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## BUSH APPROVAL REMAINS LOW

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DURHAM, NH – President George W. Bush remains unpopular in New Hampshire although his job approval rating has improved somewhat.

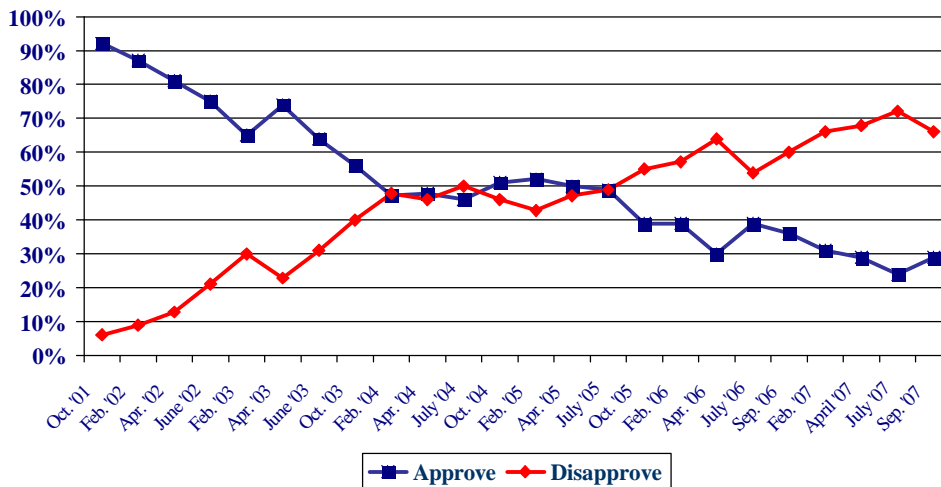
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### Presidential Approval

President George W. Bush's job approval rating in New Hampshire has improved slightly in recent months. In the most recent Granite State Poll, 29 percent of New Hampshire adults say they approve of the job Bush is doing as president, 66 percent disapprove, and 5 percent are neutral. "Approval of Bush has improved marginally," said Andrew Smith, Director of the UNH Survey Center. "But his approval ratings remain near historic lows." In July, only 24 percent of New Hampshire adults approved of the job Bush was doing as President.

Only majorities of Republicans and conservatives approve of Bush's performance as President. On the other hand, 94 percent of Democrats and 64 percent of political Independents disapprove.

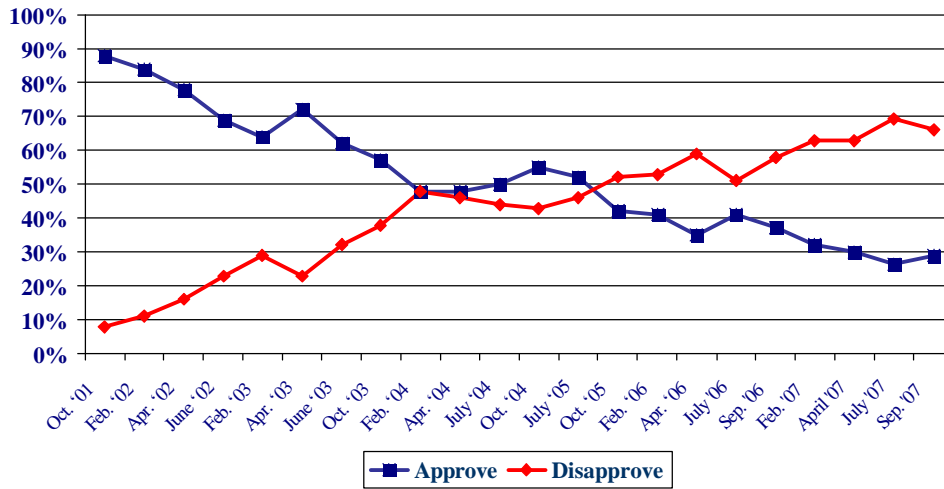
Presidential Approval – G.W. Bush



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Bush's personal favorability rating is also near record lows. Currently, 29 percent of New Hampshire adults have a favorable opinion of Bush, 66 percent have an unfavorable opinion of him, and 5 percent are neutral or don't know. Bush's net favorability rating, the percentage having a favorable opinion minus the percentage having an unfavorable opinion, is an extremely low -37 percent. Two-thirds of Republicans (66%) have a favorable opinion of Bush while very few Democrats (2%) and Independents (25%) have favorable opinions about Bush.

