

NEW YORK-22 TOPLINES

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My name is _____ of a national survey research firm. We're talking with people like you today across New York and would like to ask you a few questions on a confidential basis. You have been selected randomly to participate in a survey and have a rare opportunity to voice your opinions. I am not selling or promoting any product and I am not asking for a donation; I simply want to know what you think and how you feel. (DO NOT PAUSE)

1. Do state and county records show you to be registered as... (RANDOMIZE)

40% Republican
18% Independent or Unaffiliated
38% Democratic
4% Unsure / refused (vol)

2. Now looking ahead to the upcoming election in November, how likely would you say you are to vote in the election this November? Would you say you are... (ROTATE TOP TO BOTTOM, BOTTOM TO TOP)

96% Very Likely
4% Somewhat Likely

3. Now, thinking about the election for Congress that will be held in November – If the election for Congress were being held today, and you had to make a choice, would you be voting for ... (ROTATE CHOICES) (**Probe:** And would you DEFINITELY vote for the Republican/Democrat candidate or just PROBABLY?)

47% Total Republican
41% Definitely Republican
6% Probably Republican

11% Undecided (vol)

41% Total Democrat
8% Probably Democrat
32% Definitely Democrat

1% Refused (vol)

IF "UNDECIDED" IN PREVIOUS QUESTION, ASK:

4. And which party's candidate do you lean toward at this time? (ROTATE CHOICES)

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9% The Republican Candidate
27% The Democrat Candidate

51% Hard Undecided **(vol)**
13% Neither **(vol)**
- Refused **(vol)**

Now thinking about President Trump...

5. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Donald Trump is doing as President?
(Probe: If choice made, ask: Is that strongly or somewhat (approve / disapprove)?)

58% Total Approve

48% Strongly Approve
10% Somewhat Approve

39% Total Disapprove

5% Somewhat Disapprove
34% Strongly Disapprove

3% Unsure / refused **(vol)**

NAME RECOGNITION AND FAVORABILITY RATINGS

Switching topics slightly for a moment, I am going to read you the names of a few people. After I read each name, first please tell me if you have heard of that person, and then tell me if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of that person. If you have no opinion of a person, or have never heard of a particular person, just tell me and we'll move on. (RANDOMIZE IN SECTION)

(ASK FAVORABLE/UNFAVORABLE): And do you have a STRONGLY (favorable/unfavorable) opinion of that person, or just a SOMEWHAT (favorable/unfavorable) opinion of that person?

6. Claudia Tenney

94% Total Name ID

89% Hard Name ID

47% Total Favorable

35% Strongly Favorable

12% Somewhat Favorable

44% Total Unfavorable

6% Somewhat Unfavorable

38% Strongly Unfavorable

4% Heard of / No Opinion

4% Never Heard Of

1% Do Not Know (vol)

- Refused (vol)

7. Anthony Brindisi

92% Total Name ID

85% Hard Name ID

49% Total Favorable

30% Strongly Favorable

19% Somewhat Favorable

39% Total Unfavorable

12% Somewhat Unfavorable

26% Strongly Unfavorable

6% Heard of / No Opinion

6% Never Heard Of

1% Do Not Know (vol)

- Refused (vol)

BALLOT TESTS

8. If the election for Attorney General were being held today, for whom would you vote between:
(RANDOMIZE)

- The Republican candidate, Keith Wofford
- The Democratic candidate, Letitia James

(Probe: If choice made, ask: Would that be DEFINITELY, or just PROBABLY?)
(If Undecided, ask: Who are you leaning toward?)

45% Total Keith Wofford
38% Definitely Keith Wofford
6% Probably Keith Wofford
2% Lean Keith Wofford

37% Total Letitia James
25% Definitely Letitia James
9% Probably Letitia James
3% Lean Letitia James

3% Someone Else **(vol)**
14% Hard Undecided **(vol)**
* Refused **(vol)**

9. If the election for U.S. Congress were tomorrow, who would you vote for if the race was between
(ROTATE) Republican Claudia Tenney, and Democrat Anthony Brindisi?

(Probe: And Would That Be Definitely or Probably For [Insert Candidate]?)

(Probe Those Who Say Undecided: Toward Which Candidate Do You Lean?)

50% Total Claudia Tenney
40% Definitely Claudia Tenney
9% Probably Claudia Tenney
1% Lean Claudia Tenney

42% Total Anthony Brindisi
1% Lean Anthony Brindisi
12% Probably Anthony Brindisi
29% Definitely Anthony Brindisi

7% Hard Undecided/Do Not Know **(vol)**
1% Other (Please Specify) (Record Verbatim) **(vol)**
- Would Not Vote **(vol)**
- Refused **(vol)**

ADDITIONAL DEMOGRAPHICS

Finally, I would like to ask you a few confidential statistical questions, for generic classification purposes only.

10. In the Presidential election in 2016, please tell me who you voted for. As you'll recall, the candidates were... (Randomize choices)

55%	Donald Trump, Republican
39%	Hillary Clinton, Democrat
2%	Gary Johnson, Libertarian
1%	Jill Stein, Green Party
1%	Other names (vol)
1%	Did not vote (vol)
*	Refused (vol)

11. In which year were you born? (Place into category)

16%	18-34
28%	35-54
23%	55-64
33%	65+
-	Refused

12. And, which of the following best describes your racial or ethnic background? (READ AND ROTATE)

92%	White or Caucasian
2%	African-American or Black
2%	Hispanic or Latino
2%	Asian or Pacific Islander
2%	Multi-Racial or Other (vol)
1%	Do Not Know (vol)
1%	Refused (vol)

13. County

28%	Broome
7%	Chenango
7%	Cortland
8%	Herkimer
10%	Madison
31%	Oneida
7%	Oswego
3%	Tioga

14. Gender

48%	Male
52%	Female
