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## WV against gay marriage, for Tea Party, Steelers, Reds/Bucs

Raleigh, N.C. - A lot of states are moving toward acceptance of same-sex marriage, but West Virginia is not one of them. Only 19\% of the state’s voters want it to be legal, while $71 \%$ want it to stay illegal. Despite $55 \%$ of the electorate being Democrats, they are very socially conservative, opposing gay marriage by a 61-26 margin.

Even when given the option of the equal legal rights associated with civil unions, only $43 \%$ of all voters want some form of legal recognition for gay couples- $17 \%$ for full marriage and $26 \%$ for civil unions-while $54 \%$ still prefer no recognition for these relationships. Though they are still slightly less likely than Democrats to favor marriage rights in the two-way question, independents, at $60 \%$, are actually more likely than Democrats (53\%) to be for some form of legal equality.

Though it is reviled in most other parts of the country now, West Virginians still have at least a little love for the Tea Party. $42 \%$ see it favorably and $38 \%$ unfavorably. $68 \%$ of Republicans, $59 \%$ of independents, and even $23 \%$ of Democrats see it positively.

West Virginia is without a doubt Steelers country. 43\% of Mountaineers root for Pittsburgh, with no one else in double digits. 9\% favor the Dallas Cowboys, 7\% the Cleveland Browns and Washington Redskins, 6\% the Cincinnati Bengals, 5\% the Indianapolis Colts, 3\% the Baltimore Ravens, and 2\% the Philadelphia Eagles. 18\% cheer for another team or are not football fans.

The state is divided, however, when it comes to baseball. $27 \%$ claim to be fans of each the Cincinnati Reds and Pittsburgh Pirates. Again, no one else is close. 8\% prefer the Atlanta Braves, $7 \%$ the New York Yankees, 4\% the Baltimore Orioles, 3\% the Cleveland Indians, and 2\% each the Philadelphia Phillies and Washington Nationals. 21\% like some other MLB team or are not baseball fans at all.

PPP surveyed 708 likely West Virginia voters from September $1^{\text {st }}$ to $4^{\text {th }}$. The margin of error for the survey is $+/-3.7 \%$. This poll was not paid for or authorized by any campaign or political organization. PPP surveys are conducted through automated telephone interviews. PPP is a Democratic polling company, but polling expert Nate Silver of the New York Times found that its surveys in 2010 actually exhibited a slight bias toward Republican candidates.


## West Virginia Survey Results

Q1 Do you approve or disapprove of Senator Jay Rockefeller's job performance?
Approve ................. $45 \%$ Not sure .................. $12 \%$
Disapprove.............. $42 \%$

Q2 Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Don Blankenship?

Favorable....................................................... 13\%
Unfavorable ..................................................... 44\%
Not sure .......................................................... 43\%
Q3 Is your favorite baseball team the Atlanta Braves, Baltimore Orioles, Cincinnati Reds, Cleveland Indians, New York Yankees, Philadelphia Phillies, Pittsburgh Pirates, or Washington Nationals?

Braves ........................................................... 8\%
Orioles ............................................................. 4\%
Reds ..............................................................27\%
Indians ........................................................... 3\%
Yankees.......................................................... 7\%
Phillies ............................................................. 2\%
Pirates ........................................................... 27\%
Nationals........................................................ 2\%
Someone else/Not a baseball fan ...................21\%

Q4 Is your favorite football team the Baltimore Ravens, Cincinnati Bengals, Cleveland Browns, Dallas Cowboys, Indianapolis Colts, Philadelphia Eagles, Pittsburgh Steelers, or Washington Redskins?
Ravens.....................................................................3\%
Bengals................................................................... 6\%
Browns........................................................... 7\%
Cowboys ......................................................... 9\%
Colts ............................................................... 5\%
Eagles............................................................. 2\%
Steelers...........................................................43\%
Redskins................................................................... 7\%
Someone else/Not a football fan ..................... 18\%
Q5 Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Bob Wise?

Favorable.......................................................35\%
Unfavorable ................................................... 31\%
Not sure .......................................................... 34\%
Q6 Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Gaston Caperton?

Favorable.......................................................42\%
Unfavorable ................................................... 34\%
Not sure .......................................................... 25\%
Q7 Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Arch Moore?

