%	1%	208
65 and over	14%	34%	16%	35%	2%	140
White	12%	27%	20%	39%	1%	482
African American	3%	31%	11%	45%	10%	28
Other	5%	29%	19%	48%	0%	34
10 years or less in MA	9%	21%	24%	45%	0%	42
11 to 20 years	3%	24%	20%	49%	4%	63
More than 20 years	13%	28%	19%	38%	1%	445
High school or less	4%	17%	21%	55%	3%	96
Some college	7%	22%	24%	43%	3%	102
College graduate	11%	26%	21%	42%	1%	197
Post-graduate	21%	39%	14%	25%	1%	154
Less than \$30K	5%	11%	31%	50%	3%	36
\$30K to \$60K	6%	27%	26%	41%	1%	68
\$60K to \$75K	8%	18%	22%	51%	1%	35
\$75K to \$100K	15%	33%	17%	35%	0%	68
\$100K or more	20%	28%	19%	33%	0%	86
Inside 128	15%	21%	19%	43%	2%	147
128 to 495	13%	35%	18%	32%	2%	160
Central MA	10%	24%	21%	43%	2%	103
Western MA	8%	32%	16%	43%	1%	70
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	8%	20%	28%	44%	0%	75

“Do you think the patronage controversy in the Massachusetts Probation Department is an isolated incident ... do you think it is politics as usual for Massachusetts, or don't you know enough about it to say?”

	<u>Isolated Incident</u> 5%	<u>Politics as Usual</u> 48%	<u>Don't Know</u> 48%	<u>(N=)</u> 554
ALL MA ADULTS				
Likely voter	5%	51%	44%	493
Non-likely voter	0%	32%	68%	32
Baker voter	4%	59%	38%	150
Patrick voter	8%	50%	42%	189
Cahill voter	3%	69%	28%	43
Other/Undecided voter	2%	35%	64%	108
Registered Democrat	6%	47%	47%	169
Registered Undeclared	3%	53%	43%	265
Registered Republican	5%	46%	49%	66
Democrat	6%	44%	50%	250
Independent	4%	51%	45%	141
Republican	3%	52%	45%	155
Support Tea Party	1%	55%	44%	146
Neither Support/Oppose	3%	38%	59%	161
Oppose Tea Party	8%	56%	37%	205
Male	6%	59%	35%	268
Female	4%	37%	60%	287
35 or under	7%	24%	69%	79
35 to 49	1%	44%	55%	120
50 to 64	5%	53%	42%	208
65 and over	6%	55%	39%	140
White	5%	50%	45%	482
African American	0%	30%	70%	28
Other	6%	35%	59%	34
10 years or less in MA	3%	43%	54%	42
11 to 20 years	5%	23%	72%	63
More than 20 years	5%	52%	43%	445
High school or less	4%	36%	61%	96
Some college	4%	49%	47%	102
College graduate	5%	44%	51%	197
Post-graduate	6%	59%	35%	154
Less than \$30K	3%	34%	63%	35
\$30K to \$60K	9%	44%	47%	68
\$60K to \$75K	3%	37%	60%	35
\$75K to \$100K	4%	49%	47%	68
\$100K or more	6%	59%	35%	86
Inside 128	4%	47%	49%	147
128 to 495	6%	53%	41%	160
Central MA	5%	42%	53%	103
Western MA	2%	51%	46%	70
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	5%	42%	53%	75

“And on a completely different topic ... what is your favorite professional sports team?”

	<u>Boston Bruins</u>	<u>Boston Celtics</u>	<u>N.E. Patriots</u>	<u>Boston Red Sox</u>	<u>N.Y. Yankees</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>None</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
ALL MA ADULTS	4%	13%	23%	40%	2%	6%	10%	1%	557
Likely voter	5%	12%	25%	41%	2%	6%	9%	1%	496
Non-likely voter	0%	13%	19%	41%	2%	8%	17%	0%	32
Baker voter	5%	5%	35%	41%	3%	6%	4%	1%	152
Patrick voter	4%	18%	17%	42%	1%	7%	8%	1%	190
Cahill voter	1%	10%	44%	38%	0%	0%	7%	0%	43
Other/Undecided voter	6%	14%	18%	40%	1%	4%	15%	2%	108
Registered Democrat	3%	17%	18%	45%	1%	5%	10%	1%	172
Registered Undeclared	5%	11%	29%	37%	2%	6%	9%	1%	265
Registered Republican	2%	9%	19%	54%	2%	5%	6%	1%	66
Democrat	4%	19%	15%	43%	1%	5%	10%	1%	253
Independent	6%	6%	31%	33%	3%	7%	14%	1%	141
Republican	4%	9%	29%	43%	2%	7%	5%	1%	155
Support Tea Party	3%	11%	33%	40%	2%	4%	6%	1%	148
Neither Support/Oppose	4%	10%	24%	40%	2%	9%	8%	3%	161
Oppose Tea Party	5%	15%	16%	43%	2%	6%	13%	0%	205
Male	6%	11%	30%	36%	2%	7%	7%	1%	270
Female	3%	15%	17%	45%	2%	5%	12%	2%	288
35 or under	8%	19%	21%	30%	5%	10%	5%	2%	79
35 to 49	6%	16%	23%	36%	1%	5%	11%	3%	121
50 to 64	4%	13%	24%	42%	2%	6%	7%	0%	210
65 and over	1%	7%	24%	46%	1%	6%	14%	1%	140
White	4%	11%	24%	44%	2%	5%	8%	1%	485
African American	3%	48%	17%	2%	0%	13%	17%	0%	28
Other	6%	11%	19%	25%	2%	11%	25%	2%	34
10 years or less in MA	0%	27%	2%	25%	2%	21%	18%	4%	42
11 to 20 years	6%	19%	23%	35%	1%	8%	7%	0%	63
More than 20 years	5%	11%	25%	42%	2%	4%	9%	1%	448
High school or less	5%	12%	30%	39%	1%	7%	7%	1%	98
Some college	5%	11%	30%	40%	4%	1%	9%	0%	102
College graduate	3%	17%	18%	39%	3%	9%	8%	2%	198
Post-graduate	5%	10%	21%	42%	1%	6%	14%	1%	154
Less than \$30K	0%	10%	26%	45%	0%	8%	11%	0%	36
\$30K to \$60K	7%	8%	16%	48%	0%	5%	15%	0%	68
\$60K to \$75K	7%	15%	18%	53%	2%	3%	1%	0%	35
\$75K to \$100K	6%	11%	33%	40%	2%	0%	5%	2%	68
\$100K or more	1%	17%	28%	38%	3%	5%	8%	0%	86
Inside 128	5%	22%	17%	31%	2%	7%	15%	1%	147
128 to 495	3%	12%	25%	44%	1%	6%	7%	2%	162
Central MA	5%	10%	26%	44%	3%	9%	3%	0%	104
Western MA	4%	8%	22%	40%	6%	2%	15%	4%	70
Southern MA/Cape/Islands	5%	5%	30%	44%	0%	7%	9%	0%	75