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## **Ayotte and Binnie Lead Hodes in New Hampshire**

**Raleigh, N.C.** – New Hampshire voters are evenly split on Barack Obama’s job performance, 47-48, but they are less in favor of putting another seat on the president’s side of the aisle in the Senate.

Congressman Paul Hodes lags behind both Kelly Ayotte, 47-40, and Bill Binnie, 46-41, but leads Jim Bender, 43-40, and Ovide Lamontagne, 43-38.

Ayotte, at 34-24 favorable to unfavorable, is seen in the most positive light of all the candidates by far. Binnie is next at 25-23. Bender and Lamontagne are known by only 24 and 40% of voters, respectively, but those who have heard of them decidedly disapprove, 6-18 for Bender and 12-28 for Lamontagne.

The fact that even the unpopular Republican candidates trail Hodes by only a few points can be chalked up to the congressman’s 32-39 overall approval rating. That mark is 28-45 with independents, who are split between Hodes and Lamontagne at 38 but go for Ayotte, Binnie, and Bender by 15-, 10-, and two-point margins.

The news is no better in the district Hodes currently represents in the House. He has a 39-38 favorability rating among his constituents, but as statewide, he loses to Ayotte, 42-47, and Binnie, 44-45.

“It looks like, for the sake of his party, Judd Gregg picked a good time to retire,” said Dean Debnam, President of Public Policy Polling. “Hodes looked relatively strong when we last polled New Hampshire in February 2009, but the political climate has dragged him down along with President Obama.”

PPP surveyed 1,474 New Hampshire voters from April 17<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup>. The survey’s margin of error is +/-2.6%. Other factors, such as refusal to be interviewed and weighting, may introduce additional error that is more difficult to quantify.

Complete results are attached and can be found at [www.publicpolicypolling.com](http://www.publicpolicypolling.com).

If you would like an interview regarding this release, please contact Dean Debnam at (888) 621-6988 or 919-880-4888.

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## New Hampshire Survey Results

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

*Approve* ..... 47%  
*Disapprove*..... 48%  
*Not Sure*..... 5%

**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 Senator Judd Gregg's job performance?

*Approve* ..... 44% *Not Sure*..... 18%  
*Disapprove*..... 37%

**Q4** Do you approve or disapprove of Senator Jeanne Shaheen's job performance?

*Approve*..... 42% *Not Sure*..... 10%  
*Disapprove*..... 48%

**Q5** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Paul Hodes?

*Favorable*..... 32% *Not Sure*..... 28%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 39%

**Q6** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Kelly Ayotte?

*Favorable*..... 34%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 24%  
*Not Sure*..... 41%

**Q7** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Bill Binnie?

*Favorable*..... 25%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 23%  
*Not Sure*..... 52%

**Q8** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Jim Bender?

*Favorable* ..... 6% *Not Sure*..... 76%  
*Unfavorable*..... 18%

**Q9** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Ovide Lamontagne?

*Favorable*..... 12%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 28%  
*Not Sure*..... 59%

**Q10** If the candidates for US Senate this fall were Democrat Paul Hodes and Republican Kelly Ayotte, who would you vote for?

*Paul Hodes* ..... 40%  
*Kelly Ayotte*..... 47%  
*Undecided*..... 13%

**Q11** If the candidates for US Senate this fall were Democrat Paul Hodes and Republican Bill Binnie, who would you vote for?

*Paul Hodes* ..... 41%  
*Bill Binnie*..... 46%  
*Undecided*..... 13%

**Q12** If the candidates for US Senate this fall were Democrat Paul Hodes and Republican Jim Bender, who would you vote for?

*Paul Hodes* ..... 43%  
*Jim Bender*..... 40%  
*Undecided*..... 18%





**Q13** If the candidates for US Senate this fall were Democrat Paul Hodes and Republican Ovide Lamontagne, who would you vote for?

*Paul Hodes* ..... 43%  
*Ovide Lamontagne*..... 38%  
*Undecided*..... 19%

**Q14** 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.

*McCain*..... 46%  
*Obama*..... 50%  
*Someone else/Don't remember* ..... 4%

**Q15** Would you describe yourself as a liberal, moderate, or conservative? If liberal, press 1. If moderate, press 2. If conservative, press 3.