Favorable......................................................... 38\%
Unfavorable .................................................... 41\%
Not sure ..........................................................21\%
Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Hulett Smith?
Favorable ..... 14\%
Unfavorable ..... 22\%
Not sure ..... 65\%
Q9 Do you think same-sex marriage should be legal or illegal?
Legal. ..... 19\% ..... 19\%
Illegal ..... 71\%
Not sure ..... 10\%
Q10 Which of the following best describes youropinion on gay marriage: gay couples shouldbe allowed to legally marry, or gay couplesshould be allowed to form civil unions but notlegally marry, or there should be no legalrecognition of a gay couple's relationship?
Gay couples should be allowed to legally marry ..... 17\%
Gay couples should be allowed to form civil unions but not marry ..... 26\%
There should be no legal recognition of a gay couple's relationship ..... 54\%
Not sure ..... 3\%
Q11 Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinionof the Tea Party?
Favorable ..... 42\%
Unfavorable ..... 38\%
Not sure ..... 20\%
Q12 Who did you vote for President in 2008?
John McCain ..... 49\%
Barack Obama ..... 40\%
Someone else/Don't remember ..... 11\%
Q13 Would you describe yourself as very liberal, somewhat liberal, moderate, somewhat conservative, or very conservative?
Very liberal ..... 8\%
Somewhat liberal ..... 15\%
Moderate ..... 26\%
Somewhat conservative ..... 28\%
Very conservative ..... 22\%
Q14 If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.
Woman ..... 53\%
Man. ..... 47\%
Q15 If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican,press 2. If you are an independent or identifywith another party, press 3.
Democrat ..... 55\%
Republican ..... 36\%
Independent/Other ..... 9\%
Q16 If you are white, press 1. If other, press 2.
White ..... 95\%
Other. ..... 5\%
Q17 If you are 18 to 29 years old, press 1. If 30 to45 , press 2. If 46 to 65 , press 3 . If you areolder than 65 , press 4.
18 to 29 ..... 8\%
30 to 45 ..... 18\%
46 to 65 ..... 45\%
Older than 65 ..... 29\%

## Crosstabs

|  |  | 2008 Vote |  |  |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Base | John <br> McCain | Barack <br> Obama | Someone else/Don't <br> remember |
| Rockefeller Approval |  |  |  |  |
| Approve | $45 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $77 \%$ | $47 \%$ |
| Disapprove | $42 \%$ | $68 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $32 \%$ |
| Not sure | $12 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $21 \%$ |


|  |  | 2008 Vote |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | John <br> McCain | Barack <br> Obama | Someone else/Don't <br> remember |
| Blankenship <br> Favorability |  |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $13 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $13 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $44 \%$ | $30 \%$ | $64 \%$ | $38 \%$ |
| Not sure | $43 \%$ | $50 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $49 \%$ |


|  | Base | 2008 Vote |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | John McCain | Barack Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| Fave MLB Team | 8\% | 6\% | 8\% | 15\% |
| Braves |  |  |  |  |
| Orioles | 4\% | 5\% | 3\% | 5\% |
| Reds | 27\% | 27\% | 27\% | 30\% |
| Indians | 3\% | 2\% | 2\% | 6\% |
| Yankees | 7\% | 7\% | 7\% | 4\% |
| Phillies | 2\% | 3\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| Pirates | 27\% | 27\% | 28\% | 22\% |
| Nationals | 2\% | 0\% | 3\% | 1\% |
| Someone else/Not a baseball fan | 21\% | 22\% | 20\% | 16\% |


|  |  | 2008 Vote |  |  |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Base | John <br> McCain | Barack <br> Obama | Someone else/Don't <br> remember |
| Fave NFL Team |  |  |  |  |
| Ravens | $\mathbf{3 \%}$ | $2 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $6 \%$ |
| Bengals | $\mathbf{6 \%}$ | $7 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $7 \%$ |
| Browns | $\mathbf{7 \%}$ | $7 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $10 \%$ |
| Cowboys | $\mathbf{9 \%}$ | $11 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $7 \%$ |
| Colts | $\mathbf{5 \%}$ | $6 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| Eagles | $\mathbf{2 \%}$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| Steelers | $\mathbf{4 3 \%}$ | $42 \%$ | $45 \%$ | $41 \%$ |
| Redskins | $\mathbf{7 \%}$ | $6 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $13 \%$ |
| Someone else/Not a | $\mathbf{1 8 \%}$ | $18 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $8 \%$ |
| football fan |  |  |  |  |

