Public **Policy** Polling

NRA, Congressional Republicans seeing big popularity drop

Raleigh, N.C. – PPP's newest national poll finds that the NRA's image has declined over the last three weeks following Wayne LaPierre's controversial press conference the week before Christmas.

The NRA now has a negative favorability rating, with 42% of voters seeing it positively while 45% have an unfavorable view. That represents a 10 point net decline in the NRA's favorability from the week before the press conference when a national poll we did found it at 48/41. Its image has taken a hit with both Democrats (from 29/59 to 22/67) and Republicans (71/19 to 66/18).

The NRA's focus on putting more guns in schools is likely what's driving the decline in the organization's image. Only 41% of voters support the organization's proposal to put armed police officers in schools across the country, with 50% opposed. Democrats (35/57) and independents (38/51) both oppose the push and even among Republicans only a narrow majority (52/39) supports it.

"The more the NRA talks the less popular it becomes," said Dean Debnam, President of Public Policy Polling. "Americans don't think the solution to tragedies like Newtown is to put more guns in schools."

Congress emerged from the fiscal cliff debate with a 7% approval rating, with 81% of voters disapproving of it. But the two parties aren't going in for equal blame. While the Democrats in Congress aren't popular (-12 at 38/50) their approval rating is a net 48 points better than their Republican counterparts (-60 at 15/75).The Republicans in Congress have only a 25/61 approval rating even with the GOP base, suggesting the potential for 2014 to bring a lot of primary challenges.

The considerably higher esteem the Democrats in Congress have compared to the Republicans is extending to our early generic ballot polling for 2014- 47% of voters say they'd support the Democratic candidate for the House from their district if there was an election today to 41% who say they would vote for the GOP nominee.

PPP surveyed 1,100 registered voters from January 3rd to 6th. The margin of error is +/- 3.0%. This poll was not paid for or authorized by any campaign or political organization. PPP surveys are conducted through automated telephone interviews.

National Survey Results

Q1 Do you approve or disapprove of President Barack Obama's job performance?

Approve 51%

Disapprove 46%

Not sure 4%

Q2 Do you support or oppose the fiscal cliff deal Congress passed this week?

Support 39%

Oppose 45%

Not sure 16%

Q3 Who do you think won the debate over the fiscal cliff: the Democrats or the Republicans, or do you think it was a tie?

Democrats 52%

Republicans 15%

Tie 26%

Not sure 8%

Q4 Do you approve or disapprove of the job Congressional Democrats are doing?

Approve 38%

Disapprove 50%

Not sure 12%

Q5 Do you approve or disapprove of the job Congressional Republicans are doing?

Approve 15%

Disapprove 75%

Not sure 10%

Q6 Do you approve or disapprove of the job the House of Representatives is doing?

Approve 15%

Disapprove 69%

Not sure 16%

Q7 If there was an election for the House today, would you vote for the Democratic or Republican candidate from your district?

Democrat 47%

Republican 41%

Not sure 13%

Q8 Do you approve or disapprove of the job the Senate is doing?

Approve 28%

Disapprove 56%

Not sure 16%

Q9 Do you approve or disapprove of the job Congress as a whole is doing?

Approve 7%

Disapprove 81%

Not sure 12%

Q10 Do you have a higher opinion of the House or the Senate?

House 27%

Senate 38%

Not sure 35%

Q11 Do you approve or disapprove of the job John Boehner is doing?

Approve 21%

Disapprove 60%

Not sure 19%

Q12 Do you approve or disapprove of the job Nancy Pelosi is doing?

Approve 34%

Disapprove 55%

Not sure 11%

Q13 Do you approve or disapprove of the job Harry Reid is doing?

    Approve 30%

    Disapprove.. 46%

    Not sure 24%

Q14 Do you approve or disapprove of the job Mitch McConnell is doing?

    Approve 24%

    Disapprove.. 46%

    Not sure 30%

Q15 Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the National Rifle Association?

    Favorable... 42%

    Unfavorable 45%

    Not sure 12%

Q16 Would you support or oppose putting armed police officers in every school in the country?

    Support 41%

    Oppose 50%

    Not sure 9%

Q17 Would you support or oppose providing teachers with guns?

    Support 27%

    Oppose 64%

    Not sure 9%

Q18 Would you support or oppose Congress passing stricter gun laws?

    Support 53%

    Oppose 40%

    Not sure 8%

Q19 Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Mitt Romney?

    Favorable... 40%

    Unfavorable 51%

    Not sure 10%

Q20 Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Chris Christie?

    Favorable... 51%

    Unfavorable 23%

    Not sure 26%

Q21 In the last presidential election, did you vote for Barack Obama or Mitt Romney?