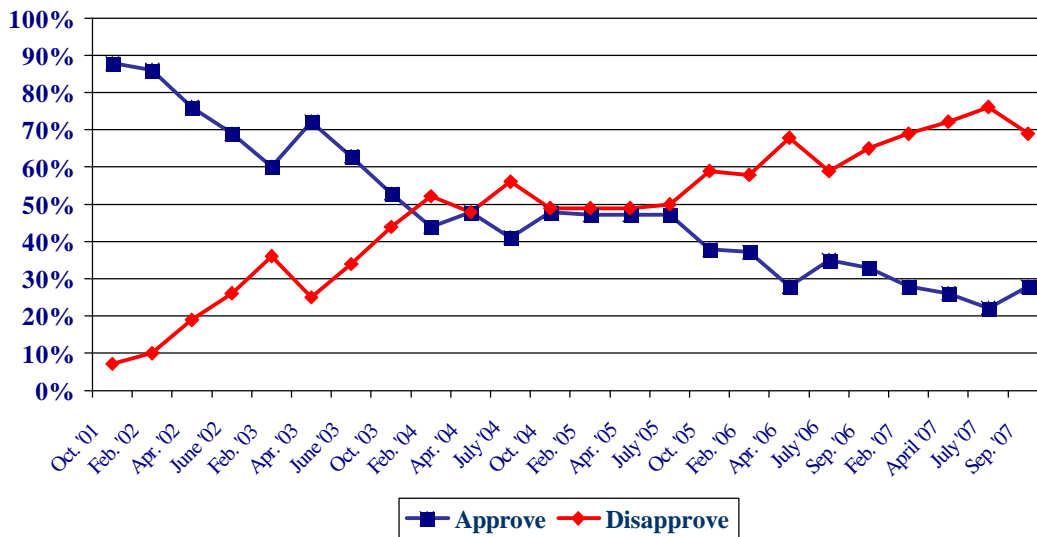
**Favorability Ratings – G.W. Bush**



**Foreign Affairs**

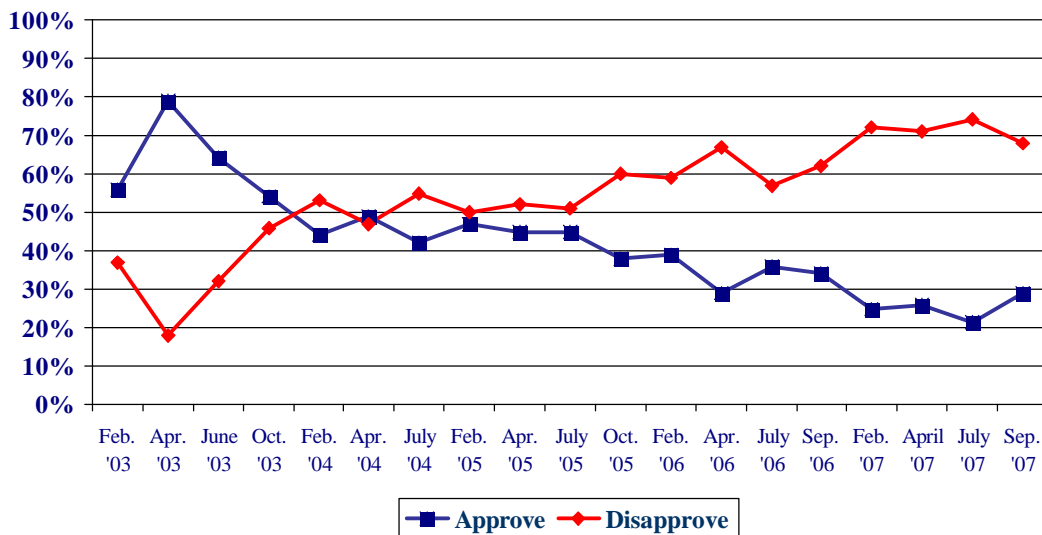
The Bush administration continues to be hurt by a foreign policy that is not viewed favorably in New Hampshire. When asked about how the President is handling foreign affairs, only 28 percent of New Hampshire adults say they approve, 69 percent disapprove, and 3 percent are neutral. Even Republicans give Bush only modest support for his handling of foreign affairs – 61 percent of Republicans approve of his handling of foreign affairs.

**Bush Approval: Foreign Affairs**



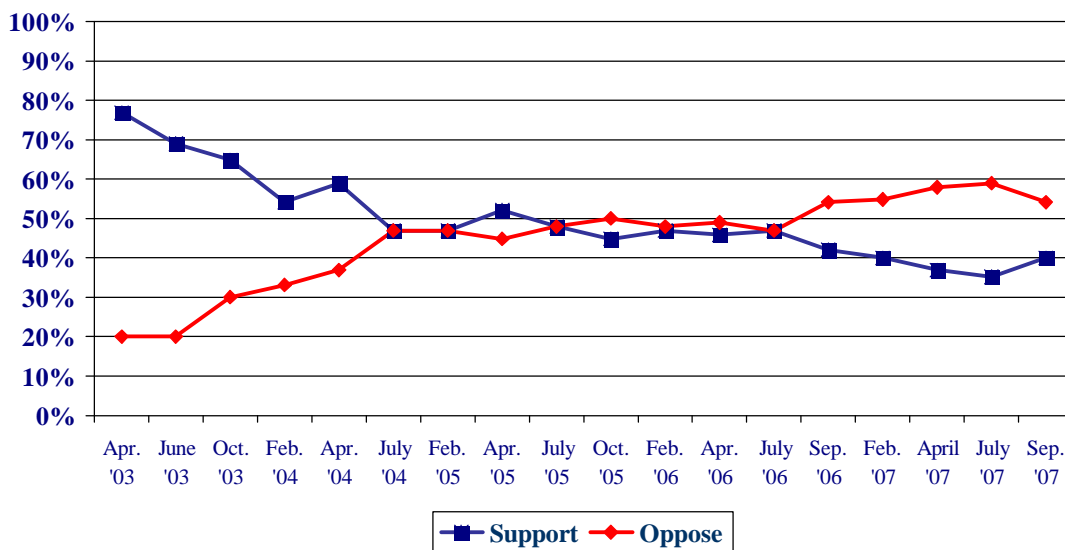
Turning specifically to the war in Iraq, only 29 percent of Granite State adults approve of the way Bush has handled the situation there, 68 percent disapprove, and 3 percent are neutral. While these figures are quite low, they do represent an uptick from July when only 22 percent approved.