*Liberal*..... 18%  
*Moderate*..... 47%  
*Conservative*..... 35%

**Q16** If you are a woman, press 1, if a man, press 2.

*Woman* ..... 53%  
*Man*..... 47%

**Q17** 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.

*Democrat* ..... 33%  
*Republican*..... 30%  
*Independent/Other*..... 37%

**Q18** If you are white, press one now. If other, press 2.

*White* ..... 95%  
*Other*..... 5%

**Q19** 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*..... 10%  
*30 to 45*..... 20%  
*46 to 65*..... 50%  
*Older than 65*..... 20%

**Q20**

*1st*..... 44%  
*2nd*..... 56%





**Crosstabs**

|                       | Base | 2008 Vote |       |                             |
|-----------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|
|                       |      | McCain    | Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| <b>Obama Approval</b> |      |           |       |                             |
| <b>Approve</b>        | 48%  | 8%        | 86%   | 16%                         |
| <b>Disapprove</b>     | 48%  | 88%       | 10%   | 73%                         |
| <b>Not Sure</b>       | 5%   | 5%        | 4%    | 11%                         |

|                    | Base | 2008 Vote |       |                             |
|--------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|
|                    |      | McCain    | Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| <b>Health Care</b> |      |           |       |                             |
| <b>Support</b>     | 43%  | 6%        | 79%   | 15%                         |
| <b>Oppose</b>      | 49%  | 90%       | 10%   | 73%                         |
| <b>No Opinion</b>  | 8%   | 4%        | 11%   | 13%                         |

|                           | Base | 2008 Vote |       |                             |
|---------------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|
|                           |      | McCain    | Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| <b>Gregg Job Approval</b> |      |           |       |                             |
| <b>Approve</b>            | 44%  | 69%       | 21%   | 50%                         |
| <b>Disapprove</b>         | 37%  | 16%       | 57%   | 38%                         |
| <b>Not Sure</b>           | 18%  | 16%       | 21%   | 12%                         |

|                             | Base | 2008 Vote |       |                             |
|-----------------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|
|                             |      | McCain    | Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| <b>Shaheen Job Approval</b> |      |           |       |                             |
| <b>Approve</b>              | 42%  | 8%        | 76%   | 17%                         |
| <b>Disapprove</b>           | 48%  | 85%       | 12%   | 71%                         |
| <b>Not Sure</b>             | 10%  | 8%        | 12%   | 12%                         |





**Crosstabs**

|                           | Base | 2008 Vote |       |                             |
|---------------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|
|                           |      | McCain    | Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| <b>Hodes Favorability</b> |      |           |       |                             |
| <b>Favorable</b>          | 33%  | 8%        | 58%   | 8%                          |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>        | 39%  | 66%       | 13%   | 45%                         |
| <b>Not Sure</b>           | 28%  | 26%       | 29%   | 47%                         |

|                            | Base | 2008 Vote |       |                             |
|----------------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|
|                            |      | McCain    | Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| <b>Ayotte Favorability</b> |      |           |       |                             |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 34%  | 52%       | 19%   | 25%                         |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 24%  | 11%       | 37%   | 11%                         |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 41%  | 36%       | 44%   | 63%                         |

|                            | Base | 2008 Vote |       |                             |
|----------------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|
|                            |      | McCain    | Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| <b>Binnie Favorability</b> |      |           |       |                             |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 25%  | 42%       | 10%   | 27%                         |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 23%  | 12%       | 34%   | 9%                          |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 52%  | 47%       | 56%   | 64%                         |

|                            | Base | 2008 Vote |       |                             |
|----------------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|
|                            |      | McCain    | Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| <b>Bender Favorability</b> |      |           |       |                             |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 5%   | 8%        | 3%    | 8%                          |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 19%  | 13%       | 24%   | 8%                          |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 76%  | 79%       | 73%   | 84%                         |





**Crosstabs**

|                                | Base | 2008 Vote |       |                             |
|--------------------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|
|                                |      | McCain    | Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| <b>Lamontagne Favorability</b> |      |           |       |                             |
| <b>Favorable</b>               | 12%  | 20%       | 4%    | 16%                         |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>             | 28%  | 21%       | 36%   | 20%                         |
| <b>Not Sure</b>                | 60%  | 59%       | 60%   | 65%                         |

|                     | Base | 2008 Vote |       |                             |
|---------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|
|                     |      | McCain    | Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| <b>Hodes/Ayotte</b> |      |           |       |                             |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 40%  | 8%        | 72%   | 16%                         |
| <b>Kelly Ayotte</b> | 47%  | 82%       | 14%   | 59%                         |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 13%  | 11%       | 14%   | 25%                         |

|                     | Base | 2008 Vote |       |                             |
|---------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|
|                     |      | McCain    | Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| <b>Hodes/Binnie</b> |      |           |       |                             |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 42%  | 7%        | 76%   | 16%                         |
| <b>Bill Binnie</b>  | 45%  | 81%       | 12%   | 54%                         |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 13%  | 13%       | 12%   | 30%                         |

|                     | Base | 2008 Vote |       |                             |
|---------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|
|                     |      | McCain    | Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| <b>Hodes/Bender</b> |      |           |       |                             |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 43%  | 7%        | 78%   | 19%                         |
| <b>Jim Bender</b>   | 39%  | 73%       | 8%    | 45%                         |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 18%  | 20%       | 14%   | 36%                         |





