



National Survey Results

Q1 Do you plan to vote in the Democratic or Republican primary election for President next year, or do you not plan to vote in a primary?

<i>Democratic primary</i>	100%
<i>Republican primary</i>	0%
<i>Don't plan to vote in a primary</i>	0%

Q2 Now I'd like to read you a series of statements about American politics, and for each one, ask you if you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree. Here's the first one: Special interest money has too much influence in American political campaigns. If you strongly agree that special interest money has too much influence in American political campaigns, press 1. If you somewhat agree, press 2. If you somewhat disagree, press 3. If you strongly disagree, press 4. If you're not sure, press 5.

<i>Strongly agree</i>	82%
<i>Somewhat agree</i>	10%
<i>Somewhat disagree</i>	2%
<i>Strongly disagree</i>	2%
<i>Not sure</i>	4%

Q3 Here's the next one: The system for funding elections needs fundamental reform.

<i>Strongly agree</i>	70%
<i>Somewhat agree</i>	15%
<i>Somewhat disagree</i>	5%
<i>Strongly disagree</i>	3%
<i>Not sure</i>	7%

Q4 Here's the next one: Elections would be less corrupt if politicians focused more on small donations from voters instead of big money from special interests.

<i>Strongly agree</i>	72%
<i>Somewhat agree</i>	14%
<i>Somewhat disagree</i>	6%
<i>Strongly disagree</i>	4%
<i>Not sure</i>	4%

Q5 Here's the next one: We should move toward the citizen-funding of campaigns, allowing individuals to make small contributions that are then matched by a limited amount of public funds.

<i>Strongly agree</i>	48%
<i>Somewhat agree</i>	24%
<i>Somewhat disagree</i>	9%
<i>Strongly disagree</i>	11%
<i>Not sure</i>	9%

Q6 Here's the next one: Super PACs and special interest groups that run campaign ads should have to disclose where their funding comes from.

<i>Strongly agree</i>	87%
<i>Somewhat agree</i>	4%
<i>Somewhat disagree</i>	3%
<i>Strongly disagree</i>	3%
<i>Not sure</i>	3%





Q7 Here's the next one: The Securities and Exchange Commission should require corporations to disclose the amount of money they spend on political campaigns.

Strongly agree 79%
Somewhat agree..... 9%
Somewhat disagree 3%
Strongly disagree..... 5%
Not sure..... 4%

Q8 Here's the next one: President Obama should issue an executive order requiring government contractors to disclose the amount of money they spend on political campaigns.

Strongly agree 61%
Somewhat agree..... 17%
Somewhat disagree 9%
Strongly disagree..... 8%
Not sure 6%

Q9 Here's the last one: The Federal Election Commission should be reformed so that it holds accountable candidates and organizations that break the law.

Strongly agree 81%
Somewhat agree..... 12%
Somewhat disagree 1%
Strongly disagree..... 3%
Not sure 4%

Q10 If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

Woman 57%
Man..... 43%

Q11 If you are a Democrat, press 1. If an independent, press 2.

Democrat 85%
Independent..... 15%

Q12 If you are Hispanic, press 1. If white, press 2. If African-American, press 3. If other, press 4.

Hispanic..... 13%
White 60%
African-American 21%
Other..... 6%

Q13 If you are 18-29 years old, press 1. If 30-45, press 2. If 46-65, press 3. If older than 65, press 4.

18 to 29..... 14%
30 to 45..... 20%
46 to 65..... 43%
Older than 65..... 24%





	Base	Democratic Primary Vote							
		Joe Biden	Lincoln Chafee	Hillary Clinton	Lawrence Lessig	Martin O'Malley	Bernie Sanders	Jim Webb	Not sure
Special Interests Too Much Influence Agree/Disagree									
Strongly agree	82%	84%	50%	79%	86%	43%	93%	65%	81%
Somewhat agree	10%	11%	4%	14%	14%	14%	3%	13%	7%
Somewhat disagree	2%	1%	-	2%	-	-	1%	13%	0%
Strongly disagree	2%	2%	47%	0%	-	43%	3%	-	0%
Not sure	4%	2%	-	4%	-	-	0%	9%	11%

	Base	Democratic Primary Vote							
		Joe Biden	Lincoln Chafee	Hillary Clinton	Lawrence Lessig	Martin O'Malley	Bernie Sanders	Jim Webb	Not sure
Election Funding Needs Reform Agree/Disagree									
Strongly agree	70%	71%	22%	69%	44%	40%	80%	58%	66%
Somewhat agree	15%	16%	31%	19%	51%	17%	9%	6%	12%
Somewhat disagree	5%	6%	-	5%	-	-	4%	14%	2%
Strongly disagree	3%	3%	47%	0%	-	43%	4%	-	4%
Not sure	7%	4%	-	7%	5%	-	2%	23%	16%