**Bush Approval: Handling Situation in Iraq**



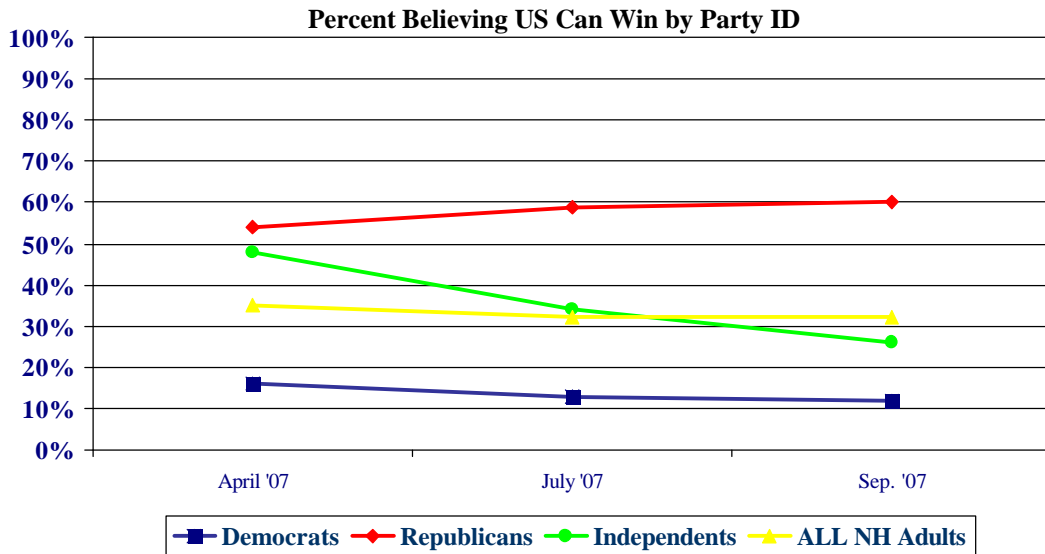
Support for having gone into Iraq in the first place has also improved slightly. Currently, 40 percent support the U.S. having gone to war in Iraq, 54 percent oppose the U.S. having gone to war, and 6 percent are neutral. In July, only 35 supported the U.S. decision to go into Iraq. But it is important to note that solid majorities of Republicans (79%) and conservatives (64%) continue to support the war in Iraq.

**Support for War In Iraq**



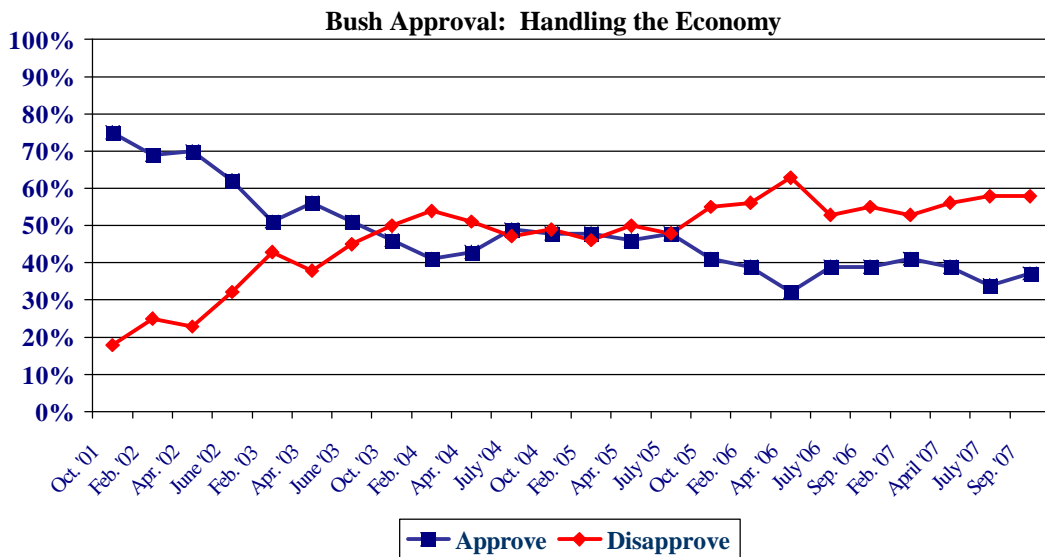
### Can the US Win?

But most Granite Staters are not optimistic about the U.S. winning the war in Iraq. In the most recent Granite State Poll, only 32 percent believe the US can win the war in Iraq, 55 percent think the US cannot win the war, and 13 percent don't know. Much of the pessimism comes from Independents. In April, 49 percent of Independents thought the U.S. could win in Iraq while only 26 percent think so today.



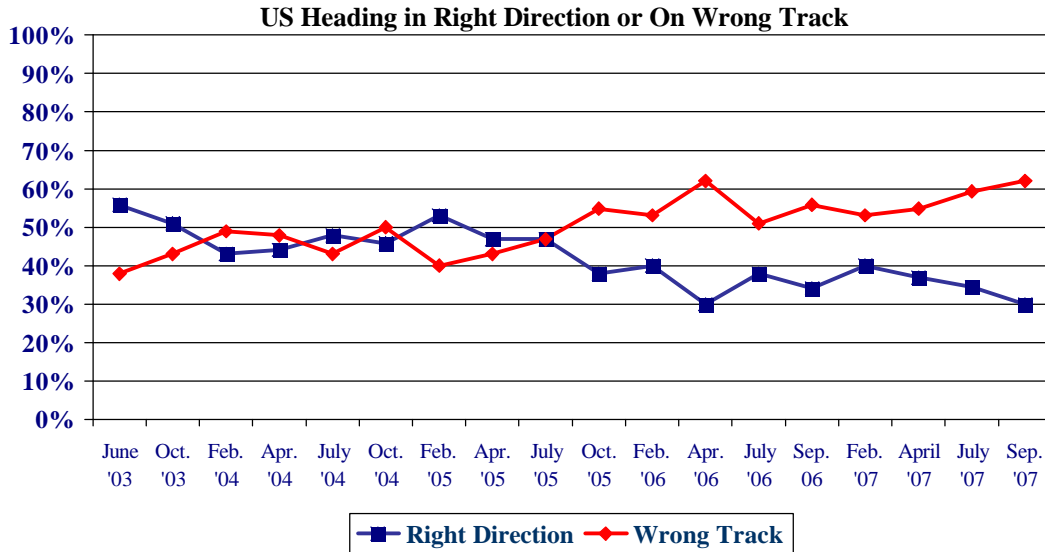
### Economic Approval Rating

Perhaps reflecting concerns about the housing market, and despite low inflation and a booming stock market, New Hampshire residents continue to be pessimistic about Bush's handling of the economy. Only 37 percent of New Hampshire residents say they approve of the job President Bush is doing handling the economy, 58 percent disapprove, and 5 percent are neutral. Economic approval is strongly related to partisanship as 78 percent of Republicans approve of Bush's handling of the economy compared to only 11 percent of Democrats and 27 percent of independents.