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|                         | Base | 2008 Vote |       |                             |
|-------------------------|------|-----------|-------|-----------------------------|
|                         |      | McCain    | Obama | Someone else/Don't remember |
| <b>Hodes/Lamontagne</b> |      |           |       |                             |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>       | 44%  | 8%        | 79%   | 20%                         |
| <b>Ovide Lamontagne</b> | 37%  | 70%       | 6%    | 47%                         |
| <b>Undecided</b>        | 19%  | 22%       | 15%   | 33%                         |

|                       | Base | Ideology |          |              |
|-----------------------|------|----------|----------|--------------|
|                       |      | Liberal  | Moderate | Conservative |
| <b>Obama Approval</b> |      |          |          |              |
| <b>Approve</b>        | 47%  | 91%      | 56%      | 11%          |
| <b>Disapprove</b>     | 48%  | 5%       | 38%      | 85%          |
| <b>Not Sure</b>       | 5%   | 4%       | 6%       | 4%           |

|                    | Base | Ideology |          |              |
|--------------------|------|----------|----------|--------------|
|                    |      | Liberal  | Moderate | Conservative |
| <b>Health Care</b> |      |          |          |              |
| <b>Support</b>     | 42%  | 87%      | 51%      | 7%           |
| <b>Oppose</b>      | 50%  | 7%       | 40%      | 87%          |
| <b>No Opinion</b>  | 8%   | 5%       | 10%      | 6%           |

|                           | Base | Ideology |          |              |
|---------------------------|------|----------|----------|--------------|
|                           |      | Liberal  | Moderate | Conservative |
| <b>Gregg Job Approval</b> |      |          |          |              |
| <b>Approve</b>            | 44%  | 12%      | 43%      | 64%          |
| <b>Disapprove</b>         | 37%  | 67%      | 38%      | 21%          |
| <b>Not Sure</b>           | 18%  | 21%      | 19%      | 16%          |





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|                             | Base       | Ideology |          |              |
|-----------------------------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
|                             |            | Liberal  | Moderate | Conservative |
| <b>Shaheen Job Approval</b> |            |          |          |              |
| <b>Approve</b>              | <b>42%</b> | 83%      | 51%      | 8%           |
| <b>Disapprove</b>           | <b>48%</b> | 8%       | 37%      | 85%          |
| <b>Not Sure</b>             | <b>10%</b> | 9%       | 12%      | 7%           |

|                           | Base       | Ideology |          |              |
|---------------------------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
|                           |            | Liberal  | Moderate | Conservative |
| <b>Hodes Favorability</b> |            |          |          |              |
| <b>Favorable</b>          | <b>32%</b> | 60%      | 41%      | 5%           |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>        | <b>39%</b> | 10%      | 32%      | 65%          |
| <b>Not Sure</b>           | <b>28%</b> | 30%      | 26%      | 30%          |

|                            | Base       | Ideology |          |              |
|----------------------------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
|                            |            | Liberal  | Moderate | Conservative |
| <b>Ayotte Favorability</b> |            |          |          |              |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | <b>34%</b> | 17%      | 32%      | 47%          |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | <b>24%</b> | 43%      | 27%      | 11%          |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | <b>41%</b> | 40%      | 41%      | 42%          |

|                            | Base       | Ideology |          |              |
|----------------------------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
|                            |            | Liberal  | Moderate | Conservative |
| <b>Binnie Favorability</b> |            |          |          |              |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | <b>25%</b> | 3%       | 20%      | 44%          |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | <b>23%</b> | 35%      | 28%      | 9%           |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | <b>52%</b> | 62%      | 52%      | 46%          |