Crosstabs

|  |  | 2008 Vote |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | John <br> McCain | Barack <br> Obama | Someone else/Don't <br> remember |
| Wise Favorability |  |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $35 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $28 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $31 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $28 \%$ |
| Not sure | $34 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $28 \%$ | $44 \%$ |


|  |  | 2008 Vote |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | John <br> McCain | Barack <br> Obama | Someone else/Don't <br> remember |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $42 \%$ | $28 \%$ | $60 \%$ | $35 \%$ |
|  | $34 \%$ | $45 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $29 \%$ |
|  | $\mathbf{2 5 \%}$ | $26 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $36 \%$ |


|  |  | 2008 Vote |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | John <br> McCain | Barack <br> Obama | Someone else/Don't <br> remember |
| Moore Favorability |  |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $\mathbf{3 8 \%}$ | $53 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $34 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $\mathbf{4 1 \%}$ | $26 \%$ | $60 \%$ | $39 \%$ |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{2 1 \%}$ | $22 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $27 \%$ |


|  |  | 2008 Vote |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | John <br> McCain | Barack <br> Obama | Someone else/Don't <br> remember |
| Smith Favorability |  |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $14 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $10 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $\mathbf{2 2 \%}$ | $22 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $19 \%$ |
| Not sure | $65 \%$ | $67 \%$ | $60 \%$ | $71 \%$ |

Crosstabs

|  | Base | 2008 Vote |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | John McCain | Barack Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| Same-Sex Marriage Legal/Illegal | 19\% | 5\% | 39\% | 9\% |
| Legal |  |  |  |  |
| Illegal | 71\% | 89\% | 47\% | 79\% |
| Not sure | 10\% | 6\% | 14\% | 12\% |


|  | Base | 2008 Vote |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | John McCain | Barack Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| Gay Marriage/Civ. Unions/No Recognition |  |  |  |  |
| Gay couples should be allowed to legally marry | 17\% | 3\% | 36\% | 10\% |
| Gay couples should be allowed to form civil unions but not marry | 26\% | 24\% | 30\% | 20\% |
| There should be no legal recognition of a gay couple's relationship | 54\% | 69\% | 31\% | 68\% |
| Not sure | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% | 2\% |


|  |  | 2008 Vote |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | John <br> McCain | Barack <br> Obama | Someone else/Don't <br> remember |
| Tea Party <br> Favorability |  |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $\mathbf{4 2 \%}$ | $71 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $20 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $\mathbf{3 8 \%}$ | $10 \%$ | $76 \%$ | $28 \%$ |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{2 0 \%}$ | $18 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $52 \%$ |


|  | Base | Ideology |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Very liberal | Somewhat liberal | Moderate | Somewhat conservative | Very conservative |
| Rockefeller Approval | 45\% | 65\% | 77\% | 60\% | 32\% | 15\% |
| Approve |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Disapprove | 42\% | 26\% | 15\% | 25\% | 52\% | 75\% |
| Not sure | 12\% | 9\% | 9\% | 14\% | 16\% | 10\% |

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|  | Base | Ideology |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Very liberal | Somewhat liberal | Moderate | Somewhat conservative | Very conservative |
| Blankenship Favorability | 13\% | 3\% | 4\% | 11\% | 15\% | 24\% |
| Favorable |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Unfavorable | 44\% | 70\% | 64\% | 48\% | 37\% | 25\% |
| Not sure | 43\% | 27\% | 32\% | 42\% | 48\% | 51\% |


|  | Base | Ideology |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\left\|\begin{array}{r} \text { Very } \\ \text { liberal } \end{array}\right\|$ | Somewhat liberal | Moderate | Somewhat conservative | Very conservative |
| Fave MLB Team |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Braves | 8\% | 19\% | 6\% | 4\% | 7\% | 9\% |
| Orioles | 4\% | 6\% | 2\% | 4\% | 6\% | 3\% |
| Reds | 27\% | 14\% | 35\% | 30\% | 27\% | 23\% |
| Indians | 3\% | 3\% | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% | 3\% |
| Yankees | 7\% | 11\% | 6\% | 6\% | 8\% | 5\% |
| Phillies | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 4\% | 2\% | 1\% |
| Pirates | 27\% | 32\% | 28\% | 26\% | 27\% | 25\% |
| Nationals | 2\% | - | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| Someone else/Not a baseball fan | 21\% | 13\% | 15\% | 23\% | 19\% | 28\% |


|  | Base | Ideology |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Very } \\ \text { liberal } \end{array}$ | Somewhat liberal | Moderate | Somewhat conservative | Very conservative |
| Fave NFL Team | 3\% | 9\% | 4\% | 1\% | 3\% | 2\% |
| Ravens |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bengals | 6\% | 5\% | 10\% | 5\% | 6\% | 7\% |
| Browns | 7\% | 6\% | 8\% | 11\% | 5\% | 6\% |
| Cowboys | 9\% | 8\% | 5\% | 6\% | 16\% | 5\% |
| Colts | 5\% | 3\% | 8\% | 5\% | 5\% | 6\% |
| Eagles | 2\% | 1\% | 4\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| Steelers | 43\% | 47\% | 40\% | 47\% | 43\% | 40\% |
| Redskins | 7\% | 6\% | 7\% | 5\% | 9\% | 5\% |
| Someone else/Not a football fan | 18\% | 15\% | 14\% | 19\% | 13\% | 26\% |


|  | Base | Ideology |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Very liberal | Somewhat liberal | Moderate | Somewhat conservative | Very conservative |
| Wise Favorability | 35\% | 50\% | 54\% | 42\% | 29\% | 15\% |
| Favorable |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Unfavorable | 31\% | 23\% | 19\% | 25\% | 38\% | 41\% |
| Not sure | 34\% | 27\% | 27\% | 32\% | 33\% | 44\% |