### Right Track – Wrong Track

Overall, New Hampshire residents are becoming more pessimistic about the direction the country is heading. Only 30 percent think things in this country are generally going in the right direction, 62 percent think things are seriously off on the wrong track, and 8 percent don't know.



### 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, 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.

**Presidential Approval**

“GENERALLY SPEAKING, do you approve or disapprove of the way President Bush is handling his job as president?”

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>(N)</u>
<b>Sep. '07</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>(507)</b>
<b>July '07</b>	24	4	72	(523)
<b>Apr. '07</b>	29	3	68	(512)
<b>Feb. '07</b>	31	4	66	(529)
<b>Sept. '06</b>	36	3	60	(507)
<b>July '06</b>	39	7	54	(501)
<b>Apr. '06</b>	30	6	64	(496)
<b>Feb. '06</b>	39	3	57	(495)
<b>Oct. '05</b>	39	6	55	(505)
<b>July '05</b>	49	4	47	(498)
<b>Apr. '05</b>	50	3	47	(483)
<b>Feb. '05</b>	52	4	43	(533)
<b>Oct. '04</b>	51	3	46	(567)
<b>July '04</b>	46	4	50	(503)
<b>Apr. '04</b>	48	6	46	(536)
<b>Feb. '04</b>	47	5	48	(505)
<b>Oct. '03</b>	56	4	40	(502)
<b>June '03</b>	64	5	31	(511)
<b>Apr. '03</b>	71	6	23	(503)
<b>Feb. '03</b>	65	4	30	(646)
<b>June '02</b>	75	5	21	(658)
<b>Apr. '02</b>	81	6	13	(685)
<b>Feb. '02</b>	87	4	9	(724)
<b>Oct. '01</b>	92	2	6	(687)

**Presidential Approval – Economy**

"GENERALLY SPEAKING, do you approve or disapprove of the way President Bush is handling THE ECONOMY?"

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>(N)</u>
<b>Sep. '07</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>(502)</b>
<b>July '07</b>	34	8	58	(518)
<b>Apr. '07</b>	39	5	56	(512)
<b>Feb. '07</b>	41	5	53	(529)
<b>Sept. '06</b>	39	6	55	(508)
<b>July '06</b>	39	8	53	(497)
<b>Apr. '06</b>	32	5	63	(502)
<b>Feb. '06</b>	39	5	56	(495)
<b>Oct. '05</b>	41	4	55	(500)
<b>July '05</b>	48	4	48	(495)
<b>Apr. '05</b>	46	5	50	(490)
<b>Feb. '05</b>	48	5	46	(534)
<b>Oct. '04</b>	48	3	49	(568)
<b>July '04</b>	49	5	47	(499)
<b>Apr. '04</b>	43	6	51	(538)
<b>Feb. '04</b>	41	5	54	(506)
<b>Oct. '03</b>	46	4	50	(499)
<b>June '03</b>	51	3	45	(512)
<b>Apr. '03</b>	56	6	38	(502)
<b>Feb. '03</b>	51	6	43	(644)
<b>June '02</b>	62	6	32	(644)
<b>Apr. '02</b>	70	7	23	(688)
<b>Feb. '02</b>	69	6	25	(725)
<b>Oct. '01</b>	75	8	18	(684)

### Presidential Approval - Foreign Affairs

"GENERALLY SPEAKING, do you approve or disapprove of the way President Bush is handling FOREIGN AFFAIRS?"

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>(N)</u>
Sep. '07	28%	3%	69%	(505)
July '07	22	3	74	(519)
Apr. '07	26	2	72	(510)
Feb. '07	28	3	69	(529)
Sept. '06	33	2	65	(506)
July '06	35	6	59	(497)
Apr. '06	28	4	68	(500)
Feb. '06	37	5	58	(495)
Oct. '05	38	3	59	(502)
July '05	47	3	50	(497)
Apr. '05	47	4	49	(486)
Feb. '05	47	4	49	(533)
Oct. '04	48	3	49	(568)
July '04	41	3	56	(499)
Apr. '04	48	5	48	(539)
Feb. '04	44	4	52	(507)
Oct. '03	53	3	44	(501)
June '03	63	3	34	(512)
Apr. '03	72	3	25	(506)
Feb. '03	60	4	36	(646)
June '02	69	5	26	(644)
Apr. '02	76	5	19	(690)
Feb. '02	86	4	10	(722)
Oct. '01	88	4	7	(685)

### Presidential Approval - Handling of Situation in Iraq

"Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling the situation with Iraq?"