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|                            | Base | Ideology |          |              |
|----------------------------|------|----------|----------|--------------|
|                            |      | Liberal  | Moderate | Conservative |
| <b>Bender Favorability</b> |      |          |          |              |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 6%   | 2%       | 6%       | 8%           |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 18%  | 24%      | 20%      | 14%          |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 76%  | 74%      | 75%      | 79%          |

|                                | Base | Ideology |          |              |
|--------------------------------|------|----------|----------|--------------|
|                                |      | Liberal  | Moderate | Conservative |
| <b>Lamontagne Favorability</b> |      |          |          |              |
| <b>Favorable</b>               | 12%  | 4%       | 9%       | 20%          |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>             | 28%  | 32%      | 34%      | 19%          |
| <b>Not Sure</b>                | 59%  | 64%      | 56%      | 61%          |

|                     | Base | Ideology |          |              |
|---------------------|------|----------|----------|--------------|
|                     |      | Liberal  | Moderate | Conservative |
| <b>Hodes/Ayotte</b> |      |          |          |              |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 40%  | 81%      | 47%      | 7%           |
| <b>Kelly Ayotte</b> | 47%  | 8%       | 39%      | 80%          |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 13%  | 11%      | 13%      | 13%          |

|                     | Base | Ideology |          |              |
|---------------------|------|----------|----------|--------------|
|                     |      | Liberal  | Moderate | Conservative |
| <b>Hodes/Binnie</b> |      |          |          |              |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 41%  | 87%      | 50%      | 5%           |
| <b>Bill Binnie</b>  | 46%  | 6%       | 36%      | 80%          |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 13%  | 6%       | 14%      | 15%          |





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|                     | Base       | Ideology |          |              |
|---------------------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
|                     |            | Liberal  | Moderate | Conservative |
| <b>Hodes/Bender</b> |            |          |          |              |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | <b>43%</b> | 88%      | 51%      | 7%           |
| <b>Jim Bender</b>   | <b>40%</b> | 5%       | 29%      | 73%          |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | <b>18%</b> | 6%       | 21%      | 20%          |

|                         | Base       | Ideology |          |              |
|-------------------------|------------|----------|----------|--------------|
|                         |            | Liberal  | Moderate | Conservative |
| <b>Hodes/Lamontagne</b> |            |          |          |              |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>       | <b>43%</b> | 87%      | 52%      | 7%           |
| <b>Ovide Lamontagne</b> | <b>38%</b> | 6%       | 26%      | 71%          |
| <b>Undecided</b>        | <b>19%</b> | 7%       | 22%      | 21%          |

|                       | Base       | Gender |     |
|-----------------------|------------|--------|-----|
|                       |            | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Obama Approval</b> |            |        |     |
| <b>Approve</b>        | <b>47%</b> | 51%    | 42% |
| <b>Disapprove</b>     | <b>48%</b> | 42%    | 55% |
| <b>Not Sure</b>       | <b>5%</b>  | 6%     | 3%  |

|                    | Base       | Gender |     |
|--------------------|------------|--------|-----|
|                    |            | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Health Care</b> |            |        |     |
| <b>Support</b>     | <b>42%</b> | 46%    | 38% |
| <b>Oppose</b>      | <b>50%</b> | 45%    | 56% |
| <b>No Opinion</b>  | <b>8%</b>  | 9%     | 6%  |





**Crosstabs**

|                           | Base | Gender |     |
|---------------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                           |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Gregg Job Approval</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Approve</b>            | 44%  | 40%    | 50% |
| <b>Disapprove</b>         | 37%  | 38%    | 37% |
| <b>Not Sure</b>           | 18%  | 23%    | 13% |

|                             | Base | Gender |     |
|-----------------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                             |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Shaheen Job Approval</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Approve</b>              | 42%  | 45%    | 38% |
| <b>Disapprove</b>           | 48%  | 43%    | 55% |
| <b>Not Sure</b>             | 10%  | 12%    | 7%  |

|                           | Base | Gender |     |
|---------------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                           |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Hodes Favorability</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Favorable</b>          | 32%  | 33%    | 32% |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>        | 39%  | 33%    | 46% |
| <b>Not Sure</b>           | 28%  | 34%    | 22% |

|                            | Base | Gender |     |
|----------------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                            |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Ayotte Favorability</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 34%  | 33%    | 36% |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 24%  | 21%    | 27% |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 41%  | 45%    | 37% |





**Crosstabs**

|                            | Base | Gender |     |
|----------------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                            |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Binnie Favorability</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 25%  | 21%    | 31% |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 23%  | 22%    | 24% |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 52%  | 58%    | 45% |

|                            | Base | Gender |     |
|----------------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                            |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Bender Favorability</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 6%   | 4%     | 8%  |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 18%  | 15%    | 22% |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 76%  | 81%    | 70% |

|                                | Base | Gender |     |
|--------------------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                                |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Lamontagne Favorability</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Favorable</b>               | 12%  | 10%    | 15% |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>             | 28%  | 25%    | 32% |
| <b>Not Sure</b>                | 59%  | 65%    | 53% |

|                     | Base | Gender |     |
|---------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                     |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Hodes/Ayotte</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 40%  | 43%    | 36% |
| <b>Kelly Ayotte</b> | 47%  | 45%    | 51% |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 13%  | 13%    | 13% |





