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## **GOP favored in Florida**

**Raleigh, N.C.** – No matter how you slice it Republicans are favored to win the Senate race in Florida right now, but how big that early advantage is depends on how the general election candidate field shakes out.

The best scenario for Republicans winning the state is nominating Charlie Crist. He leads Kendrick Meek 46-33 in a potential contest because he wins 29% of the Democratic vote and holds a ten point advantage with independents.

The next best case, interestingly, is if Crist were to run as a Democrat against Marco Rubio. Rubio leads 43-34 in such a scenario, thanks in large part to the fact that many Democrats would be undecided in that case.

If Crist were to run as an independent Rubio leads with 34% to 27% for Crist and 25% for Meek. Such a bid would work more to the benefit of the Republicans because Crist gets 32% of the Democratic vote but only 18% of the Republican vote running as a third party candidate.

The match up that would produce the closest race currently looks like the most plausible scenario. Rubio leads Meek only 44-39 in a hypothetical contest, keeping it close despite the state's Republican identification advantage because of a 41-34 advantage with independents.

“Charlie Crist’s road to victory looks tough even if he does leave the Republican Party,” said Dean Debnam, President of Public Policy Polling. “Marco Rubio’s rise has given Democrats a much better chance to win this race than if Crist was still the GOP front runner.”

PPP surveyed 849 Florida voters from March 5<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup>. The survey’s margin of error is +/-3.4%. Other factors, such as refusal to be interviewed and weighting, may introduce additional error that is more difficult to quantify.

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## Florida Survey Results

**Q1** Do you approve or disapprove of Barack Obama's job performance? If you approve, press 1. If you disapprove, press 2. If you're not sure, press 3.

*Approve* ..... 46%  
*Disapprove*..... 50%  
*Not Sure*..... 3%

**Q2** Do you support or oppose President Obama's health care plan, or do you not have an opinion? If you support it, press 1. If you oppose it, press 2. If you don't have an opinion, press 3.

*Support*..... 42%  
*Oppose*..... 50%  
*No Opinion*..... 8%

**Q3** Do you approve or disapprove of Governor Charlie Crist's job performance? If you approve, press 1. If you disapprove, press 2. If you're not sure, press 3.

*Approve* ..... 35%  
*Disapprove*..... 51%  
*Not Sure*..... 15%

**Q4** Do you approve or disapprove of Senator Bill Nelson's job performance? If you approve, press 1. If you disapprove, press 2. If you're not sure, press 3.

*Approve* ..... 37%  
*Disapprove*..... 40%  
*Not Sure*..... 23%

**Q5** Do you approve or disapprove of Senator George LeMieux's job performance? If you approve, press 1. If you disapprove, press 2. If you're not sure, press 3.

*Approve* ..... 13%  
*Disapprove*..... 33%  
*Not Sure*..... 54%

**Q6** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Kendrick Meek? If favorable, press 1. If unfavorable, press 2. If you're not sure, press 3.

*Favorable*..... 17%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 20%  
*Not Sure*..... 63%

**Q7** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Marco Rubio? If favorable, press 1. If unfavorable, press 2. If you're not sure, press 3.

*Favorable*..... 31% *Not Sure*..... 37%  
*Unfavorable*..... 32%

**Q8** If the candidates for Senate this fall were Democrat Kendrick Meek and Republican Charlie Crist, who would you vote for? If Kendrick Meek, press 1. If Charlie Crist, press 2. If you're undecided, press 3.

*Meek*..... 33%  
*Crist* ..... 46%  
*Undecided*..... 22%

**Q9** If the candidates for Senate this fall were Democrat Kendrick Meek and Republican Marco Rubio, who would you vote for? If Kendrick Meek, press 1. If Marco Rubio, press 2. If you're undecided, press 3.

*Meek*..... 39% *Undecided*..... 18%  
*Rubio*..... 44%

**Q10** Do you think that Charlie Crist is too liberal, too conservative, about right, or are you not sure? If too liberal, press 1. If too conservative, press 2. If about right, press 3. If you're not sure, press 4.