	Base	Democratic Primary Vote							
		Joe Biden	Lincoln Chafee	Hillary Clinton	Lawrence Lessig	Martin O'Malley	Bernie Sanders	Jim Webb	Not sure
Focus on Small Donations Agree/Disagree									
Strongly agree	72%	73%	26%	68%	81%	46%	82%	63%	82%
Somewhat agree	14%	12%	21%	17%	5%	8%	10%	12%	12%
Somewhat disagree	6%	4%	5%	8%	-	46%	4%	2%	1%
Strongly disagree	4%	4%	48%	2%	-	-	4%	10%	3%
Not sure	4%	7%	-	5%	14%	-	1%	13%	2%





	Base	Democratic Primary Vote							
		Joe Biden	Lincoln Chafee	Hillary Clinton	Lawrence Lessig	Martin O'Malley	Bernie Sanders	Jim Webb	Not sure
Citizen Funding of Campaigns Agree/Disagree									
Strongly agree	48%	47%	17%	48%	14%	33%	58%	21%	40%
Somewhat agree	24%	24%	30%	28%	38%	6%	15%	44%	18%
Somewhat disagree	9%	12%	2%	9%	5%	-	8%	8%	8%
Strongly disagree	11%	7%	51%	8%	-	43%	12%	15%	15%
Not sure	9%	10%	-	6%	43%	19%	7%	13%	19%

	Base	Democratic Primary Vote							
		Joe Biden	Lincoln Chafee	Hillary Clinton	Lawrence Lessig	Martin O'Malley	Bernie Sanders	Jim Webb	Not sure
Super PACs Disclose Funding Agree/Disagree									
Strongly agree	87%	87%	53%	86%	100%	49%	94%	76%	83%
Somewhat agree	4%	3%	-	7%	-	8%	1%	2%	2%
Somewhat disagree	3%	5%	-	4%	-	43%	0%	-	1%
Strongly disagree	3%	2%	47%	1%	-	-	3%	9%	9%
Not sure	3%	3%	-	3%	-	-	1%	13%	4%





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		Joe Biden	Lincoln Chafee	Hillary Clinton	Lawrence Lessig	Martin O'Malley	Bernie Sanders	Jim Webb	Not sure
SEC Require Corporations to Disclose Agree/Disagree									
Strongly agree	79%	74%	38%	83%	75%	30%	89%	49%	75%
Somewhat agree	9%	17%	4%	10%	25%	8%	3%	2%	8%
Somewhat disagree	3%	6%	7%	1%	-	43%	1%	2%	2%
Strongly disagree	5%	2%	51%	0%	-	-	6%	22%	9%
Not sure	4%	1%	-	5%	-	19%	1%	25%	6%

	Base	Executive Order Govt Contractors Disclose Agree/Disagree				
		Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure
Special Interests Too Much Influence Agree/Disagree						
Strongly agree	82%	90%	74%	80%	62%	58%
Somewhat agree	10%	6%	22%	13%	8%	14%
Somewhat disagree	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	14%
Strongly disagree	2%	0%	0%	5%	19%	-
Not sure	4%	3%	1%	1%	9%	14%





	Base	Executive Order Govt Contractors Disclose Agree/Disagree				
		Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure
Election Funding Needs Reform Agree/Disagree						
Strongly agree	71%	81%	63%	61%	46%	30%
Somewhat agree	15%	10%	25%	24%	8%	28%
Somewhat disagree	5%	3%	9%	5%	9%	5%
Strongly disagree	3%	1%	-	5%	28%	2%
Not sure	7%	5%	3%	6%	9%	35%

	Base	Executive Order Govt Contractors Disclose Agree/Disagree				
		Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure
Focus on Small Donations Agree/Disagree						
Strongly agree	73%	83%	62%	58%	49%	47%
Somewhat agree	14%	9%	27%	22%	10%	13%
Somewhat disagree	6%	3%	9%	18%	12%	5%
Strongly disagree	3%	1%	2%	1%	28%	-
Not sure	4%	4%	0%	1%	2%	35%





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		Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure
Citizen Funding of Campaigns Agree/Disagree						
Strongly agree	48%	61%	38%	26%	14%	18%
Somewhat agree	24%	20%	37%	39%	13%	17%
Somewhat disagree	9%	7%	10%	26%	6%	10%
Strongly disagree	11%	6%	5%	9%	66%	3%
Not sure	9%	7%	9%	1%	1%	53%

	Base	Executive Order Govt Contractors Disclose Agree/Disagree				
		Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure
Super PACs Disclose Funding Agree/Disagree						
Strongly agree	87%	96%	88%	68%	57%	59%
Somewhat agree	4%	2%	5%	13%	4%	11%
Somewhat disagree	3%	0%	7%	13%	8%	0%
Strongly disagree	3%	1%	-	6%	29%	0%
Not sure	3%	2%	0%	1%	2%	29%





	Base	Executive Order Govt Contractors Disclose Agree/Disagree				
		Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure
SEC Require Corporations to Disclose Agree/Disagree						
Strongly agree	80%	92%	78%	65%	36%	40%
Somewhat agree	9%	5%	13%	25%	6%	20%
Somewhat disagree	2%	1%	3%	3%	11%	3%
Strongly disagree	5%	0%	-	5%	47%	-
Not sure	4%	2%	6%	2%	-	37%