**Crosstabs**

|                     | Base | Gender |     |
|---------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                     |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Hodes/Binnie</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 41%  | 46%    | 36% |
| <b>Bill Binnie</b>  | 46%  | 42%    | 50% |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 13%  | 12%    | 14% |

|                     | Base | Gender |     |
|---------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                     |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Hodes/Bender</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 43%  | 46%    | 38% |
| <b>Jim Bender</b>   | 40%  | 35%    | 45% |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 18%  | 19%    | 17% |

|                         | Base | Gender |     |
|-------------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                         |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Hodes/Lamontagne</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>       | 43%  | 47%    | 39% |
| <b>Ovide Lamontagne</b> | 38%  | 33%    | 43% |
| <b>Undecided</b>        | 19%  | 20%    | 17% |

|                       | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|-----------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                       |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Obama Approval</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Approve</b>        | 47%  | 86%      | 10%        | 43%               |
| <b>Disapprove</b>     | 48%  | 10%      | 87%        | 51%               |
| <b>Not Sure</b>       | 5%   | 5%       | 3%         | 6%                |





**Crosstabs**

|                    | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|--------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                    |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Health Care</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Support</b>     | 42%  | 80%      | 7%         | 38%               |
| <b>Oppose</b>      | 50%  | 11%      | 90%        | 52%               |
| <b>No Opinion</b>  | 8%   | 9%       | 3%         | 10%               |

|                           | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|---------------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                           |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Gregg Job Approval</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Approve</b>            | 44%  | 18%      | 68%        | 49%               |
| <b>Disapprove</b>         | 37%  | 61%      | 16%        | 33%               |
| <b>Not Sure</b>           | 18%  | 21%      | 16%        | 18%               |

|                             | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|-----------------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                             |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Shaheen Job Approval</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Approve</b>              | 42%  | 81%      | 7%         | 35%               |
| <b>Disapprove</b>           | 48%  | 10%      | 86%        | 52%               |
| <b>Not Sure</b>             | 10%  | 9%       | 7%         | 13%               |

|                           | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|---------------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                           |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Hodes Favorability</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Favorable</b>          | 32%  | 61%      | 7%         | 28%               |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>        | 39%  | 13%      | 61%        | 45%               |
| <b>Not Sure</b>           | 28%  | 25%      | 33%        | 27%               |





**Crosstabs**

|                            | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|----------------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                            |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Ayotte Favorability</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 34%  | 20%      | 50%        | 35%               |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 24%  | 40%      | 9%         | 23%               |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 41%  | 41%      | 41%        | 42%               |

|                            | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|----------------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                            |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Binnie Favorability</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 25%  | 9%       | 39%        | 28%               |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 23%  | 37%      | 10%        | 20%               |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 52%  | 54%      | 51%        | 52%               |

|                            | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|----------------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                            |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Bender Favorability</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 6%   | 1%       | 8%         | 8%                |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 18%  | 28%      | 10%        | 17%               |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 76%  | 71%      | 82%        | 76%               |

|                                | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|--------------------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                                |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Lamontagne Favorability</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Favorable</b>               | 12%  | 5%       | 18%        | 14%               |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>             | 28%  | 35%      | 20%        | 30%               |
| <b>Not Sure</b>                | 59%  | 60%      | 62%        | 57%               |





**Crosstabs**

|                     | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|---------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                     |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Hodes/Ayotte</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 40%  | 76%      | 7%         | 34%               |
| <b>Kelly Ayotte</b> | 47%  | 15%      | 81%        | 49%               |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 13%  | 9%       | 12%        | 17%               |

|                     | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|---------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                     |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Hodes/Binnie</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 41%  | 80%      | 5%         | 36%               |
| <b>Bill Binnie</b>  | 46%  | 12%      | 82%        | 46%               |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 13%  | 8%       | 13%        | 18%               |

|                     | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|---------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                     |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Hodes/Bender</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 43%  | 83%      | 6%         | 37%               |
| <b>Jim Bender</b>   | 40%  | 7%       | 75%        | 39%               |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 18%  | 10%      | 19%        | 24%               |

|                         | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|-------------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                         |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Hodes/Lamontagne</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>       | 43%  | 83%      | 7%         | 38%               |
| <b>Ovide Lamontagne</b> | 38%  | 7%       | 71%        | 38%               |
| <b>Undecided</b>        | 19%  | 10%      | 22%        | 24%               |







