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Hello, my name is _____. I'm calling from FD, a national research firm. This is not a sales call and I won't ask you for a contribution or donation. We're talking with people like yourself today about some important issues in your area, and would like to ask you a few questions on a confidential basis. Are you 18 years of age or older and registered to vote at this address?

Note: Percentages less than 0.5 are printed as *.

1. I'd like to get your opinion about the way that things are going in the country today. Do you feel things in this country are generally going in the right direction, or do you think things are seriously off on the wrong track?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Right direction	26%	51%	16%	10%
Wrong track	60%	29%	75%	83%
Neither (DO NOT READ)	9%	14%	7%	5%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	5%	6%	1%	3%

2. And what is the most important issue facing the US today?
(DO NOT READ LIST)

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Economy in general	33%	29%	36%	34%
Unemployment/jobs	2%	2%	2%	2%
High cost of living/ inflation	1%	2%	1%	1%
Taxes	1%	2%	-	1%
Social Security	*	1%	-	1%
Frivolous lawsuits	-	-	-	-
Moral values	3%	4%	4%	1%
Gay marriage	1%	1%	-	-
Rebuilding New Orleans/ Hurricane Katrina	1%	1%	1%	1%
Middle class struggling	1%	*	2%	*
Outsourcing of jobs/jobs sent overseas	*	1%	-	-
Unfair trade practices/ agreements	1%	1%	-	1%

Military base closings	*	1%	-	-
War in Iraq - Support	6%	8%	4%	5%
War in Iraq - Oppose	9%	4%	14%	11%
Wage issues	*	1%	-	1%
Agricultural/farming	-	-	-	-
Corporate corruption	-	-	-	-
Fuel/oil prices	3%	4%	3%	3%
Terrorism	7%	9%	4%	6%
Fear of war/feelings of fear in this country	1%	1%	-	1%
Poor healthcare/ hospitals; high cost of health care	1%	1%	3%	1%
Ethics/moral/religious/ family decline; dishonesty; lack of integrity	2%	4%	1%	*
Education/poor education/ access to education	3%	2%	4%	4%
International issues/ problems	1%	2%	-	2%
Dissatisfaction with government/Congress/ politicians/candidates	5%	4%	10%	3%
Crime/violence	1%	-	1%	1%
Poverty/hunger/ homelessness	1%	-	2%	2%
Drugs general	*	-	1%	*
Medicare issues	*	-	-	*
Immigration/illegal aliens	1%	1%	-	*
Environment/ pollution	1%	1%	-	1%
Abortion - Pro-choice	-	-	-	-
Abortion - Pro-life	-	-	-	-
Guns/gun control	-	-	-	-
School shootings/school violence	*	1%	-	-
Other: SPECIFY (continued)	9%	10%	6%	12%
Don't know/Refused	3%	4%	1%	4%

3. Now thinking about taxes: Do you consider the amount of federal income tax you have to pay as too high, about right, or too low?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Too high	43%	48%	47%	39%
About right	48%	48%	48%	48%
Too low	3%	2%	1%	5%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	6%	2%	5%	8%

4. Do you think illegal immigrants who are currently living and working in the United States should (ROTATE) be offered a chance to keep their jobs and eventually apply for legal status, OR do you think they should be deported back to their native countries?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Offered a chance to stay	49%	41%	53%	55%
Deported back	38%	51%	35%	30%
Neither (DO NOT READ)	4%	2%	5%	6%
Both (DO NOT READ)	3%	2%	2%	4%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	6%	5%	5%	5%

5. In your view, should immigration be kept at its present level, increased or decreased?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Present level	35%	36%	36%	37%
Increased	13%	12%	16%	11%
Decreased	41%	46%	34%	42%
None of above (DO NOT READ)	2%	1%	1%	1%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	9%	4%	13%	8%

6. It is the responsibility of the government to take care of people who can't take care of themselves. (IF AGREE OR DISAGREE, ASK:) Would you say you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Strongly agree	36%	25%	30%	46%
Somewhat agree	34%	40%	37%	30%
Somewhat disagree	14%	13%	16%	15%
Strongly disagree	12%	18%	13%	6%
Don't know /Refused (DO NOT READ)	4%	4%	4%	3%