*Too Liberal*..... 29% *About Right*..... 43%  
*Too Conservative*... 14% *Not Sure*..... 14%





**Q11** Do you think that Charlie Crist should remain a Republican, become an independent, become a Democrat, or are you not sure? If you think he should remain a Republican, press 1. If you think he should become an independent, press 2. If you think he should become a Democrat, press 3. If you're not sure, press 4.

<i>Republican</i> .....	35%
<i>Independent</i> .....	19%
<i>Democrat</i> .....	30%
<i>Not Sure</i> .....	16%

**Q12** If the candidates for Senate this fall were Democrat Kendrick Meek, Republican Marco Rubio, and Charlie Crist running as an independent, who would you vote for? If Kendrick Meek, press 1. If Marco Rubio, press 2. If Charlie Crist, press 3. If you're undecided, press 4.

<i>Meek</i> .....	25%
<i>Rubio</i> .....	34%
<i>Crist</i> .....	27%
<i>Undecided</i> .....	14%

**Q13** If the candidates for Senate this fall were Republican Marco Rubio and Charlie Crist running as a Democrat, who would you vote for? If Marco Rubio, press 1. If Charlie Crist, press 2. If you're undecided, press 3.

<i>Rubio</i> .....	43%
<i>Crist</i> .....	34%
<i>Undecided</i> .....	22%

**Q14** A year from now would you like to see Charlie Crist serving as Governor, as US Senator, or out of elected office? If Governor, press 1. If US Senator, press 2. If out of elected office, press 3. If you're not sure, press 4.

<i>Governor</i> .....	24%
<i>Senator</i> .....	15%
<i>Out of Elected Office</i> .....	47%
<i>Not Sure</i> .....	14%

**Q15** Do you approve or disapprove of the job Republicans in Congress are doing? If you approve, press 1. If you disapprove, press 2. If you're not sure, press 3.

<i>Approve</i> .....	35%
<i>Disapprove</i> .....	55%
<i>Not Sure</i> .....	11%

**Q16** Do you think that Congressional Republicans are too liberal, too conservative, or about right? If too liberal, press 1. If too conservative, press 2. If about right, press 3.

<i>Too Liberal</i> .....	28%
<i>Too Conservative</i> .....	42%
<i>About Right</i> .....	30%

**Q17** Who did you vote for President last year? If John McCain, press 1. If Barack Obama, press 2. If someone else or you don't remember, press 3.

<i>McCain</i> .....	49%
<i>Obama</i> .....	45%
<i>Someone Else/Don't Remember</i> .....	6%

**Q18** If you are a liberal, press 1. If a moderate, press 2. If a conservative, press 3.

<i>Liberal</i> .....	16%
<i>Moderate</i> .....	45%
<i>Conservative</i> .....	39%

**Q19** If you are a woman, press 1, if a man, press 2.

<i>Woman</i> .....	56%
<i>Man</i> .....	44%

**Q20** If you are a Democrat, press 1. If you are a Republican, press 2. If you are an independent or identify with another party, press 3.

<i>Democrat</i> .....	39%
<i>Republican</i> .....	42%
<i>Independent/Other</i> .....	19%





**Q21** If you are Hispanic, press 1. If white, press 2.  
If African American, press 3. If other, press 4.

*Hispanic*..... 13%  
*White* ..... 70%  
*African American* ..... 13%  
*Other*..... 4%

**Q22** If you are 18 to 29 years old, press 1 now. If  
you are 30 to 45, press 2. If you are 46 to 65,  
press 3. If older, press 4.