	Base	FEC Hold Candidates Accountable Agree/Disagree				
		Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure
Special Interests Too Much Influence Agree/Disagree						
Strongly agree	82%	89%	61%	27%	9%	70%
Somewhat agree	10%	7%	26%	66%	6%	6%
Somewhat disagree	2%	1%	8%	3%	2%	1%
Strongly disagree	2%	0%	4%	-	58%	-
Not sure	4%	2%	1%	4%	25%	23%





	Base	FEC Hold Candidates Accountable Agree/Disagree				
		Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure
Election Funding Needs Reform Agree/Disagree						
Strongly agree	70%	78%	45%	13%	6%	33%
Somewhat agree	15%	13%	34%	17%	-	18%
Somewhat disagree	5%	4%	8%	64%	-	4%
Strongly disagree	3%	1%	4%	-	72%	-
Not sure	7%	4%	9%	6%	22%	46%

	Base	FEC Hold Candidates Accountable Agree/Disagree				
		Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure
Focus on Small Donations Agree/Disagree						
Strongly agree	72%	80%	42%	58%	9%	60%
Somewhat agree	14%	11%	33%	10%	16%	5%
Somewhat disagree	6%	4%	17%	23%	18%	2%
Strongly disagree	4%	2%	3%	3%	50%	10%
Not sure	4%	3%	6%	7%	7%	23%





	Base	FEC Hold Candidates Accountable Agree/Disagree				
		Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure
Citizen Funding of Campaigns Agree/Disagree						
Strongly agree	48%	54%	17%	46%	21%	26%
Somewhat agree	24%	22%	44%	7%	15%	20%
Somewhat disagree	9%	8%	16%	32%	-	5%
Strongly disagree	11%	9%	13%	15%	64%	1%
Not sure	9%	7%	10%	-	-	49%

	Base	FEC Hold Candidates Accountable Agree/Disagree				
		Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure
Super PACs Disclose Funding Agree/Disagree						
Strongly agree	87%	93%	69%	83%	7%	64%
Somewhat agree	4%	3%	16%	-	-	8%
Somewhat disagree	3%	2%	4%	12%	18%	1%
Strongly disagree	3%	1%	3%	-	68%	1%
Not sure	3%	1%	7%	5%	7%	26%





	Base	FEC Hold Candidates Accountable Agree/Disagree				
		Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure
SEC Require Corporations to Disclose Agree/Disagree						
Strongly agree	79%	86%	63%	37%	9%	53%
Somewhat agree	9%	7%	22%	8%	-	14%
Somewhat disagree	3%	2%	1%	51%	18%	5%
Strongly disagree	5%	2%	8%	-	68%	-
Not sure	4%	3%	7%	5%	6%	29%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Special Interests Too Much Influence Agree/Disagree			
Strongly agree	82%	76%	89%
Somewhat agree	10%	14%	5%
Somewhat disagree	2%	1%	3%
Strongly disagree	2%	3%	1%
Not sure	4%	5%	2%

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		Woman	Man
Election Funding Needs Reform Agree/Disagree			
Strongly agree	70%	63%	79%
Somewhat agree	15%	19%	10%
Somewhat disagree	5%	6%	4%
Strongly disagree	3%	3%	3%
Not sure	7%	8%	5%





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		Woman	Man
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Strongly agree	72%	68%	78%
Somewhat agree	14%	16%	11%
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Strongly disagree	4%	4%	4%
Not sure	4%	5%	4%

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Strongly agree	48%	46%	50%
Somewhat agree	24%	26%	22%
Somewhat disagree	9%	9%	8%
Strongly disagree	11%	9%	13%
Not sure	9%	10%	7%

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		Woman	Man
Super PACs Disclose Funding Agree/Disagree			
Strongly agree	87%	85%	88%
Somewhat agree	4%	5%	4%
Somewhat disagree	3%	3%	2%
Strongly disagree	3%	3%	3%
Not sure	3%	3%	2%





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Strongly agree	79%	77%	82%
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Somewhat disagree	3%	3%	2%
Strongly disagree	5%	4%	5%
Not sure	4%	5%	3%

	Base	Party	
		Democrat	Independent
Special Interests Too Much Influence Agree/Disagree			
Strongly agree	82%	81%	90%
Somewhat agree	10%	10%	8%
Somewhat disagree	2%	2%	0%
Strongly disagree	2%	2%	1%
Not sure	4%	4%	1%

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Election Funding Needs Reform Agree/Disagree			
Strongly agree	70%	69%	75%
Somewhat agree	15%	15%	14%
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Strongly disagree	3%	3%	3%
Not sure	7%	7%	2%





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Strongly agree	72%	73%	72%
Somewhat agree	14%	14%	14%
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Strongly disagree	4%	3%	6%
Not sure	4%	5%	2%

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Strongly agree	48%	48%	45%
Somewhat agree	24%	23%	31%
Somewhat disagree	9%	9%	9%
Strongly disagree	11%	11%	9%
Not sure	9%	9%	6%

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Strongly agree	87%	86%	92%
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