## Crosstabs

|  | Base | Ideology |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Very liberal | Somewhat liberal | Moderate | Somewhat conservative | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Very } \\ \text { conservative } \end{array}$ |
| Caperton Favorability | 42\% | 46\% | 59\% | 54\% | 36\% | 21\% |
| Favorable |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Unfavorable | 34\% | 26\% | 22\% | 23\% | 38\% | 51\% |
| Not sure | 25\% | 28\% | 20\% | 23\% | 26\% | 27\% |


|  | Base | Ideology |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Very liberal | Somewhat liberal | Moderate | Somewhat conservative | Very conservative |
| Moore Favorability |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Favorable | 38\% | 17\% | 19\% | 25\% | 53\% | 55\% |
| Unfavorable | 41\% | 65\% | 65\% | 51\% | 25\% | 24\% |
| Not sure | 21\% | 18\% | 16\% | 24\% | 22\% | 21\% |


|  | Base | Ideology |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Very liberal | Somewhat liberal | Moderate | Somewhat conservative | Very conservative |
| Smith Favorability | 14\% | 25\% | 17\% | 13\% | 16\% | 5\% |
| Favorable |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Unfavorable | 22\% | 24\% | 25\% | 17\% | 23\% | 22\% |
| Not sure | 65\% | 51\% | 58\% | 70\% | 62\% | 72\% |


|  | Base | Ideology |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Very liberal | Somewhat liberal | Moderate | Somewhat conservative | Very conservative |
| Same-Sex Marriage Legal/Illegal | 19\% | 53\% | 39\% | 22\% | 6\% | 4\% |
| Legal |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Illegal | 71\% | 38\% | 52\% | 63\% | 85\% | 90\% |
| Not sure | 10\% | 8\% | 10\% | 15\% | 9\% | 6\% |

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|  | Base | Ideology |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Very liberal | Somewhat liberal | Moderate | Somewhat conservative | Very conservative |
| Gay Marriage/Civ. <br> Unions/No <br> Recognition |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Gay couples should be allowed to legally marry | 17\% | 51\% | 34\% | 21\% | 6\% | 2\% |
| Gay couples should be allowed to form civil unions but not marry | 26\% | 12\% | 31\% | 34\% | 28\% | 16\% |
| There should be no legal recognition of a gay couple's relationship | 54\% | 35\% | 34\% | 42\% | 60\% | 81\% |
| Not sure | 3\% | 2\% | 2\% | 3\% | 5\% | 0\% |


|  | Base | Ideology |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Very liberal | Somewhat liberal | Moderate | Somewhat conservative | Very conservative |
| Tea Party Favorability | 42\% | 11\% | 15\% | 22\% | 54\% | 81\% |
| Favorable |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Unfavorable | 38\% | 86\% | 75\% | 52\% | 18\% | 4\% |
| Not sure | 20\% | 3\% | 10\% | 26\% | 28\% | 14\% |


|  |  | Gender |  |
| ---: | :---: | :--- | :---: |
|  | Base | Woman | Man |
| Rockefeller Approval |  |  |  |
| Approve | $45 \%$ | $47 \%$ | $43 \%$ |
| Disapprove | $42 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $48 \%$ |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{1 2 \%}$ | $16 \%$ | $9 \%$ |


|  |  | Gender |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | Woman | Man |
| Blankenship <br> Favorability |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $13 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $15 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $44 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $53 \%$ |
| Not sure | $43 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $32 \%$ |