*18 to 29*..... 7%  
*30 to 45*..... 23%  
*46 to 65*..... 48%  
*Older than 65*..... 22%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Obama Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	46%	10%	88%	33%
<b>Disapprove</b>	50%	88%	8%	61%
<b>Not Sure</b>	3%	3%	4%	6%

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Obama Health Care Plan</b>				
<b>Support</b>	42%	9%	80%	21%
<b>Oppose</b>	50%	88%	8%	57%
<b>No Opinion</b>	8%	3%	12%	22%

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Crist Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	35%	28%	43%	21%
<b>Disapprove</b>	51%	55%	44%	64%
<b>Not Sure</b>	15%	17%	12%	15%

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Nelson Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	37%	22%	55%	33%
<b>Disapprove</b>	40%	55%	23%	31%
<b>Not Sure</b>	23%	23%	22%	36%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>LeMieux Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	13%	18%	7%	15%
<b>Disapprove</b>	33%	29%	37%	34%
<b>Not Sure</b>	54%	53%	56%	51%

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Meek Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	17%	5%	29%	12%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	20%	29%	11%	15%
<b>Not Sure</b>	63%	66%	59%	73%

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Rubio Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	31%	50%	10%	35%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	32%	19%	44%	43%
<b>Not Sure</b>	37%	31%	46%	21%

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Meek/Crist</b>				
<b>Meek</b>	33%	17%	52%	18%
<b>Crist</b>	46%	63%	26%	51%
<b>Undecided</b>	22%	20%	22%	31%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Meek/Rubio</b>				
<b>Meek</b>	39%	11%	69%	36%
<b>Rubio</b>	44%	76%	8%	46%
<b>Undecided</b>	18%	13%	23%	18%

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Crist Ideology</b>				
<b>Too Liberal</b>	29%	48%	7%	41%
<b>Too Conservative</b>	14%	5%	26%	-
<b>About Right</b>	43%	37%	48%	56%
<b>Not Sure</b>	14%	10%	19%	3%

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Crist Party</b>				
<b>Republican</b>	35%	41%	28%	34%
<b>Independent</b>	19%	16%	23%	12%
<b>Democrat</b>	30%	28%	34%	21%
<b>Not Sure</b>	16%	15%	15%	32%

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Meek/Rubio/Crist</b>				
<b>Meek</b>	25%	6%	48%	15%
<b>Rubio</b>	34%	58%	6%	43%
<b>Crist</b>	27%	22%	32%	33%
<b>Undecided</b>	14%	14%	15%	9%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Rubio/Crist</b>				
<b>Rubio</b>	43%	70%	15%	38%
<b>Crist</b>	34%	13%	57%	42%
<b>Undecided</b>	22%	18%	28%	19%

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Crist Future</b>				
<b>Governor</b>	24%	18%	30%	31%
<b>Senator</b>	15%	12%	17%	21%
<b>Out of Elected Office</b>	47%	58%	35%	41%
<b>Not Sure</b>	14%	12%	18%	6%

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Congressional GOP Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	35%	59%	7%	41%
<b>Disapprove</b>	55%	31%	82%	39%
<b>Not Sure</b>	11%	10%	11%	19%

	Base	2008 Vote		
		McCain	Obama	Someone Else/Don't Remember
<b>Congressional GOP Ideology</b>				
<b>Too Liberal</b>	28%	37%	16%	44%
<b>Too Conservative</b>	42%	16%	71%	24%
<b>About Right</b>	30%	46%	13%	31%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Obama Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	<b>46%</b>	86%	59%	16%
<b>Disapprove</b>	<b>50%</b>	11%	36%	82%
<b>Not Sure</b>	<b>3%</b>	2%	5%	2%

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Obama Health Care Plan</b>				
<b>Support</b>	<b>42%</b>	83%	53%	12%
<b>Oppose</b>	<b>50%</b>	11%	36%	81%
<b>No Opinion</b>	<b>8%</b>	6%	11%	6%

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Crist Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	<b>35%</b>	35%	45%	22%
<b>Disapprove</b>	<b>51%</b>	51%	42%	61%
<b>Not Sure</b>	<b>15%</b>	15%	13%	17%

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Nelson Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	<b>37%</b>	48%	51%	18%
<b>Disapprove</b>	<b>40%</b>	32%	26%	58%
<b>Not Sure</b>	<b>23%</b>	20%	23%	24%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>LeMieux Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	13%	8%	12%	16%
<b>Disapprove</b>	33%	38%	33%	31%
<b>Not Sure</b>	54%	54%	55%	53%

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Meek Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	17%	29%	21%	7%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	20%	10%	18%	27%
<b>Not Sure</b>	63%	61%	61%	66%