**Crosstabs**

|                       | Base | Race  |       |
|-----------------------|------|-------|-------|
|                       |      | White | Other |
| <b>Obama Approval</b> |      |       |       |
| <b>Approve</b>        | 47%  | 46%   | 67%   |
| <b>Disapprove</b>     | 48%  | 49%   | 33%   |
| <b>Not Sure</b>       | 5%   | 5%    | -     |

|                    | Base | Race  |       |
|--------------------|------|-------|-------|
|                    |      | White | Other |
| <b>Health Care</b> |      |       |       |
| <b>Support</b>     | 42%  | 41%   | 62%   |
| <b>Oppose</b>      | 50%  | 51%   | 32%   |
| <b>No Opinion</b>  | 8%   | 8%    | 6%    |

|                           | Base | Race  |       |
|---------------------------|------|-------|-------|
|                           |      | White | Other |
| <b>Gregg Job Approval</b> |      |       |       |
| <b>Approve</b>            | 44%  | 45%   | 37%   |
| <b>Disapprove</b>         | 37%  | 36%   | 52%   |
| <b>Not Sure</b>           | 18%  | 19%   | 11%   |

|                             | Base | Race  |       |
|-----------------------------|------|-------|-------|
|                             |      | White | Other |
| <b>Shaheen Job Approval</b> |      |       |       |
| <b>Approve</b>              | 42%  | 41%   | 52%   |
| <b>Disapprove</b>           | 48%  | 49%   | 41%   |
| <b>Not Sure</b>             | 10%  | 10%   | 7%    |





**Crosstabs**

|                           | Base | Race  |       |
|---------------------------|------|-------|-------|
|                           |      | White | Other |
| <b>Hodes Favorability</b> |      |       |       |
| <b>Favorable</b>          | 32%  | 31%   | 54%   |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>        | 39%  | 40%   | 31%   |
| <b>Not Sure</b>           | 28%  | 29%   | 15%   |

|                            | Base | Race  |       |
|----------------------------|------|-------|-------|
|                            |      | White | Other |
| <b>Ayotte Favorability</b> |      |       |       |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 34%  | 35%   | 29%   |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 24%  | 24%   | 33%   |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 41%  | 42%   | 38%   |

|                            | Base | Race  |       |
|----------------------------|------|-------|-------|
|                            |      | White | Other |
| <b>Binnie Favorability</b> |      |       |       |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 25%  | 26%   | 15%   |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 23%  | 22%   | 37%   |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 52%  | 52%   | 48%   |

|                            | Base | Race  |       |
|----------------------------|------|-------|-------|
|                            |      | White | Other |
| <b>Bender Favorability</b> |      |       |       |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 6%   | 5%    | 10%   |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 18%  | 18%   | 30%   |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 76%  | 77%   | 59%   |





**Crosstabs**

|                                | Base | Race  |       |
|--------------------------------|------|-------|-------|
|                                |      | White | Other |
| <b>Lamontagne Favorability</b> |      |       |       |
| <b>Favorable</b>               | 12%  | 12%   | 10%   |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>             | 28%  | 28%   | 40%   |
| <b>Not Sure</b>                | 59%  | 60%   | 49%   |

|                     | Base | Race  |       |
|---------------------|------|-------|-------|
|                     |      | White | Other |
| <b>Hodes/Ayotte</b> |      |       |       |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 40%  | 39%   | 57%   |
| <b>Kelly Ayotte</b> | 47%  | 48%   | 31%   |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 13%  | 13%   | 12%   |

|                     | Base | Race  |       |
|---------------------|------|-------|-------|
|                     |      | White | Other |
| <b>Hodes/Binnie</b> |      |       |       |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 41%  | 40%   | 59%   |
| <b>Bill Binnie</b>  | 46%  | 46%   | 33%   |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 13%  | 13%   | 9%    |

|                     | Base | Race  |       |
|---------------------|------|-------|-------|
|                     |      | White | Other |
| <b>Hodes/Bender</b> |      |       |       |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 43%  | 42%   | 60%   |
| <b>Jim Bender</b>   | 40%  | 40%   | 32%   |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 18%  | 18%   | 8%    |