AGREE (NET)	70%	65%	67%	76%
DISAGREE (NET)	26%	30%	28%	21%

7. Prayer is an important part of my daily life. (IF AGREE OR DISAGREE, ASK:)
 Would you say you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or
 strongly disagree?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly agree	63%	71%	60%	53%
Somewhat agree	15%	14%	12%	17%
Somewhat disagree	9%	6%	10%	12%
Strongly disagree	12%	8%	17%	16%
Don't know /Refused (DO NOT READ)	1%	1%	-	3%

AGREE (NET)	78%	85%	73%	69%
DISAGREE (NET)	21%	14%	27%	28%

8. Labor unions are necessary to protect working people. (IF AGREE OR
 DISAGREE, ASK:) Would you say you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat
 disagree, or strongly disagree?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly agree	37%	21%	31%	56%
Somewhat agree	31%	34%	33%	27%
Somewhat disagree	12%	19%	13%	8%
Strongly disagree	14%	23%	19%	5%
Don't know /Refused (DO NOT READ)	5%	3%	4%	4%

AGREE (NET)	68%	55%	64%	83%
DISAGREE (NET)	27%	42%	31%	13%

9. Business corporations get too many tax breaks from government. (IF AGREE OR
 DISAGREE, ASK:) Would you say you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat
 disagree, or strongly disagree?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly agree	50%	30%	58%	67%
Somewhat agree	19%	24%	15%	18%
Somewhat disagree	14%	21%	13%	7%
Strongly disagree	8%	15%	6%	2%
Don't know /Refused (DO NOT READ)	9%	11%	8%	6%

AGREE (NET)	69%	53%	73%	85%
DISAGREE (NET)	22%	36%	19%	9%

10. School boards should have the right to fire teachers who are known homosexuals. (IF AGREE OR DISAGREE, ASK:) Would you say you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly agree	19%	21%	20%	13%
Somewhat agree	8%	11%	7%	8%
Somewhat disagree	21%	21%	25%	20%
Strongly disagree	46%	42%	45%	53%
Don't know /Refused (DO NOT READ)	6%	6%	3%	6%

AGREE (NET)	27%	32%	27%	22%
DISAGREE (NET)	67%	63%	70%	72%

11. Gay marriage is detrimental to the institution of marriage between a man and a woman. (IF AGREE OR DISAGREE, ASK:) Would you say you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly agree	40%	55%	30%	27%
Somewhat agree	9%	12%	9%	6%
Somewhat disagree	16%	13%	19%	18%
Strongly disagree	29%	14%	32%	44%
Don't know /Refused (DO NOT READ)	7%	6%	10%	6%

AGREE (NET)	48%	67%	39%	32%
DISAGREE (NET)	45%	27%	51%	62%

12. People convicted of premeditated murder should be given the death penalty (IF AGREE OR DISAGREE, ASK:) Would you say you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly agree	46%	59%	43%	38%
Somewhat agree	22%	18%	27%	23%
Somewhat disagree	15%	10%	15%	18%
Strongly disagree	11%	8%	11%	14%
Don't know /Refused (DO NOT READ)	6%	5%	4%	7%

AGREE (NET)	68%	78%	70%	61%
DISAGREE (NET)	26%	18%	25%	32%

13. George W. Bush (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly favorable	24%	53%	16%	4%
Somewhat favorable	22%	32%	21%	10%
Somewhat unfavorable	13%	6%	17%	17%
Strongly unfavorable	38%	8%	43%	67%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	2%	1%	3%	1%
Haven't heard of	1%	-	-	1%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	1%	-	-	-

FAVORABLE (NET)	46%	85%	37%	14%
UNFAVORABLE (NET)	51%	14%	61%	84%

14. Tom DeLay (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly favorable	5%	13%	-	-
Somewhat favorable	11%	18%	6%	5%
Somewhat unfavorable	18%	23%	15%	15%
Strongly unfavorable	27%	10%	32%	44%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	12%	11%	20%	8%
Haven't heard of	26%	23%	24%	26%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	3%	2%	3%	3%

FAVORABLE (NET)	15%	31%	6%	5%
UNFAVORABLE (NET)	44%	33%	47%	58%

15A. The Democratic Party (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly favorable	17%	4%	6%	38%
Somewhat favorable	34%	15%	46%	45%
Somewhat unfavorable	16%	27%	18%	5%
Strongly unfavorable	22%	45%	20%	3%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	6%	4%	5%	5%
Haven't heard of Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	1%	-	-	2%
	4%	5%	5%	2%