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>(N)</u>
Sep. '07	29%	3%	68%	(508)
July '07	21	4	74	(521)
Apr. '07	26	3	71	(512)
Feb. '07	25	2	72	(527)
Sept. '06	34	3	62	(511)
July '06	36	6	57	(499)
Apr. '06	29	4	67	(501)
Feb. '06	39	3	59	(498)
Oct. '05	38	2	60	(506)
July '05	45	3	51	(499)
Apr. '05	45	3	52	(491)
Feb. '05	47	3	50	(535)
July '04	42	3	55	(501)
Apr. '04	49	4	47	(540)
Feb. '04	44	3	53	(509)
Oct. '03	54	3	42	(500)
June '03	64	4	32	(513)
Apr. '03	79	2	18	(503)
Feb. '03	56	7	37	(646)

### Support for War in Iraq

“Do you support or oppose the United States having gone to war with Iraq?”

	<u>Support</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>(N)</u>
Sep. '07	40%	6%	54%	(506)
July '07	35	6	59	(516)
Apr. '07	37	5	58	(510)
Feb. '07	40	5	55	(525)
Sept. '06	42	4	54	(510)
July '06	47	6	47	(500)
Apr. '06	46	5	49	(496)
Feb. '06	47	5	48	(500)
Oct. '05	45	4	50	(502)
July '05	48	5	48	(493)
Apr. '05	52	3	45	(489)
Feb. '05	47	6	47	(537)
July '04	47	6	47	(498)
Apr. '04	59	4	37	(536)
Feb. '04	54	3	33	(509)
Oct. '03	65	5	30	(496)
June '03	69	4	20	(513)
Apr. '03	77	4	20	(506)

### Can US Win in Iraq?

“Do you think the United States can win or cannot win the war in Iraq?”

	<u>Can Win</u>	<u>Cannot Win</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>(N)</u>
Sep. '07	32%	55%	13%	(503)
July '07	32	57	11	(504)
Apr. '07	35	55	10	(512)

### Right Track - Wrong Track

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

	<u>Right Direction</u>	<u>Wrong Track</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
Sep. '07	30%	62%	8%	(505)
July '07	34	59	6	(523)
Apr. '07	37	55	8	(510)
Feb. '07	40	53	7	(516)
Sept. '06	34	56	10	(510)
July '06	38	51	11	(496)
Apr. '06	30	62	8	(501)
Feb. '06	40	53	7	(487)
Oct. '05	38	55	7	(498)
July '05	47	47	6	(492)
Apr. '05	46	43	11	(487)
Feb. '05	53	40	7	(535)
Oct. '04	46	50	4	(574)
July '04	48	43	10	(500)
Apr. '04	44	48	8	(535)
Feb. '04	43	49	8	(503)
Oct. '03	51	43	6	(487)
June '03	56	38	5	(511)



### Favorability Rating - President George W. Bush

"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. President George W. Bush."

	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>NET</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
<b>Sep. '07</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>-37%</b>	<b>(507)</b>
<b>July '07</b>	27	4	69	-42%	(523)
<b>Apr. '07</b>	30	7	63	-33%	(515)
<b>Feb. '07</b>	32	5	63	-31%	(535)
<b>Sept. '06</b>	37	5	58	-21%	(513)
<b>July '06</b>	41	7	51	-10%	(500)
<b>Apr. '06</b>	35	6	59	-24%	(505)
<b>Feb. '06</b>	41	6	53	-12%	(499)
<b>Oct. '05</b>	42	6	52	-10%	(510)
<b>July '05</b>	52	2	46	+6%	(497)
<b>Oct. '04</b>	55	2	43	+12%	(574)
<b>July '04</b>	50	6	44	+6%	(506)
<b>Apr. '04</b>	48	6	46	+2%	(540)
<b>Feb. '04</b>	48	4	48	0	(510)
<b>Oct. '03</b>	57	4	38	+19%	(503)
<b>June '03</b>	62	6	32	+30%	(514)
<b>Apr. '03</b>	72	5	23	+49%	(503)
<b>Feb. '03</b>	64	7	29	+35%	(651)
<b>June '02</b>	69	8	23	+46%	(641)
<b>Apr. '02</b>	78	6	16	+62%	(693)
<b>Feb. '02</b>	84	5	11	+73%	(726)
<b>Oct. '01</b>	88	4	8	+80%	(678)

**Presidential Approval Rating - Overall**

<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b><u>Approve</u></b> <b>29%</b>	<b><u>Neutral</u></b> <b>5%</b>	<b><u>Disapprove</u></b> <b>66%</b>	<b><u>(N=)</u></b> <b>507</b>
Registered Democrat	6%	1%	93%	130
Undeclared	29%	4%	67%	178
Registered Republican	64%	8%	28%	113
Not registered	21%	10%	69%	81
Democrat	5%	2%	94%	236
Independent	24%	11%	64%	80
Republican	65%	6%	30%	177
Liberal	6%	5%	89%	123
Moderate	24%	5%	71%	196
Conservative	58%	3%	39%	150
Union household	20%	3%	76%	73
Non-union	31%	5%	64%	432
5 years or less in NH	24%	3%	73%	58
6 to 10 years	29%	11%	60%	48
11 to 20 years	28%	2%	70%	75
More than 20 years	31%	5%	63%	312
18 to 34	27%	10%	63%	71
35 to 49	34%	3%	62%	133
50 to 64	27%	4%	69%	191
65 and over	32%	6%	62%	93
Male	33%	5%	62%	246
Female	26%	5%	69%	261
High school or less	33%	6%	61%	120
Some college	33%	7%	60%	125
College graduate	32%	4%	64%	154
Post-graduate	16%	2%	81%	101
Less than \$30K	33%	5%	62%	45
\$30K to \$60K	30%	7%	63%	73
\$60K to \$75K	43%	7%	50%	49
\$75K to \$100K	22%	4%	73%	76
More than \$100K	28%	3%	68%	100
Married	30%	5%	65%	358
Divorced/separated	32%	3%	65%	90
Never married	18%	8%	74%	55
Protestant	38%	6%	56%	174
Catholic	36%	1%	64%	165
Other	11%	8%	81%	135
Attend services 1 or more/week	39%	3%	57%	136
1-2 times a month	18%	1%	81%	54
Less often	33%	6%	61%	115
Never	21%	7%	73%	173
North Country	31%	10%	59%	42
Central/Lakes	35%	3%	63%	83
Connecticut Valley	26%	9%	65%	79
Mass Border	33%	3%	65%	147
Seacoast	25%	4%	70%	86
Manchester Area	23%	6%	71%	70
1st Cong. District	29%	6%	65%	230
2nd Cong. District	29%	5%	66%	277