    Barack Obama.. 50%

    Mitt Romney.. 42%

    Someone else/Don't remember 7%

Q22 Would you describe yourself as very liberal, somewhat liberal, moderate, somewhat conservative, or very conservative?

    Very liberal.. 13%

    Somewhat liberal 17%

    Moderate.. 29%

    Somewhat conservative................................. 24%

    Very conservative 16%

Q23 If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

    Woman 52%

    Man... 48%

Q24 If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If you are an independent or identify with another party, press 3.

    Democrat 43%

    Republican.. 34%

    Independent/Other.. 23%

Q25 If you are Hispanic, press 1. If white, press 2. If African-American, press 3. If other, press 4.

    Hispanic.. 10%

    White 72%

    African-American 10%

    Other.. 7%

Q26 If you are 18 to 29 years old, press 1. If 30 to 45, press 2. If 46 to 65, press 3. If you are older than 65, press 4.

18 to 29...15%

30 to 45...28%

46 to 65...37%

Older than 65...20%

Q27 Do you or anyone in your household own any guns, or not?

Yes..42%

No...58%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Obama Approval				
Approve	51%	90%	6%	35%
Disapprove	46%	5%	92%	56%
Not sure	4%	4%	2%	10%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Support/Oppose Fiscal Cliff Deal				
Support	39%	65%	12%	24%
Oppose	45%	16%	76%	60%
Not sure	16%	19%	12%	16%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Who Won Fiscal Cliff Debate?				
Democrats	52%	65%	38%	33%
Republicans	15%	7%	25%	9%
Tie	26%	23%	27%	43%
Not sure	8%	5%	10%	16%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Cong. Dems Approval				
Approve	38%	66%	6%	14%
Disapprove	50%	20%	86%	70%
Not sure	12%	15%	8%	16%

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Crosstabs

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Cong. GOP Approval				
Approve	15%	6%	26%	12%
Disapprove	75%	88%	59%	77%
Not sure	10%	6%	15%	12%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
House Approval				
Approve	15%	14%	17%	9%
Disapprove	69%	71%	64%	83%
Not sure	16%	14%	19%	8%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Generic House Ballot				
Democrat	47%	83%	7%	14%
Republican	41%	8%	83%	41%
Not sure	13%	10%	11%	45%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Senate Approval				
Approve	28%	48%	7%	6%
Disapprove	56%	35%	79%	79%
Not sure	16%	17%	15%	15%

Crosstabs

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Congress Approval				
Approve	7%	9%	5%	-
Disapprove	81%	79%	83%	89%
Not sure	12%	12%	12%	11%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Higher Opinion of House or Sen.?				
House	27%	14%	45%	17%
Senate	38%	59%	16%	16%
Not sure	35%	27%	39%	67%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Boehner Approval				
Approve	21%	10%	37%	11%
Disapprove	60%	76%	40%	61%
Not sure	19%	14%	22%	28%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Pelosi Approval				
Approve	34%	63%	3%	8%
Disapprove	55%	25%	88%	78%
Not sure	11%	12%	9%	15%

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		2012 Vote		
Reid Approval	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Approve	30%	50%	8%	16%
Disapprove	46%	23%	73%	49%
Not sure	24%	27%	19%	35%

		2012 Vote		
McConnell Approval	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Approve	24%	11%	42%	11%
Disapprove	46%	60%	28%	50%
Not sure	30%	29%	30%	39%

		2012 Vote		
NRA Favorability	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Favorable	42%	18%	72%	46%
Unfavorable	45%	72%	13%	37%
Not sure	12%	10%	15%	17%

		2012 Vote		
Support/Oppose Cops at Every School	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Support	41%	30%	55%	44%
Oppose	50%	63%	33%	50%
Not sure	9%	7%	12%	6%

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		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Support/Oppose Teachers Having Guns				
Support	27%	14%	42%	35%
Oppose	64%	82%	43%	55%
Not sure	9%	4%	15%	10%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Support/Oppose Stricter Gun Laws				
Support	53%	78%	24%	32%
Oppose	40%	18%	66%	52%
Not sure	8%	4%	11%	17%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Romney Favorability				
Favorable	40%	8%	81%	35%
Unfavorable	51%	84%	8%	51%
Not sure	10%	8%	10%	14%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Christie Favorability				
Favorable	51%	54%	48%	39%
Unfavorable	23%	19%	26%	30%
Not sure	26%	26%	26%	31%

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		Ideology				
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Obama Approval						
Approve	51%	85%	83%	63%	19%	14%
Disapprove	46%	14%	15%	31%	76%	86%
Not sure	4%	0%	2%	7%	5%	1%

		Ideology				
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Support/Oppose Fiscal Cliff Deal						
Support	39%	72%	58%	48%	16%	12%
Oppose	45%	20%	24%	33%	70%	71%
Not sure	16%	8%	19%	19%	14%	17%