FAVORABLE (NET)	51%	19%	52%	83%
UNFAVORABLE (NET)	37%	72%	38%	8%

15B. The Republican Party (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly favorable	22%	56%	-	3%
Somewhat favorable	23%	34%	28%	6%
Somewhat unfavorable	16%	5%	23%	27%
Strongly unfavorable	29%	4%	22%	58%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	6%	1%	22%	3%
Haven't heard of Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	-	-	-	-
	4%	-	5%	3%

FAVORABLE (NET)	45%	89%	28%	9%
UNFAVORABLE (NET)	44%	9%	45%	85%

16. Hillary Clinton (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Strongly favorable	23%	12%	15%	40%
Somewhat favorable	33%	16%	41%	46%
Somewhat unfavorable	13%	20%	8%	7%
Strongly unfavorable	24%	48%	23%	4%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	6%	3%	12%	2%
Haven't heard of	1%	-	-	1%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	1%	1%	1%	*

FAVORABLE (NET)	56%	28%	56%	86%
UNFAVORABLE (NET)	37%	68%	31%	11%

17. Cindy Sheehan (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Strongly favorable	6%	4%	6%	11%
Somewhat favorable	11%	4%	12%	19%
Somewhat unfavorable	9%	9%	13%	8%
Strongly unfavorable	16%	35%	6%	5%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	8%	5%	11%	7%
Haven't heard of	46%	40%	49%	48%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	3%	2%	3%	2%

FAVORABLE (NET)	18%	8%	18%	30%
UNFAVORABLE (NET)	25%	45%	19%	13%

18. Karl Rove (IF FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly favorable/unfavorable opinion or a somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly favorable	7%	15%	3%	2%
Somewhat favorable	9%	17%	4%	5%
Somewhat unfavorable	9%	8%	14%	8%
Strongly unfavorable	21%	6%	20%	38%
Heard of but can't rate (DO NOT READ)	11%	12%	15%	8%
Haven't heard of Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	39%	39%	41%	35%
	4%	2%	4%	3%

FAVORABLE (NET)	16%	33%	7%	8%
UNFAVORABLE (NET)	30%	14%	34%	46%

18. Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling his job as president? Do you approve/disapprove strongly or somewhat?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly approve	21%	45%	11%	3%
Somewhat approve	20%	35%	19%	6%
Somewhat disapprove	17%	11%	22%	17%
Strongly disapprove	40%	8%	45%	73%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	2%	1%	3%	1%

APPROVE (NET)	40%	80%	29%	9%
DISAPPROVE (NET)	57%	19%	67%	90%

19. Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling the situation in Iraq? Do you approve/disapprove strongly or somewhat?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly approve	20%	44%	8%	4%
Somewhat approve	18%	36%	13%	7%
Somewhat disapprove	12%	6%	19%	13%
Strongly disapprove	47%	12%	55%	75%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	3%	1%	6%	2%

APPROVE (NET)	38%	80%	20%	10%
DISAPPROVE (NET)	59%	18%	74%	88%

20. Do you approve or disapprove of the way George W. Bush is handling the nation's economy? Do you approve/disapprove strongly or somewhat?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly approve	13%	33%	2%	1%
Somewhat approve	23%	43%	20%	4%
Somewhat disapprove	16%	10%	18%	21%
Strongly disapprove	43%	12%	52%	71%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	5%	3%	8%	3%

APPROVE (NET)	35%	75%	22%	5%
DISAPPROVE (NET)	59%	22%	70%	92%

21. And do you approve or disapprove of the way Congress is handling its job? Do you approve/disapprove strongly or somewhat?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Strongly approve	8%	13%	3%	5%
Somewhat approve	21%	32%	16%	14%
Somewhat disapprove	31%	27%	39%	33%
Strongly disapprove	30%	23%	35%	37%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	10%	5%	8%	11%

APPROVE (NET)	29%	45%	19%	19%
DISAPPROVE (NET)	62%	50%	74%	70%

22. And, in your opinion, do you think the country would be better off if the Republicans controlled Congress or if the Democrats controlled Congress?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Republicans	30%	69%	15%	2%
Democrats	38%	11%	26%	77%
Neither (DO NOT READ)	22%	16%	43%	12%
Don't Know/ Refused (DO NOT READ)	9%	4%	16%	9%

23a. And, thinking about next election for U.S. Congress, if the election for U.S. Congress were held today, would you be voting for the Democratic candidate or the Republican candidate in your district where you live?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Republican candidate	31%	78%	12%	2%
Democratic candidate	40%	5%	41%	77%
Neither (DO NOT READ)	10%	8%	23%	3%
Don't Know/ Refused (DO NOT READ)	19%	10%	25%	18%