**Presidential Approval Rating - Economy**

<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b><u>Approve</u></b> <b>37%</b>	<b><u>Neutral</u></b> <b>5%</b>	<b><u>Disapprove</u></b> <b>58%</b>	<b><u>(N=)</u></b> <b>502</b>
Registered Democrat	15%	2%	84%	130
Undeclared	37%	6%	57%	178
Registered Republican	75%	3%	22%	110
Not registered	24%	11%	65%	79
Democrat	11%	4%	85%	236
Independent	27%	9%	63%	80
Republican	78%	4%	17%	172
Liberal	11%	6%	83%	123
Moderate	34%	4%	61%	196
Conservative	65%	2%	33%	146
Union household	29%	1%	70%	74
Non-union	39%	6%	55%	427
5 years or less in NH	34%	8%	59%	58
6 to 10 years	36%	7%	57%	45
11 to 20 years	38%	5%	56%	76
More than 20 years	39%	4%	57%	309
18 to 34	40%	7%	53%	69
35 to 49	37%	6%	57%	133
50 to 64	35%	3%	62%	188
65 and over	44%	9%	47%	92
Male	43%	5%	52%	241
Female	32%	6%	63%	261
High school or less	33%	6%	61%	118
Some college	41%	6%	53%	125
College graduate	44%	4%	52%	152
Post-graduate	27%	5%	68%	101
Less than \$30K	38%	9%	54%	45
\$30K to \$60K	41%	4%	55%	73
\$60K to \$75K	38%	7%	55%	46
\$75K to \$100K	36%	7%	56%	76
More than \$100K	40%	3%	57%	101
Married	36%	6%	58%	356
Divorced/separated	42%	5%	54%	90
Never married	34%	1%	65%	53
Protestant	47%	3%	50%	174
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Connecticut Valley	35%	4%	61%	79
Mass Border	39%	3%	57%	142
Seacoast	36%	10%	54%	86
Manchester Area	33%	5%	63%	70
1st Cong. District	37%	7%	56%	230
2nd Cong. District	37%	4%	59%	272

**Presidential Approval Rating - Foreign Affairs**

<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b><u>Approve</u></b> <b>28%</b>	<b><u>Neutral</u></b> <b>3%</b>	<b><u>Disapprove</u></b> <b>69%</b>	<b><u>(N=)</u></b> <b>505</b>
Registered Democrat	5%	1%	94%	129
Undeclared	27%	2%	70%	177
Registered Republican	61%	2%	37%	113
Not registered	23%	8%	69%	82
Democrat	4%	2%	94%	235
Independent	25%	5%	70%	79
Republican	61%	2%	37%	177
Liberal	5%	2%	92%	123
Moderate	22%	1%	77%	195
Conservative	57%	4%	39%	151
Union household	21%	1%	78%	73
Non-union	30%	3%	67%	430
5 years or less in NH	22%	3%	75%	58
6 to 10 years	19%	4%	77%	48
11 to 20 years	26%	2%	72%	76
More than 20 years	32%	2%	65%	310
18 to 34	23%	3%	74%	70
35 to 49	29%	1%	69%	133
50 to 64	26%	3%	70%	190
65 and over	38%	3%	59%	92
Male	30%	3%	67%	245
Female	27%	3%	70%	259
High school or less	31%	3%	66%	120
Some college	32%	4%	64%	124
College graduate	28%	3%	68%	154
Post-graduate	19%	2%	79%	101
Less than \$30K	21%	1%	78%	45
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\$60K to \$75K	38%	4%	58%	49
\$75K to \$100K	22%	2%	76%	76
More than \$100K	30%	0%	70%	99
Married	31%	3%	66%	357
Divorced/separated	27%	1%	72%	89
Never married	12%	3%	85%	54
Protestant	40%	3%	57%	173
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Other	13%	2%	85%	135
Attend services 1 or more/week	42%	2%	56%	136
1-2 times a month	18%	0%	82%	53
Less often	26%	5%	69%	115
Never	22%	3%	75%	172
North Country	34%	5%	61%	41
Central/Lakes	36%	2%	62%	83
Connecticut Valley	20%	4%	76%	79
Mass Border	32%	1%	67%	147
Seacoast	24%	2%	74%	85
Manchester Area	24%	6%	70%	70
1st Cong. District	30%	2%	67%	229
2nd Cong. District	27%	3%	70%	276