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Rubio Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	31%	16%	19%	52%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	32%	48%	39%	17%
<b>Not Sure</b>	37%	37%	42%	31%

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Meek/Crist</b>				
<b>Meek</b>	33%	58%	37%	18%
<b>Crist</b>	46%	20%	44%	57%
<b>Undecided</b>	22%	22%	18%	26%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Meek/Rubio</b>				
<b>Meek</b>	39%	75%	52%	9%
<b>Rubio</b>	44%	5%	30%	74%
<b>Undecided</b>	18%	20%	18%	17%

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Crist Ideology</b>				
<b>Too Liberal</b>	29%	5%	14%	56%
<b>Too Conservative</b>	14%	40%	14%	4%
<b>About Right</b>	43%	43%	55%	29%
<b>Not Sure</b>	14%	12%	17%	11%

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Crist Party</b>				
<b>Republican</b>	35%	32%	37%	34%
<b>Independent</b>	19%	27%	21%	13%
<b>Democrat</b>	30%	30%	24%	36%
<b>Not Sure</b>	16%	11%	18%	17%

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Meek/Rubio/Crist</b>				
<b>Meek</b>	25%	58%	32%	5%
<b>Rubio</b>	34%	7%	19%	62%
<b>Crist</b>	27%	30%	34%	18%
<b>Undecided</b>	14%	5%	16%	16%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Rubio/Crist</b>				
<b>Rubio</b>	<b>43%</b>	18%	30%	69%
<b>Crist</b>	<b>34%</b>	64%	44%	12%
<b>Undecided</b>	<b>22%</b>	18%	26%	19%

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Crist Future</b>				
<b>Governor</b>	<b>24%</b>	33%	28%	17%
<b>Senator</b>	<b>15%</b>	15%	20%	9%
<b>Out of Elected Office</b>	<b>47%</b>	42%	35%	62%
<b>Not Sure</b>	<b>14%</b>	10%	17%	12%

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Congressional GOP Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	<b>35%</b>	14%	24%	55%
<b>Disapprove</b>	<b>55%</b>	78%	64%	34%
<b>Not Sure</b>	<b>11%</b>	8%	11%	11%