23b. Thinking about the next election for U.S. Congress, do you think you will vote to re-elect your member of Congress, will you consider voting for someone else, or do you think you will vote to replace your current member of Congress?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Re-elect current member	31%	43%	29%	24%
Consider someone else	28%	26%	29%	32%
Replace current member	19%	10%	16%	28%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	22%	21%	26%	16%

24A. The U.S. Congress

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Most of the time	25%	40%	20%	14%
Some of the time	52%	48%	57%	57%
Hardly ever	16%	10%	18%	19%
Never	5%	1%	5%	6%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	3%	-	-	3%

24B. Your member of Congress

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Most of the time	35%	45%	32%	36%
Some of the time	49%	44%	48%	44%
Hardly ever	6%	3%	12%	7%
Never	5%	4%	2%	7%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	6%	5%	5%	5%

25A. Republicans in Congress

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Most of the time	27%	59%	15%	7%
Some of the time	40%	36%	53%	37%
Hardly ever	20%	4%	23%	35%
Never	10%	-	10%	17%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	4%	1%	-	5%

25B. Democrats in Congress

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Most of the time	28%	14%	26%	51%
Some of the time	46%	42%	45%	46%
Hardly ever	14%	24%	19%	-
Never	5%	12%	-	1%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	7%	8%	9%	2%

26A. Elected state and local officials

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Most of the time	26%	39%	21%	19%
Some of the time	51%	42%	58%	59%
Hardly ever	14%	14%	11%	16%
Never	5%	2%	10%	5%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	3%	3%	-	2%

26B. The elected state and local officials in your state

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Most of the time	25%	29%	23%	29%
Some of the time	52%	49%	51%	48%
Hardly ever	13%	14%	8%	18%
Never	5%	4%	10%	4%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	4%	4%	8%	1%

27. Which one of the following do you think is most likely to be corrupt?
 (READ AND ROTATE LIST; ACCEPT ONE ANSWER) (IF "ALL", ASK:) If you absolutely
 had to choose, which one would you say is most likely to be corrupt?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Local elected officials, such as Mayor or City Council	18%	25%	13%	15%
State elected officials, such as Governor or Attorney General	13%	17%	7%	13%
Federal elected officials, such as members of Congress or Senators	24%	18%	26%	28%
Appointed government officials, such as cabinet members or members of federal agencies	20%	11%	27%	26%
None of the above (DO NOT READ)	4%	6%	2%	2%
Other (specify) (DO NOT READ)	4%	2%	6%	5%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	18%	20%	17%	11%

28. Now, which one of the following do you think is most likely to be corrupt?
 (READ AND ROTATE LIST; ACCEPT ONE ANSWER) (IF "BOTH", ASK:) If you absolutely
 had to choose, which one would you say is most likely to be corrupt?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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The U.S. Congress	40%	32%	43%	48%
Wall Street	36%	40%	32%	36%
Neither (DO NOT READ)	5%	9%	4%	1%
Both (DO NOT READ)	7%	4%	10%	6%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	13%	14%	11%	9%

28. Which of the following best describes your view of Tom DeLay's fundraising
 activities? (ROATE) DeLay did something illegal, OR he did something unethical
 but nothing illegal, OR he did not do anything seriously wrong?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Something illegal	27%	11%	24%	45%
Something unethical, but not illegal	28%	31%	37%	24%
Did not do anything seriously wrong	11%	22%	6%	4%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	34%	35%	33%	27%

29. Which of the following considerations do you think was most important to George W. Bush when he chose Harriet Miers as a nominee to the U.S. Supreme Court? (READ AND ROTATE)

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Her Close personal ties to him	47%	31%	52%	61%
Her Positions on major issues	10%	18%	8%	6%
Her Qualifications and experience	15%	17%	19%	11%
She Appeal to both political parties	13%	25%	9%	4%
None of the above (DO NOT READ)	2%	-	2%	4%
All of the above (DO NOT READ)	1%	3%	-	-
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	11%	6%	9%	14%

29. Which of the following considerations do you think was most important to George W. Bush when he chose John Roberts as a nominee to the U.S. Supreme Court? (READ AND ROTATE)