## Crosstabs

|  |  | Gender |  |  |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Base | Woman | Man |  |
| Fave MLB Team |  |  |  |  |
| Braves | $\mathbf{8 \%}$ | $8 \%$ | $7 \%$ |  |
| Orioles | $\mathbf{4 \%}$ | $3 \%$ | $5 \%$ |  |
| Reds | $\mathbf{2 7 \%}$ | $26 \%$ | $29 \%$ |  |
| Indians | $\mathbf{3 \%}$ | $2 \%$ | $3 \%$ |  |
| Yankees | $\mathbf{7 \%}$ | $6 \%$ | $8 \%$ |  |
| Phillies | $\mathbf{2 \%}$ | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ |  |
| Pirates | $\mathbf{2 7 \%}$ | $27 \%$ | $27 \%$ |  |
| Nationals | $\mathbf{2 \%}$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ |  |
| Someone else/Not a | $\mathbf{2 1 \%}$ | $24 \%$ | $17 \%$ |  |
| baseball fan |  |  |  |  |


|  | Base | Gender |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Woman | Man |
| Fave NFL Team |  |  |  |
| Ravens | 3\% | 3\% | 3\% |
| Bengals | 6\% | 4\% | 9\% |
| Browns | 7\% | 7\% | 8\% |
| Cowboys | 9\% | 10\% | 8\% |
| Colts | 5\% | 5\% | 6\% |
| Eagles | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% |
| Steelers | 43\% | 43\% | 43\% |
| Redskins | 7\% | 6\% | 7\% |
| Someone else/Not a football fan | 18\% | 20\% | 15\% |


|  |  | Gender |  |
| ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | Woman | Man |
| Wise Favorability |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $35 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $35 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $31 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $40 \%$ |
| Not sure | $34 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $25 \%$ |


|  |  | Gender |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | Wom an | Man |
| Caperton <br> Favorability |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $42 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $42 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $34 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $36 \%$ |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{2 5 \%}$ | $27 \%$ | $22 \%$ |

## Crosstabs

|  |  | Gender |  |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Base | Woman | Man |
| Moore Favorability |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $38 \%$ | $34 \%$ | $42 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $41 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $41 \%$ |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{2 1 \%}$ | $25 \%$ | $17 \%$ |


|  |  | Gender |  |
| ---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | Woman | Man |
| Smith Favorability |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $14 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $16 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $\mathbf{2 2 \%}$ | $17 \%$ | $27 \%$ |
| Not sure | $65 \%$ | $71 \%$ | $58 \%$ |


|  |  | Gender |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | Woman | Man |
| Same-Sex Marriage <br> Legal/Illegal |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| Legal | $19 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $17 \%$ |
| Illegal | $71 \%$ | $69 \%$ | $73 \%$ |
| Not sure | $10 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $10 \%$ |


|  |  | Gender |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | Woman | Man |
| Gay Marriage/Civ. <br> Unions/No <br> Recognition |  |  |  |
| Gay couples should <br> be allowed to legally <br> marry | $17 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $14 \%$ |
| Gay couples should <br> be allowed to form <br> civil unions but not <br> mary | $\mathbf{2 6 \%}$ | $25 \%$ | $28 \%$ |
| There should be no | $54 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $56 \%$ |
| legal recognition of a <br> gay couple's <br> relationship |  |  |  |

## Crosstabs

|  |  | Gender |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | Woman | Man |
| Tea Party <br> Favorability |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $42 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $45 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $38 \%$ | $34 \%$ | $43 \%$ |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{2 0 \%}$ | $26 \%$ | $12 \%$ |


|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
|  | Basty |  |  |  |  |
|  | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |  |  |
| Rockefeller Approval |  |  |  |  |  |
| Approve | $45 \%$ | $65 \%$ | $16 \%$ | $41 \%$ |  |
| Disapprove | $42 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $73 \%$ | $53 \%$ |  |
| Not sure | $12 \%$ | $14 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $5 \%$ |  |


|  |  | Party |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
|  | Base | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |  |
| Blankenship |  |  |  |  |  |
| Favorability |  |  |  |  |  |


|  | Base | Party |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| Fave MLB Team |  |  |  |  |
| Braves | 8\% | 9\% | 7\% | - |
| Orioles | 4\% | 4\% | 5\% | 4\% |
| Reds | 27\% | 29\% | 25\% | 25\% |
| Indians | 3\% | 3\% | 1\% | 10\% |
| Yankees | 7\% | 8\% | 6\% | 5\% |
| Phillies | 2\% | 1\% | 4\% | 1\% |
| Pirates | 27\% | 27\% | 25\% | 33\% |
| Nationals | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | - |
| Someone else/Not a baseball fan | 21\% | 17\% | 26\% | 21\% |