**Crosstabs**

|                         | Base | Race  |       |
|-------------------------|------|-------|-------|
|                         |      | White | Other |
| <b>Hodes/Lamontagne</b> |      |       |       |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>       | 43%  | 42%   | 62%   |
| <b>Ovide Lamontagne</b> | 38%  | 38%   | 27%   |
| <b>Undecided</b>        | 19%  | 19%   | 11%   |

|                       | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|-----------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                       |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Obama Approval</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| <b>Approve</b>        | 47%  | 58%      | 39%      | 50%      | 43%           |
| <b>Disapprove</b>     | 48%  | 32%      | 58%      | 46%      | 53%           |
| <b>Not Sure</b>       | 5%   | 10%      | 3%       | 5%       | 3%            |

|                    | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|--------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                    |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Health Care</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| <b>Support</b>     | 42%  | 55%      | 34%      | 45%      | 38%           |
| <b>Oppose</b>      | 50%  | 35%      | 58%      | 48%      | 55%           |
| <b>No Opinion</b>  | 8%   | 10%      | 8%       | 7%       | 7%            |

|                           | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|---------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                           |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Gregg Job Approval</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| <b>Approve</b>            | 44%  | 26%      | 45%      | 45%      | 52%           |
| <b>Disapprove</b>         | 37%  | 35%      | 32%      | 40%      | 36%           |
| <b>Not Sure</b>           | 18%  | 39%      | 23%      | 15%      | 12%           |





**Crosstabs**

|                             | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|-----------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                             |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Shaheen Job Approval</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| Approve                     | 42%  | 45%      | 38%      | 43%      | 40%           |
| Disapprove                  | 48%  | 39%      | 54%      | 47%      | 51%           |
| Not Sure                    | 10%  | 16%      | 8%       | 9%       | 9%            |

|                           | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|---------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                           |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Hodes Favorability</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| Favorable                 | 32%  | 29%      | 24%      | 36%      | 35%           |
| Unfavorable               | 39%  | 26%      | 38%      | 41%      | 44%           |
| Not Sure                  | 28%  | 45%      | 39%      | 24%      | 21%           |

|                            | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|----------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                            |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Ayotte Favorability</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| Favorable                  | 34%  | 32%      | 34%      | 32%      | 42%           |
| Unfavorable                | 24%  | 16%      | 20%      | 29%      | 21%           |
| Not Sure                   | 41%  | 52%      | 46%      | 39%      | 36%           |

|                            | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|----------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                            |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Binnie Favorability</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| Favorable                  | 25%  | 29%      | 23%      | 22%      | 34%           |
| Unfavorable                | 23%  | 23%      | 18%      | 24%      | 23%           |
| Not Sure                   | 52%  | 48%      | 59%      | 53%      | 43%           |





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|                            | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|----------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                            |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Bender Favorability</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| Favorable                  | 6%   | -        | 6%       | 6%       | 8%            |
| Unfavorable                | 18%  | 29%      | 13%      | 18%      | 19%           |
| Not Sure                   | 76%  | 71%      | 81%      | 76%      | 73%           |

|                                | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|--------------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                                |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Lamontagne Favorability</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| Favorable                      | 12%  | 6%       | 14%      | 12%      | 15%           |
| Unfavorable                    | 28%  | 29%      | 18%      | 33%      | 27%           |
| Not Sure                       | 59%  | 65%      | 68%      | 55%      | 58%           |

|                     | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|---------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                     |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Hodes/Ayotte</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| Paul Hodes          | 40%  | 45%      | 31%      | 43%      | 37%           |
| Kelly Ayotte        | 47%  | 39%      | 53%      | 45%      | 53%           |
| Undecided           | 13%  | 16%      | 17%      | 12%      | 10%           |

|                     | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|---------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                     |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Hodes/Binnie</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| Paul Hodes          | 41%  | 52%      | 35%      | 43%      | 38%           |
| Bill Binnie         | 46%  | 35%      | 50%      | 44%      | 51%           |
| Undecided           | 13%  | 13%      | 15%      | 13%      | 10%           |





**Crosstabs**

|                     | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|---------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                     |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Hodes/Bender</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| Paul Hodes          | 43%  | 55%      | 34%      | 45%      | 39%           |
| Jim Bender          | 40%  | 32%      | 47%      | 37%      | 41%           |
| Undecided           | 18%  | 13%      | 18%      | 18%      | 19%           |

|                         | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|-------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                         |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Hodes/Lamontagne</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| Paul Hodes              | 43%  | 55%      | 36%      | 45%      | 40%           |
| Ovide Lamontagne        | 38%  | 32%      | 46%      | 35%      | 40%           |
| Undecided               | 19%  | 13%      | 18%      | 20%      | 20%           |

|                       | Base | Congressional District |     |
|-----------------------|------|------------------------|-----|
|                       |      | 1st                    | 2nd |
| <b>Obama Approval</b> |      |                        |     |
| Approve               | 47%  | 45%                    | 48% |
| Disapprove            | 48%  | 49%                    | 48% |
| Not Sure              | 5%   | 6%                     | 4%  |

|                    | Base | Congressional District |     |
|--------------------|------|------------------------|-----|
|                    |      | 1st                    | 2nd |
| <b>Health Care</b> |      |                        |     |
| Support            | 42%  | 42%                    | 43% |
| Oppose             | 50%  | 52%                    | 49% |
| No Opinion         | 8%   | 6%                     | 9%  |