	Base	Ideology		
		Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
<b>Congressional GOP Ideology</b>				
<b>Too Liberal</b>	<b>28%</b>	11%	15%	50%
<b>Too Conservative</b>	<b>42%</b>	80%	57%	9%
<b>About Right</b>	<b>30%</b>	9%	28%	41%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama Approval</b>			
Approve	46%	51%	41%
Disapprove	50%	46%	56%
Not Sure	3%	3%	3%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama Health Care Plan</b>			
Support	42%	44%	38%
Oppose	50%	44%	57%
No Opinion	8%	11%	4%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Crist Approval</b>			
Approve	35%	34%	36%
Disapprove	51%	50%	51%
Not Sure	15%	16%	13%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Nelson Approval</b>			
Approve	37%	38%	36%
Disapprove	40%	34%	47%
Not Sure	23%	28%	17%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>LeMieux Approval</b>			
<b>Approve</b>	13%	11%	15%
<b>Disapprove</b>	33%	31%	36%
<b>Not Sure</b>	54%	58%	49%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Meek Favorability</b>			
<b>Favorable</b>	17%	19%	13%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	20%	15%	28%
<b>Not Sure</b>	63%	66%	59%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Rubio Favorability</b>			
<b>Favorable</b>	31%	28%	36%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	32%	29%	36%
<b>Not Sure</b>	37%	44%	29%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Meek/Crist</b>			
<b>Meek</b>	33%	35%	30%
<b>Crist</b>	46%	41%	51%
<b>Undecided</b>	22%	24%	19%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Meek/Rubio</b>			
<b>Meek</b>	39%	45%	30%
<b>Rubio</b>	44%	37%	52%
<b>Undecided</b>	18%	18%	17%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Crist Ideology</b>			
<b>Too Liberal</b>	29%	25%	34%
<b>Too Conservative</b>	14%	16%	12%
<b>About Right</b>	43%	44%	42%
<b>Not Sure</b>	14%	14%	12%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Crist Party</b>			
<b>Republican</b>	35%	29%	42%
<b>Independent</b>	19%	21%	16%
<b>Democrat</b>	30%	32%	27%
<b>Not Sure</b>	16%	18%	14%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Meek/Rubio/Crist</b>			
<b>Meek</b>	25%	28%	22%
<b>Rubio</b>	34%	29%	41%
<b>Crist</b>	27%	28%	25%
<b>Undecided</b>	14%	15%	12%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Rubio/Crist</b>			
<b>Rubio</b>	<b>43%</b>	38%	50%
<b>Crist</b>	<b>34%</b>	36%	32%
<b>Undecided</b>	<b>22%</b>	26%	18%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Crist Future</b>			
<b>Governor</b>	<b>24%</b>	26%	22%
<b>Senator</b>	<b>15%</b>	13%	16%
<b>Out of Elected Office</b>	<b>47%</b>	46%	48%
<b>Not Sure</b>	<b>14%</b>	15%	13%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Congressional GOP Approval</b>			
<b>Approve</b>	<b>35%</b>	28%	43%
<b>Disapprove</b>	<b>55%</b>	58%	50%
<b>Not Sure</b>	<b>11%</b>	14%	7%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Congressional GOP Ideology</b>			
<b>Too Liberal</b>	<b>28%</b>	25%	32%
<b>Too Conservative</b>	<b>42%</b>	44%	39%
<b>About Right</b>	<b>30%</b>	31%	29%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Obama Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	46%	78%	13%	54%
<b>Disapprove</b>	50%	19%	84%	42%
<b>Not Sure</b>	3%	4%	2%	4%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Obama Health Care Plan</b>				
<b>Support</b>	42%	69%	11%	53%
<b>Oppose</b>	50%	21%	85%	34%
<b>No Opinion</b>	8%	10%	4%	12%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Crist Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	35%	45%	28%	29%
<b>Disapprove</b>	51%	41%	58%	53%
<b>Not Sure</b>	15%	14%	14%	18%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Nelson Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	37%	51%	21%	45%
<b>Disapprove</b>	40%	28%	56%	26%
<b>Not Sure</b>	23%	21%	23%	29%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>LeMieux Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	13%	9%	15%	16%
<b>Disapprove</b>	33%	35%	29%	36%
<b>Not Sure</b>	54%	56%	56%	47%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Meek Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	17%	29%	8%	9%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	20%	13%	28%	19%