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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His Close personal ties to him	26%	12%	27%	40%
His Positions on major issues	18%	16%	25%	19%
His Qualifications and experience	26%	42%	19%	16%
He Appeal to both political parties	16%	18%	13%	18%
None of the above (DO NOT READ)	2%	2%	5%	1%
All of the above (DO NOT READ)	3%	4%	5%	1%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	8%	7%	6%	5%

30. Who has done the best job of appointing federal government officials: (ROTATE) the current president, George W. Bush or former President Bill Clinton?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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George W. Bush	32%	67%	23%	4%
Clinton	52%	19%	57%	86%
Neither (DO NOT READ)	6%	7%	9%	3%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	10%	6%	11%	7%

31. Which of the following people do you think George W. Bush relies on most to make key political or policy decisions? (READ AND ROTATE)

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Karl Rove	17%	14%	12%	25%
Dick Cheney	28%	28%	35%	25%
Condoleezza Rice	25%	30%	17%	27%
Donald Rumsfeld	7%	6%	11%	6%
None of the above (DO NOT READ)	3%	1%	6%	4%
All of the above (DO NOT READ)	6%	9%	8%	3%
Other (specify) (DO NOT READ)	1%	2%	2%	1%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	12%	12%	8%	8%

31. To address the problems caused by Hurricane Katrina

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Major sacrifices	38%	30%	37%	50%
Minor sacrifices	47%	55%	50%	39%
No sacrifices	12%	12%	13%	8%
None of above (DO NOT READ)	*	1%	-	1%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	3%	1%	-	2%

32. To succeed in Iraq

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Major sacrifices	27%	40%	21%	22%
Minor sacrifices	37%	42%	44%	30%
No sacrifices	30%	13%	29%	42%
None of above (DO NOT READ)	2%	2%	4%	1%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	4%	2%	2%	5%

33. To lower the cost of prescription medication

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Major sacrifices	39%	31%	44%	45%
Minor sacrifices	42%	45%	39%	44%
No sacrifices	14%	17%	17%	9%
None of above (DO NOT READ)	1%	1%	-	1%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	4%	5%	-	2%

34. To improve public schools

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Major sacrifices	45%	41%	44%	55%
Minor sacrifices	38%	40%	42%	34%
No sacrifices	13%	15%	13%	8%
None of above (DO NOT READ)	*	1%	-	-
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	3%	2%	1%	2%

35. To fight the war on terror

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Major sacrifices	41%	56%	37%	34%
Minor sacrifices	36%	34%	43%	35%
No sacrifices	18%	5%	19%	27%
None of above (DO NOT READ)	1%	1%	1%	*
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	4%	3%	1%	4%

36. Who do you think should bear most of the financial burden to rebuild the areas hit by Hurricane Katrina? (READ AND ROTATE)

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Federal government	40%	34%	34%	52%
State government	17%	23%	15%	13%
Local government	10%	14%	17%	4%
Volunteer or non-profit organizations	2%	2%	-	4%
Private companies and corporations	10%	7%	16%	8%
Someone else (specify)	12%	10%	12%	11%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	9%	10%	6%	8%

37. If you had to choose, which of the following would you say would be the best way for the government to pay for the problems caused by Hurricane Katrina? (READ AND ROTATE)

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Raise taxes	6%	8%	5%	5%
Delay or cancel tax cuts	31%	33%	29%	31%
Cut spending for war in Iraq	27%	11%	36%	36%
Increase federal budget deficit	7%	14%	3%	3%
Cut spending for domestic programs, like healthcare and education	4%	8%	3%	1%
Cut spending for war on terrorism	6%	3%	9%	10%
None of above (DO NOT READ)	7%	9%	7%	5%
All of above (DO NOT READ)	4%	5%	5%	3%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	8%	10%	3%	6%

38. Do you personally own a handgun, rifle, shotgun or any other kind of firearm?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Yes	31%	35%	30%	30%
No	64%	61%	65%	68%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	5%	4%	5%	2%

39. Which of the following comes closest to your view on abortion: It should always be legal, or It should be legal most of the time, or It should be made illegal, except in cases of rape, incest or to save the life of the mother, or It should be made illegal without any exceptions?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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It should always be legal	33%	22%	40%	45%
It should be legal most of the time	18%	15%	17%	24%
It should be made illegal, except in cases of rape, incest or to save the life of the mother	33%	45%	29%	22%
It should be made illegal without any exceptions	11%	16%	9%	7%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	5%	2%	5%	2%