## Crosstabs

|  |  | Party |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
|  | Base | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |  |
| Fave NFL Team |  |  |  | $2 \%$ |  |
| Ravens | $\mathbf{3 \%}$ | $4 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $6 \%$ |  |
| Bengals | $\mathbf{6 \%}$ | $7 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $14 \%$ |  |
| Browns | $\mathbf{7 \%}$ | $7 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $4 \%$ |  |
| Cowboys | $\mathbf{9 \%}$ | $8 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $4 \%$ |  |
| Colts | $\mathbf{5 \%}$ | $5 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $2 \%$ |  |
| Eagles | $\mathbf{2 \%}$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $42 \%$ |  |
| Steelers | $\mathbf{4 3 \%}$ | $46 \%$ | $39 \%$ | $6 \%$ |  |
| Redskins | $\mathbf{7 \%}$ | $6 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $22 \%$ |  |
| Someone else/Not a | $\mathbf{1 8 \%}$ | $14 \%$ | $22 \%$ |  |  |
| football fan |  |  |  |  |  |


|  | Base | Party |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| Wise Favorability | 35\% | 46\% | 19\% | 32\% |
| Favorable |  |  |  |  |
| Unfavorable | 31\% | 24\% | 40\% | 41\% |
| Not sure | 34\% | 30\% | 41\% | 27\% |


|  |  | Party |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
|  | Base | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |  |
| Caperton |  |  |  |  |  |
| Favorability |  |  |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $42 \%$ | $57 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $32 \%$ |  |
| Unfavorable | $34 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $50 \%$ | $34 \%$ |  |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{2 5 \%}$ | $20 \%$ | $29 \%$ | $35 \%$ |  |



## Public Policy Polling

## Crosstabs

|  |  |  |  |  |  | Party |  |  |  |
| ---: | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Base | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |  |  |  |  |  |
| Smith Favorability |  |  | $5 \%$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $\mathbf{1 4 \%}$ | $18 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $24 \%$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Unfavorable | $\mathbf{2 2 \%}$ | $22 \%$ | $20 \%$ | $70 \%$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Not sure | $65 \%$ | $60 \%$ | $71 \%$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |


|  | Base | Party |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| Same-Sex Marriage Legal/Illegal |  |  |  |  |
| Legal | 19\% | 26\% | 8\% | 18\% |
| Illegal | 71\% | 61\% | 88\% | 66\% |
| Not sure | 10\% | 13\% | 4\% | 16\% |


|  | Base | Party |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| Gay Marriage/Civ. Unions/No Recognition |  |  |  |  |
| Gay couples should be allowed to legally marry | 17\% | 25\% | 6\% | 18\% |
| Gay couples should be allowed to form civil unions but not marry | 26\% | 28\% | 20\% | 42\% |
| There should be no legal recognition of a gay couple's relationship | 54\% | 46\% | 70\% | 39\% |
| Not sure | 3\% | 2\% | 4\% | 2\% |


|  |  | Party |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | Dem ocrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| Tea Party |  |  |  |  |
| Favorability |  |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $42 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $68 \%$ | $59 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $38 \%$ | $58 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $27 \%$ |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{2 0 \%}$ | $20 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $14 \%$ |

## Crosstabs

|  |  | Race |  |
| ---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | White | Other |
| Rockefeller Approval |  |  |  |
| Approve | $45 \%$ | $45 \%$ | $54 \%$ |
| Disapprove | $42 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $35 \%$ |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{1 2 \%}$ | $13 \%$ | $11 \%$ |


|  |  | Race |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
|  | Base | White |  |
| Other |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |


|  |  | Race |  |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Base | White | Other |
| Fave MLB Team |  |  |  |
| Braves | $8 \%$ | $8 \%$ | - |
| Orioles | $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $7 \%$ |
| Reds | $27 \%$ | $27 \%$ | $31 \%$ |
| Indians | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | - |
| Yankees | $7 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $5 \%$ |
| Phillies | $\mathbf{2 \%}$ | $2 \%$ | - |
| Pirates | $\mathbf{2 7 \%}$ | $27 \%$ | $24 \%$ |
| Nationals | $\mathbf{2 \%}$ | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| Someone else/Not a | $\mathbf{2 1 \%}$ | $20 \%$ | $31 \%$ |
| baseball fan |  |  |  |


|  |  | Race |  |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Base | White | Other |
| Fave NFL Team |  |  |  |
| Ravens | $3 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ |
| Bengals | $6 \%$ | $7 \%$ | - |
| Browns | $7 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $6 \%$ |
| Cowboys | $\mathbf{9 \%}$ | $9 \%$ | $12 \%$ |
| Colts | $5 \%$ | $6 \%$ | - |
| Eagles | $\mathbf{2 \%}$ | $2 \%$ | - |
| Steelers | $43 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $46 \%$ |
| Redskins | $\mathbf{7 \%}$ | $7 \%$ | $7 \%$ |
| Someone else/Not a | $\mathbf{1 8 \%}$ | $17 \%$ | $28 \%$ |
| football fan |  |  |  |