<b>Not Sure</b>	63%	58%	64%	72%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Rubio Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	31%	13%	52%	25%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	32%	42%	21%	34%
<b>Not Sure</b>	37%	45%	28%	41%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Meek/Crist</b>				
<b>Meek</b>	33%	51%	17%	29%
<b>Crist</b>	46%	29%	65%	39%
<b>Undecided</b>	22%	20%	19%	32%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Meek/Rubio</b>				
<b>Meek</b>	39%	67%	11%	41%
<b>Rubio</b>	44%	13%	77%	34%
<b>Undecided</b>	18%	20%	12%	25%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Crist Ideology</b>				
<b>Too Liberal</b>	29%	12%	48%	24%
<b>Too Conservative</b>	14%	23%	6%	13%
<b>About Right</b>	43%	47%	36%	50%
<b>Not Sure</b>	14%	18%	9%	13%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Crist Party</b>				
<b>Republican</b>	35%	28%	42%	33%
<b>Independent</b>	19%	15%	16%	31%
<b>Democrat</b>	30%	40%	25%	18%
<b>Not Sure</b>	16%	16%	16%	18%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Meek/Rubio/Crist</b>				
<b>Meek</b>	25%	47%	7%	22%
<b>Rubio</b>	34%	9%	62%	24%
<b>Crist</b>	27%	32%	18%	35%
<b>Undecided</b>	14%	12%	13%	20%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Rubio/Crist</b>				
<b>Rubio</b>	43%	21%	72%	29%
<b>Crist</b>	34%	54%	13%	40%
<b>Undecided</b>	22%	26%	15%	31%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Crist Future</b>				
<b>Governor</b>	24%	30%	16%	30%
<b>Senator</b>	15%	17%	12%	15%
<b>Out of Elected Office</b>	47%	38%	59%	38%
<b>Not Sure</b>	14%	15%	12%	17%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Congressional GOP Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	35%	13%	61%	20%
<b>Disapprove</b>	55%	75%	28%	70%
<b>Not Sure</b>	11%	11%	11%	9%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Congressional GOP Ideology</b>				
<b>Too Liberal</b>	28%	19%	39%	23%
<b>Too Conservative</b>	42%	59%	18%	58%
<b>About Right</b>	30%	22%	43%	20%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Obama Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	46%	52%	38%	84%	54%
<b>Disapprove</b>	50%	48%	58%	13%	38%
<b>Not Sure</b>	3%	-	4%	3%	8%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Obama Health Care Plan</b>					
<b>Support</b>	42%	48%	33%	78%	63%
<b>Oppose</b>	50%	43%	60%	9%	33%
<b>No Opinion</b>	8%	9%	7%	13%	4%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Crist Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	35%	43%	32%	42%	33%
<b>Disapprove</b>	51%	57%	51%	48%	38%
<b>Not Sure</b>	15%	-	17%	10%	29%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Nelson Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	37%	35%	36%	50%	33%
<b>Disapprove</b>	40%	43%	43%	19%	42%
<b>Not Sure</b>	23%	22%	22%	31%	25%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>LeMieux Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	13%	9%	16%	3%	13%
<b>Disapprove</b>	33%	39%	32%	31%	29%
<b>Not Sure</b>	54%	52%	52%	66%	58%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Meek Favorability</b>					
<b>Favorable</b>	17%	9%	12%	47%	17%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	20%	26%	23%	3%	13%
<b>Not Sure</b>	63%	65%	65%	50%	71%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Rubio Favorability</b>					
<b>Favorable</b>	31%	30%	35%	16%	13%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	32%	35%	31%	31%	38%
<b>Not Sure</b>	37%	35%	34%	53%	50%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Meek/Crist</b>					
<b>Meek</b>	33%	22%	31%	53%	25%
<b>Crist</b>	46%	43%	49%	28%	54%
<b>Undecided</b>	22%	35%	20%	19%	21%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Meek/Rubio</b>					
<b>Meek</b>	39%	48%	33%	59%	46%
<b>Rubio</b>	44%	35%	51%	13%	38%
<b>Undecided</b>	18%	17%	16%	28%	17%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Crist Ideology</b>					
<b>Too Liberal</b>	29%	30%	33%	9%	25%
<b>Too Conservative</b>	14%	26%	14%	6%	13%
<b>About Right</b>	43%	35%	42%	56%	46%
<b>Not Sure</b>	14%	9%	12%	28%	17%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Crist Party</b>					
<b>Republican</b>	35%	48%	36%	16%	39%
<b>Independent</b>	19%	13%	21%	9%	30%
<b>Democrat</b>	30%	22%	26%	63%	17%
<b>Not Sure</b>	16%	17%	17%	13%	13%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Meek/Rubio/Crist</b>					