40. Generally speaking, do you consider yourself very liberal, somewhat liberal, moderate, somewhat conservative, very conservative or haven't you thought much about this? [IF MODERATE ASK:] Do you tend to lean toward the liberal or conservative side?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Very liberal	8%	4%	10%	14%
Somewhat liberal	19%	7%	13%	37%
Moderate, leans liberal	8%	7%	8%	10%
Moderate	15%	9%	25%	17%
Moderate, leans conservative	6%	9%	9%	3%
Somewhat conservative	18%	31%	14%	7%
Very conservative	13%	29%	6%	3%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	12%	5%	14%	8%

41. And do you think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or something else? (IF REPUBLICAN OR DEMOCRAT ASK:) Do you consider yourself a strong (Republican/Democrat) or not so strong (Republican/Democrat)? (IF INDEPENDENT ASK:) Would you say that you lean toward Republicans or more toward the Democrats?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Strong Republican	17%	51%	-	-
Not so strong Republican	12%	34%	-	-
Independent, leans Republican	5%	15%	-	-
Independent	21%	-	100%	-
Independent, leans Democratic	9%	-	-	27%
Not so strong Democrat	10%	-	-	30%
Strong Democrat	15%	-	-	43%
Other (DO NOT READ)	4%	-	-	-
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	6%	-	-	-

I only have a few more questions for statistical purposes....

42. What is your employment status? (DO NOT READ)

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Employed and working full-time	43%	43%	51%	43%
Employed and working part-time	9%	12%	5%	8%
Unemployed	5%	5%	5%	6%
Retired	26%	30%	24%	24%
Homemaker	6%	8%	7%	5%
Temporarily laid off	1%	-	1%	1%
Student	2%	1%	1%	3%
Other	5%	2%	3%	9%
Don't know/Refused	3%	-	2%	*

43. In talking to people about elections, we often find that a lot of people are not able to vote because they are sick or they just do not have the time. With that in mind, were you able to vote in the 2004 election for President of the United States and other offices?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Yes, voted	89%	95%	87%	92%
No, did not vote	8%	5%	13%	8%
Not sure/Don't know/ Refused	3%	*	-	-

44. And for whom did you vote in this most recent 2004 presidential election? (OPEN-END, PRE-CODE)

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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George Bush	41%	80%	36%	9%
John Kerry	41%	9%	35%	80%
Ralph Nader	1%	-	4%	1%
Other	1%	-	1%	1%
Don't know/Refused	16%	11%	24%	9%

45. What is your marital status? Are you . . . (READ LIST)

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Single	16%	15%	13%	21%
Married	63%	73%	63%	58%
Divorced	8%	6%	5%	10%
Separated	1%	1%	4%	1%
Widowed	9%	6%	12%	10%
Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	2%	-	2%	-

46. How many children under the age of 18, if any, do you have living at home?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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None	63%	62%	63%	64%
One	14%	12%	18%	16%
Two	13%	17%	12%	13%
Three	5%	6%	4%	5%
Four or more	2%	3%	3%	2%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	3%	-	1%	*

47. What is your age please? (OPEN-END, PRE-CODE)

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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18-24	5%	7%	-	5%
25-34	13%	12%	13%	14%
35-44	19%	18%	20%	19%
45-54	21%	22%	27%	22%
55-64	17%	18%	20%	16%
65-74	14%	13%	11%	14%
75 +	8%	9%	8%	9%
Don't know/Refused	4%	2%	1%	2%

48. What is the last grade of formal education you have completed?
(OPEN-END,PRE-CODE)

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Less than high school	6%	5%	5%	7%
High school graduate	24%	24%	23%	25%
Some college/vocational school	29%	31%	29%	29%
College graduate	24%	25%	29%	24%
Post graduate	14%	14%	13%	14%
Don't know/Refused	3%	1%	1%	1%

49. For statistical purposes only, could you please tell me your ethnic
background?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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White/Caucasian	77%	85%	74%	75%
Hispanic/Latino	6%	5%	4%	8%
African-American/Black	9%	4%	12%	12%
Asian American/Asian	2%	2%	1%	1%
Native American	1%	2%	-	1%
Other/Specify	1%	1%	4%	-
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	5%	1%	5%	3%

50. Finally, would you describe yourself as a "born-again" or evangelical
Christian?

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
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Yes	38%	49%	36%	32%
No	54%	48%	60%	63%
Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	8%	4%	4%	5%

A. Gender (BY OBSERVATION)

	TOTAL	REP	IND	DEM
Male	48%	50%	47%	48%
Female	52%	50%	53%	52%