## Crosstabs

|  |  | Race |  |
| ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | White | Other |
| Wise Favorability |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $35 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $21 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $31 \%$ | $31 \%$ | $31 \%$ |
| Not sure | $34 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $49 \%$ |


|  |  | Race |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | White | Other |
| Caperton <br> Favorability |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $42 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $25 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $34 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $51 \%$ |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{2 5 \%}$ | $25 \%$ | $24 \%$ |


|  |  | Race |  |
| ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | White | Other |
| Moore Favorability |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $38 \%$ | $39 \%$ | $29 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $41 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $47 \%$ |
| Not sure | $21 \%$ | $21 \%$ | $24 \%$ |


|  |  | Race |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
|  | Base | White |  |
|  | Other |  |  |
| Smith Favorability |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $14 \%$ | $14 \%$ |  |
| Unfavorable | $22 \%$ | $21 \%$ |  |
| Not sure | $65 \%$ | $65 \%$ |  |

## Crosstabs

|  |  | Race |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | White | Other |
| Same-Sex Marriage <br> Legal/Illegal |  |  |  |
| Legal | $19 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $16 \%$ |
| Illegal | $71 \%$ | $72 \%$ | $64 \%$ |
| Not sure | $10 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $20 \%$ |


|  |  | Race |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | White | Other |
| Gay Marriage/Civ. <br> Unions/No <br> Recognition |  |  |  |
| Gay couples should <br> be allowed to legally <br> marry | $17 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $19 \%$ |
| Gay couples should <br> be allowed to form <br> civil unions but not <br> marry | $26 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $20 \%$ |
| There should be no | $54 \%$ | $54 \%$ | $58 \%$ |
| legal recognition of a <br> gay couple's <br> relationship |  |  |  |


|  |  | Race |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Base | White | Other |
| Tea Party <br> Favorability |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $42 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $29 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $38 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $50 \%$ |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{2 0 \%}$ | $20 \%$ | $21 \%$ |


|  |  | Age |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | :---: | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
|  | Base | $\mathbf{1 8}$ to | 30 to | 46 to | Older <br> than 65 |  |
| Rockefeller Approval |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Approve | $45 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $47 \%$ | $47 \%$ |  |
| Disapprove | $42 \%$ | $44 \%$ | $45 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $44 \%$ |  |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{1 2 \%}$ | $20 \%$ | $14 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $10 \%$ |  |

Crosstabs

|  | Base | Age |  |  |  |  |  | Age |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 18 \text { to } \\ 29 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|r\|} \hline 30 \text { to } \\ 45 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 46 \text { to } \\ 65 \end{array}$ | Olde than 65 |  | Base | $\begin{array}{\|r} 18 \text { to } \\ 29 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 30 \text { to } \\ 45 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|r} 46 \text { to } \\ 65 \end{array}$ | Older than 65 |
| Blankenship Favorability | $\begin{array}{\|l} 13 \% \\ 44 \% \\ 43 \% \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23 \% \\ & 27 \% \\ & 50 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \% \\ & 43 \% \\ & 42 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10 \% \\ & 51 \% \\ & 39 \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14 \% \\ & 39 \% \\ & 48 \% \end{aligned}$ | Fave MLB Team |  | 19\% | 6\% | 8\% | 5\% |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Orioles <br> Reds | 8\% |  |  |  |  |
| Favorable |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4\% | 4\% | 2\% | 5\% | 5\% |
| Unfavorable |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 38\% | 18\% | 27\% | 30\% |
| Not sure |  |  |  |  |  | Indians | $\begin{array}{r} 27 \% \\ 3 \% \end{array}$ | - | 2\% | 3\% | 3\% |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Yankees | 7\% | - | 8\% | 7\% | 7\% |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Phillies | 2\% | - | 3\% | 2\% | 3\% |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Pirates | 27\% | 27\% | 29\% | 27\% | 25\% |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Nationals | 2\% | - | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Someone else/Not a baseball fan | 21\% | 12\% | 31\% | 19\% | 20\% |


|  | Base | Age |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 18 \text { to } \\ 29 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|r} 30 \text { to } \\ 45 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|r} 46 \text { to } \\ 65 \end{array}$ | Older than 65 |
| Fave NFL Team | 3\% | 4\% | 3\% | 3\% | 3\% |
| Ravens |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bengals | 6\% | - | 6\% | 8\% | 7\% |
| Browns | 7\% | 12\% | 6\% | 8\% | 6\% |
| Cowboys | 9\% | 15\% | 12\% | 6\% | 10\% |
| Colts | 5\% | 4\% | 2\% | 6\% | 6\% |
| Eagles | 2\% | 8\% | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| Steelers | 43\% | 35\% | 40\% | 45\% | 44\% |
| Redskins | 7\% | 4\% | 6\% | 7\% | 7\% |
| Someone else/Not a football fan | 18\% | 19\% | 23\% | 16\% | 16\% |