**U.S. Right Direction / Wrong Track**

	<b><u>Right Direction</u></b> <b>30%</b>	<b><u>Wrong Track</u></b> <b>62%</b>	<b><u>Don't Know</u></b> <b>8%</b>	<b><u>(N=)</u></b> <b>505</b>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>				
Registered Democrat	7%	86%	7%	128
Undeclared	29%	65%	6%	178
Registered Republican	60%	29%	11%	113
Not registered	29%	63%	8%	82
Democrat	8%	84%	8%	234
Independent	31%	63%	6%	80
Republican	57%	35%	8%	177
Liberal	12%	81%	7%	122
Moderate	26%	69%	5%	196
Conservative	50%	41%	9%	150
Union household	18%	74%	8%	73
Non-union	32%	60%	8%	431
5 years or less in NH	22%	71%	7%	58
6 to 10 years	17%	79%	3%	48
11 to 20 years	34%	59%	7%	76
More than 20 years	33%	58%	9%	310
18 to 34	21%	65%	14%	71
35 to 49	36%	58%	6%	131
50 to 64	29%	64%	7%	191
65 and over	32%	60%	7%	92
Male	36%	57%	6%	246
Female	24%	67%	9%	259
High school or less	32%	59%	9%	120
Some college	31%	59%	10%	124
College graduate	35%	59%	6%	154
Post-graduate	20%	74%	6%	100
Less than \$30K	21%	69%	10%	45
\$30K to \$60K	26%	66%	8%	74
\$60K to \$75K	45%	50%	5%	49
\$75K to \$100K	30%	63%	7%	74
More than \$100K	34%	57%	9%	100
Married	31%	61%	8%	356
Divorced/separated	33%	62%	5%	90
Never married	21%	71%	8%	55
Protestant	35%	56%	9%	174
Catholic	41%	51%	8%	164
Other	11%	81%	7%	134
Attend services 1 or more/week	37%	57%	6%	136
1-2 times a month	22%	67%	11%	54
Less often	35%	59%	6%	114
Never	22%	68%	10%	172
North Country	29%	63%	9%	42
Central/Lakes	31%	56%	13%	83
Connecticut Valley	30%	63%	7%	78
Mass Border	28%	67%	5%	146
Seacoast	34%	57%	9%	85
Manchester Area	29%	66%	5%	70
1st Cong. District	30%	63%	7%	229
2nd Cong. District	30%	62%	8%	277

**Presidential Approval Rating - Iraq**

<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b><u>Approve</u></b> <b>29%</b>	<b><u>Neutral</u></b> <b>3%</b>	<b><u>Disapprove</u></b> <b>68%</b>	<b><u>(N=)</u></b> <b>508</b>
Registered Democrat	3%	2%	95%	130
Undeclared	27%	4%	69%	178
Registered Republican	66%	1%	33%	114
Not registered	23%	8%	69%	82
Democrat	3%	2%	95%	236
Independent	26%	6%	68%	80
Republican	63%	3%	33%	178
Liberal	6%	1%	93%	123
Moderate	23%	4%	73%	196
Conservative	57%	2%	41%	151
Union household	28%	0%	72%	74
Non-union	29%	4%	67%	432
5 years or less in NH	21%	4%	75%	58
6 to 10 years	34%	2%	64%	48
11 to 20 years	27%	2%	71%	76
More than 20 years	30%	3%	66%	313
18 to 34	31%	2%	67%	71
35 to 49	30%	3%	67%	133
50 to 64	25%	3%	72%	191
65 and over	37%	3%	60%	93
Male	31%	3%	66%	246
Female	26%	4%	70%	262
High school or less	30%	2%	68%	120
Some college	38%	4%	58%	125
College graduate	27%	5%	69%	154
Post-graduate	18%	2%	80%	102
Less than \$30K	29%	1%	70%	45
\$30K to \$60K	33%	1%	66%	74
\$60K to \$75K	44%	4%	52%	49
\$75K to \$100K	21%	3%	76%	76
More than \$100K	28%	2%	69%	101
Married	31%	4%	66%	358
Divorced/separated	28%	3%	69%	91
Never married	17%	0%	83%	55
Protestant	39%	4%	57%	175
Catholic	33%	3%	64%	165
Other	13%	3%	85%	135
Attend services 1 or more/week	40%	3%	56%	136
1-2 times a month	21%	2%	77%	54
Less often	28%	3%	68%	115
Never	22%	3%	75%	174
North Country	28%	8%	64%	42
Central/Lakes	34%	1%	65%	83
Connecticut Valley	27%	4%	69%	79
Mass Border	33%	2%	65%	147
Seacoast	24%	4%	72%	86
Manchester Area	22%	5%	73%	70
1st Cong. District	29%	2%	69%	230
2nd Cong. District	29%	4%	67%	278

**Support / Oppose US War in Iraq**

<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b><u>Support</u></b> <b>40%</b>	<b><u>Neutral</u></b> <b>6%</b>	<b><u>Oppose</u></b> <b>54%</b>	<b><u>(N=)</u></b> <b>506</b>
Registered Democrat	10%	4%	85%	130
Undeclared	38%	6%	56%	176
Registered Republican	78%	4%	19%	114
Not registered	39%	14%	47%	82
Democrat	11%	7%	82%	236
Independent	40%	12%	48%	80
Republican	79%	2%	19%	177
Liberal	17%	5%	78%	122
Moderate	37%	6%	57%	195
Conservative	64%	4%	31%	151
Union household	38%	2%	61%	74
Non-union	40%	7%	53%	430
5 years or less in NH	29%	13%	58%	58
6 to 10 years	49%	5%	46%	48
11 to 20 years	41%	5%	54%	76
More than 20 years	41%	5%	53%	311
18 to 34	54%	6%	40%	70
35 to 49	44%	7%	49%	133
50 to 64	35%	7%	58%	191
65 and over	37%	5%	58%	92
Male	42%	7%	50%	246
Female	37%	5%	58%	260
High school or less	47%	4%	50%	120
Some college	43%	12%	45%	125
College graduate	40%	5%	55%	153
Post-graduate	27%	4%	68%	102
Less than \$30K	38%	13%	50%	45
\$30K to \$60K	43%	4%	53%	74
\$60K to \$75K	52%	3%	45%	49
\$75K to \$100K	38%	7%	55%	76
More than \$100K	42%	4%	53%	99
Married	41%	6%	53%	356
Divorced/separated	36%	6%	58%	91
Never married	37%	9%	53%	55
Protestant	47%	8%	45%	174
Catholic	47%	5%	49%	165
Other	27%	4%	69%	135
Attend services 1 or more/week	45%	7%	48%	135
1-2 times a month	36%	4%	60%	54
Less often	44%	6%	50%	115
Never	35%	6%	59%	174
North Country	45%	6%	49%	41
Central/Lakes	44%	6%	50%	83
Connecticut Valley	36%	6%	58%	79
Mass Border	40%	6%	54%	146
Seacoast	39%	7%	54%	86
Manchester Area	35%	9%	56%	70
1st Cong. District	42%	6%	52%	229
2nd Cong. District	38%	7%	56%	276