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|                           | Base | Congressional District |     |
|---------------------------|------|------------------------|-----|
|                           |      | 1st                    | 2nd |
| <b>Gregg Job Approval</b> |      |                        |     |
| Approve                   | 44%  | 49%                    | 41% |
| Disapprove                | 37%  | 35%                    | 39% |
| Not Sure                  | 18%  | 16%                    | 20% |

|                             | Base | Congressional District |     |
|-----------------------------|------|------------------------|-----|
|                             |      | 1st                    | 2nd |
| <b>Shaheen Job Approval</b> |      |                        |     |
| Approve                     | 42%  | 39%                    | 44% |
| Disapprove                  | 48%  | 51%                    | 46% |
| Not Sure                    | 10%  | 10%                    | 10% |

|                           | Base | Congressional District |     |
|---------------------------|------|------------------------|-----|
|                           |      | 1st                    | 2nd |
| <b>Hodes Favorability</b> |      |                        |     |
| Favorable                 | 32%  | 24%                    | 39% |
| Unfavorable               | 39%  | 40%                    | 38% |
| Not Sure                  | 28%  | 35%                    | 23% |

|                            | Base | Congressional District |     |
|----------------------------|------|------------------------|-----|
|                            |      | 1st                    | 2nd |
| <b>Ayotte Favorability</b> |      |                        |     |
| Favorable                  | 34%  | 37%                    | 32% |
| Unfavorable                | 24%  | 23%                    | 25% |
| Not Sure                   | 41%  | 40%                    | 42% |







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|                            | Base | Congressional District |     |
|----------------------------|------|------------------------|-----|
|                            |      | 1st                    | 2nd |
| <b>Binnie Favorability</b> |      |                        |     |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 25%  | 28%                    | 23% |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 23%  | 21%                    | 24% |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 52%  | 51%                    | 53% |

|                            | Base | Congressional District |     |
|----------------------------|------|------------------------|-----|
|                            |      | 1st                    | 2nd |
| <b>Bender Favorability</b> |      |                        |     |
| <b>Favorable</b>           | 6%   | 5%                     | 6%  |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>         | 18%  | 20%                    | 17% |
| <b>Not Sure</b>            | 76%  | 75%                    | 76% |

|                                | Base | Congressional District |     |
|--------------------------------|------|------------------------|-----|
|                                |      | 1st                    | 2nd |
| <b>Lamontagne Favorability</b> |      |                        |     |
| <b>Favorable</b>               | 12%  | 13%                    | 11% |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>             | 28%  | 30%                    | 27% |
| <b>Not Sure</b>                | 59%  | 57%                    | 61% |

|                     | Base | Congressional District |     |
|---------------------|------|------------------------|-----|
|                     |      | 1st                    | 2nd |
| <b>Hodes/Ayotte</b> |      |                        |     |
| <b>Paul Hodes</b>   | 40%  | 37%                    | 42% |
| <b>Kelly Ayotte</b> | 47%  | 49%                    | 47% |
| <b>Undecided</b>    | 13%  | 14%                    | 12% |





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|                     | Base | Congressional District |     |
|---------------------|------|------------------------|-----|
|                     |      | 1st                    | 2nd |
| <b>Hodes/Binnie</b> |      |                        |     |
| Paul Hodes          | 41%  | 38%                    | 44% |
| Bill Binnie         | 46%  | 47%                    | 45% |
| Undecided           | 13%  | 15%                    | 11% |

|                     | Base | Congressional District |     |
|---------------------|------|------------------------|-----|
|                     |      | 1st                    | 2nd |
| <b>Hodes/Bender</b> |      |                        |     |
| Paul Hodes          | 43%  | 40%                    | 44% |
| Jim Bender          | 40%  | 38%                    | 41% |
| Undecided           | 18%  | 22%                    | 15% |

|                         | Base | Congressional District |     |
|-------------------------|------|------------------------|-----|
|                         |      | 1st                    | 2nd |
| <b>Hodes/Lamontagne</b> |      |                        |     |
| Paul Hodes              | 43%  | 41%                    | 45% |
| Ovide Lamontagne        | 38%  | 38%                    | 38% |
| Undecided               | 19%  | 21%                    | 17% |