|  |  | Age |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Base | $\mathbf{1 8}$ to <br> $\mathbf{2 9}$ | $\mathbf{3 0}$ to <br> $\mathbf{4 5}$ | $\mathbf{4 6}$ to <br> $\mathbf{6 5}$ | Older <br> than $\mathbf{6 5}$ |  |  |
| Wise Favorability |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $35 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $34 \%$ | $33 \%$ |  |  |
| Unfavorable | $\mathbf{3 1 \%}$ | $27 \%$ | $28 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $33 \%$ |  |  |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{3 4 \%}$ | $38 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $34 \%$ |  |  |

Crosstabs

|  | Base | Age |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 18 \text { to } \\ 29 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|r} 30 \text { to } \\ 45 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|r} 46 \text { to } \\ 65 \end{array}$ | Older than 65 |
| Caperton Favorability |  |  |  |  |  |
| Favorable | 42\% | 31\% | 40\% | 45\% | 41\% |
| Unfavorable | 34\% | 27\% | 37\% | 33\% | 34\% |
| Not sure | 25\% | 42\% | 23\% | 21\% | 25\% |


|  | Base | Age |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\left.\begin{array}{\|r\|} 18 \text { to } \\ 29 \end{array} \right\rvert\,$ | $\begin{array}{r} 30 \text { to } \\ 45 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 46 \text { to } \\ 65 \end{array}$ | Older than 65 |
| Moore Favorability | 38\% | 46\% | 28\% | 38\% | 42\% |
| Favorable |  |  |  |  |  |
| Unfavorable | 41\% | 27\% | 45\% | 42\% | 40\% |
| Not sure | 21\% | 27\% | 28\% | 19\% | 18\% |


|  |  | Age |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Base | $\mathbf{1 8}$ to <br> $\mathbf{2 9}$ | $\mathbf{3 0}$ to <br> $\mathbf{4 5}$ | $\mathbf{4 6}$ to <br> $\mathbf{6 5}$ | Older <br> than $\mathbf{6 5}$ |
| Smith Favorability |  |  |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $\mathbf{1 4 \%}$ | $15 \%$ | $5 \%$ | $14 \%$ | $18 \%$ |
| Unfavorable | $\mathbf{2 2 \%}$ | $19 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $25 \%$ |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{6 5 \%}$ | $65 \%$ | $83 \%$ | $62 \%$ | $57 \%$ |


|  | Base | Age |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 18 \text { to } \\ 29 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|r\|} \hline 30 \text { to } \\ 45 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 46 \text { to } \\ 65 \end{array}$ | Older than 65 |
| Same-Sex Marriage Legal/Illegal |  |  |  |  |  |
| Legal | 19\% | 31\% | 17\% | 20\% | 14\% |
| Illegal | 71\% | 65\% | 78\% | 67\% | 75\% |
| Not sure | 10\% | 4\% | 5\% | 13\% | 10\% |

Crosstabs

|  | Base | Age |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 18 \text { to } \\ 29 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|r\|} \hline 30 \text { to } \\ 45 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|r\|} \hline 46 \text { to } \\ 65 \end{array}$ | Older than 65 |
| Gay Marriage/Civ. Unions/No Recognition | 17\% | 31\% | 17\% | 18\% | 12\% |
| Gay couples should be allowed to legally marry |  |  |  |  |  |
| Gay couples should be allowed to form civil unions but not marry | 26\% | 19\% | 31\% | 24\% | 29\% |
| There should be no legal recognition of a gay couple's relationship | 54\% | 50\% | 49\% | 55\% | 57\% |
| Not sure | 3\% | - | 3\% | 3\% | 2\% |


|  |  | Age |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Base | $\mathbf{1 8}$ to | $\mathbf{3 0}$ to |  |  |  |  |
| $\mathbf{2 9}$ | $\mathbf{4 6}$ to | Older <br> $\mathbf{6 5}$ <br> than $\mathbf{6 5}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tea Party <br> Favorability |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Favorable | $\mathbf{4 2 \%}$ | $31 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $45 \%$ |  |  |
| Unfavorable | $\mathbf{3 8 \%}$ | $42 \%$ | $31 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $42 \%$ |  |  |
| Not sure | $\mathbf{2 0 \%}$ | $27 \%$ | $29 \%$ | $19 \%$ | $13 \%$ |  |  |