**Can US Win War in Iraq?**

<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>Can Win 32%</b>	<b>Cannot Win 55%</b>	<b>Don't Know 13%</b>	<b>(N=) 503</b>
Registered Democrat	13%	79%	8%	129
Undeclared	29%	58%	14%	176
Registered Republican	62%	29%	9%	112
Not registered	31%	50%	19%	82
Democrat	12%	75%	13%	235
Independent	26%	60%	14%	80
Republican	60%	30%	10%	175
Liberal	9%	78%	13%	122
Moderate	29%	58%	13%	194
Conservative	55%	35%	10%	150
Union household	26%	68%	6%	73
Non-union	33%	53%	13%	428
5 years or less in NH	15%	75%	10%	58
6 to 10 years	29%	50%	21%	48
11 to 20 years	33%	53%	14%	75
More than 20 years	36%	53%	11%	309
18 to 34	30%	50%	20%	69
35 to 49	36%	53%	11%	133
50 to 64	29%	61%	10%	190
65 and over	37%	49%	14%	92
Male	36%	53%	11%	242
Female	28%	58%	14%	261
High school or less	44%	47%	8%	118
Some college	34%	50%	15%	125
College graduate	31%	56%	12%	153
Post-graduate	17%	70%	13%	100
Less than \$30K	35%	54%	10%	45
\$30K to \$60K	36%	48%	16%	73
\$60K to \$75K	39%	50%	10%	46
\$75K to \$100K	30%	60%	10%	76
More than \$100K	30%	63%	7%	101
Married	35%	53%	12%	357
Divorced/separated	26%	65%	8%	89
Never married	26%	56%	18%	54
Protestant	42%	46%	12%	173
Catholic	35%	52%	12%	164
Other	18%	71%	11%	134
Attend services 1 or more/week	37%	49%	14%	133
1-2 times a month	26%	67%	7%	54
Less often	36%	55%	9%	113
Never	28%	58%	14%	173
North Country	37%	42%	21%	42
Central/Lakes	44%	48%	8%	83
Connecticut Valley	28%	62%	10%	78
Mass Border	30%	59%	12%	145
Seacoast	34%	51%	16%	85
Manchester Area	24%	62%	14%	70
1st Cong. District	34%	51%	15%	230
2nd Cong. District	31%	58%	11%	274



**Favorability Rating - George W. Bush**

<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b><u>Favorable</u></b> <b>29%</b>	<b><u>Neutral</u></b> <b>5%</b>	<b><u>Unfavorable</u></b> <b>66%</b>	<b><u>DK</u></b> <b>0%</b>	<b><u>(N)</u></b> <b>507</b>
Registered Democrat	3%	1%	96%	0%	130
Undeclared	29%	3%	68%	0%	178
Registered Republican	66%	9%	24%	1%	113
Not registered	19%	7%	72%	1%	81
Democrat	2%	1%	96%	0%	236
Independent	25%	6%	69%	0%	79
Republican	66%	7%	27%	0%	177
Liberal	5%	2%	92%	0%	123
Moderate	23%	5%	72%	0%	196
Conservative	58%	7%	35%	0%	151
Union household	21%	3%	76%	0%	74
Non-union	30%	5%	64%	0%	432
5 years or less in NH	21%	0%	79%	0%	58
6 to 10 years	28%	11%	60%	0%	48
11 to 20 years	28%	2%	68%	1%	75
More than 20 years	31%	5%	64%	0%	312
18 to 34	26%	8%	65%	2%	71
35 to 49	33%	4%	63%	0%	133
50 to 64	26%	4%	70%	0%	191
65 and over	33%	6%	60%	1%	92
Male	32%	4%	64%	0%	246
Female	26%	5%	69%	0%	261
High school or less	29%	4%	65%	1%	120
Some college	35%	8%	57%	0%	125
College graduate	30%	5%	65%	0%	154
Post-graduate	18%	0%	82%	0%	101
Less than \$30K	30%	5%	65%	0%	45
\$30K to \$60K	34%	2%	62%	2%	73
\$60K to \$75K	35%	12%	53%	0%	49
\$75K to \$100K	25%	4%	71%	0%	76
More than \$100K	28%	2%	69%	1%	101
Married	31%	5%	65%	0%	358
Divorced/separated	28%	3%	69%	1%	90
Never married	19%	6%	72%	2%	55
Protestant	40%	5%	54%	0%	174
Catholic	35%	3%	61%	1%	164
Other	9%	6%	85%	0%	135
Attend services 1 or more/week	39%	5%	56%	0%	136
1-2 times a month	21%	0%	79%	0%	54
Less often	37%	3%	60%	0%	114
Never	17%	8%	74%	1%	174
North Country	34%	10%	56%	0%	42
Central/Lakes	32%	7%	60%	1%	83
Connecticut Valley	27%	1%	72%	0%	79
Mass Border	30%	5%	65%	0%	147
Seacoast	29%	4%	67%	1%	86
Manchester Area	22%	2%	76%	0%	70
1st Cong. District	29%	6%	65%	0%	230
2nd Cong. District	29%	3%	67%	0%	277