<b>Meek</b>	25%	22%	22%	45%	29%
<b>Rubio</b>	34%	35%	39%	13%	17%
<b>Crist</b>	27%	22%	27%	29%	33%
<b>Undecided</b>	14%	22%	12%	13%	21%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Rubio/Crist</b>					
<b>Rubio</b>	43%	45%	48%	16%	39%
<b>Crist</b>	34%	27%	34%	47%	30%
<b>Undecided</b>	22%	27%	18%	38%	30%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Crist Future</b>					
<b>Governor</b>	24%	17%	24%	34%	29%
<b>Senator</b>	15%	17%	13%	19%	17%
<b>Out of Elected Office</b>	47%	52%	49%	28%	42%
<b>Not Sure</b>	14%	13%	14%	19%	13%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Congressional GOP Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	35%	57%	37%	6%	17%
<b>Disapprove</b>	55%	30%	54%	75%	75%
<b>Not Sure</b>	11%	13%	9%	19%	8%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African American	Other
<b>Congressional GOP Ideology</b>					
<b>Too Liberal</b>	28%	22%	29%	31%	26%
<b>Too Conservative</b>	42%	43%	41%	38%	57%
<b>About Right</b>	30%	35%	30%	31%	17%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	46%	74%	46%	46%	39%
<b>Disapprove</b>	50%	24%	53%	49%	59%
<b>Not Sure</b>	3%	3%	1%	5%	2%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Obama Health Care Plan</b>					
<b>Support</b>	42%	57%	42%	46%	27%
<b>Oppose</b>	50%	26%	51%	49%	61%
<b>No Opinion</b>	8%	18%	7%	6%	12%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Crist Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	35%	37%	31%	37%	33%
<b>Disapprove</b>	51%	49%	54%	48%	53%
<b>Not Sure</b>	15%	13%	15%	15%	14%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Nelson Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	37%	16%	34%	39%	43%
<b>Disapprove</b>	40%	42%	41%	40%	35%
<b>Not Sure</b>	23%	42%	25%	20%	22%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>LeMieux Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	13%	10%	11%	13%	16%
<b>Disapprove</b>	33%	35%	36%	30%	34%
<b>Not Sure</b>	54%	55%	53%	56%	50%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Meek Favorability</b>					
<b>Favorable</b>	17%	24%	17%	18%	10%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	20%	27%	17%	20%	22%
<b>Not Sure</b>	63%	49%	66%	62%	68%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Rubio Favorability</b>					
<b>Favorable</b>	31%	21%	34%	30%	35%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	32%	32%	27%	36%	27%
<b>Not Sure</b>	37%	47%	38%	35%	38%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Meek/Crist</b>					
<b>Meek</b>	33%	38%	32%	33%	31%
<b>Crist</b>	46%	34%	44%	48%	47%
<b>Undecided</b>	22%	28%	24%	20%	23%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Meek/Rubio</b>					
<b>Meek</b>	39%	43%	41%	39%	34%
<b>Rubio</b>	44%	20%	46%	44%	48%
<b>Undecided</b>	18%	37%	13%	17%	18%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Crist Ideology</b>					
<b>Too Liberal</b>	29%	22%	37%	26%	31%
<b>Too Conservative</b>	14%	16%	15%	15%	10%
<b>About Right</b>	43%	46%	34%	46%	47%
<b>Not Sure</b>	14%	17%	15%	13%	13%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Crist Party</b>					
<b>Republican</b>	35%	27%	28%	41%	32%
<b>Independent</b>	19%	7%	23%	16%	24%
<b>Democrat</b>	30%	66%	31%	28%	21%
<b>Not Sure</b>	16%	-	18%	15%	23%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Meek/Rubio/Crist</b>					
<b>Meek</b>	25%	41%	20%	29%	19%
<b>Rubio</b>	34%	18%	37%	33%	39%
<b>Crist</b>	27%	27%	26%	27%	28%
<b>Undecided</b>	14%	14%	18%	12%	14%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Rubio/Crist</b>					
<b>Rubio</b>	43%	23%	48%	42%	48%
<b>Crist</b>	34%	32%	32%	38%	30%
<b>Undecided</b>	22%	45%	19%	21%	22%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Crist Future</b>					
<b>Governor</b>	24%	23%	29%	25%	19%
<b>Senator</b>	15%	13%	12%	15%	17%
<b>Out of Elected Office</b>	47%	47%	49%	43%	52%
<b>Not Sure</b>	14%	17%	9%	17%	12%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Congressional GOP Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	35%	18%	40%	33%	39%
<b>Disapprove</b>	55%	60%	50%	60%	46%
<b>Not Sure</b>	11%	22%	10%	8%	15%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Congressional GOP Ideology</b>					
<b>Too Liberal</b>	28%	19%	30%	31%	23%
<b>Too Conservative</b>	42%	47%	36%	45%	39%
<b>About Right</b>	30%	34%	34%	25%	38%