		Ideology				
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Who Won Fiscal Cliff Debate?						
Democrats	52%	68%	65%	50%	42%	40%
Republicans	15%	8%	5%	11%	20%	28%
Tie	26%	19%	21%	32%	28%	22%
Not sure	8%	5%	9%	7%	9%	10%

		Ideology				
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Cong. Dems Approval						
Approve	38%	66%	65%	40%	17%	13%
Disapprove	50%	25%	21%	44%	71%	83%
Not sure	12%	9%	15%	16%	12%	5%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Cong. GOP Approval						
Approve	15%	10%	14%	8%	19%	27%
Disapprove	75%	85%	76%	87%	64%	58%
Not sure	10%	5%	9%	5%	17%	15%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
House Approval						
Approve	15%	19%	14%	10%	19%	19%
Disapprove	69%	72%	73%	76%	61%	61%
Not sure	16%	9%	13%	14%	20%	20%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Generic House Ballot						
Democrat	47%	84%	78%	56%	17%	8%
Republican	41%	13%	12%	27%	68%	80%
Not sure	13%	3%	9%	17%	15%	12%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Senate Approval						
Approve	28%	47%	50%	32%	9%	8%
Disapprove	56%	35%	31%	55%	73%	79%
Not sure	16%	18%	18%	13%	18%	14%

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Congress Approval						
Approve	7%	11%	11%	5%	5%	6%
Disapprove	81%	73%	77%	87%	82%	82%
Not sure	12%	16%	12%	8%	14%	13%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Higher Opinion of House or Sen.?						
House	27%	15%	14%	18%	40%	47%
Senate	38%	51%	60%	47%	22%	13%
Not sure	35%	34%	25%	35%	38%	40%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Boehner Approval						
Approve	21%	12%	10%	15%	34%	33%
Disapprove	60%	76%	75%	69%	40%	45%
Not sure	19%	12%	15%	16%	26%	22%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Pelosi Approval						
Approve	34%	66%	66%	38%	10%	7%
Disapprove	55%	30%	27%	48%	76%	84%
Not sure	11%	4%	8%	14%	13%	9%

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	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Reid Approval						
Approve	30%	56%	50%	35%	13%	7%
Disapprove	46%	29%	21%	39%	62%	73%
Not sure	24%	15%	29%	27%	26%	19%

		Ideology				
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
McConnell Approval						
Approve	24%	16%	14%	14%	33%	47%
Disapprove	46%	65%	60%	53%	31%	24%
Not sure	30%	20%	26%	32%	36%	30%

		Ideology				
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
NRA Favorability						
Favorable	42%	25%	17%	32%	61%	74%
Unfavorable	45%	67%	77%	59%	19%	7%
Not sure	12%	8%	6%	9%	20%	19%

		Ideology				
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Support/Oppose Cops at Every School						
Support	41%	33%	25%	36%	50%	62%
Oppose	50%	62%	66%	57%	41%	23%
Not sure	9%	4%	9%	7%	10%	15%

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		Ideology				
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Support/Oppose Teachers Having Guns						
Support	27%	27%	15%	19%	32%	49%
Oppose	64%	72%	82%	74%	49%	44%
Not sure	9%	2%	3%	7%	19%	7%

		Ideology				
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Support/Oppose Stricter Gun Laws						
Support	53%	61%	86%	63%	34%	18%
Oppose	40%	35%	9%	30%	53%	76%
Not sure	8%	5%	4%	7%	13%	6%

		Ideology				
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Romney Favorability						
Favorable	40%	14%	14%	25%	68%	73%
Unfavorable	51%	80%	80%	65%	20%	15%
Not sure	10%	7%	5%	10%	12%	11%

		Ideology				
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Christie Favorability						
Favorable	51%	45%	60%	57%	43%	45%
Unfavorable	23%	31%	18%	18%	25%	29%
Not sure	26%	24%	21%	25%	32%	27%

Crosstabs

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Obama Approval			
Approve	51%	53%	48%
Disapprove	46%	44%	47%
Not sure	4%	3%	4%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Support/Oppose Fiscal Cliff Deal			
Support	39%	39%	40%
Oppose	45%	42%	47%
Not sure	16%	19%	13%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Who Won Fiscal Cliff Debate?			
Democrats	52%	51%	52%
Republicans	15%	17%	13%
Tie	26%	24%	28%
Not sure	8%	8%	8%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Cong. Dems Approval			
Approve	38%	41%	35%
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		Woman	Man
House Approval			
Approve	15%	18%	12%
Disapprove	69%	61%	79%
Not sure	16%	21%	10%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Generic House Ballot			
Democrat	47%	52%	42%
Republican	41%	39%	42%
Not sure	13%	9%	16%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Senate Approval			
Approve	28%	29%	27%
Disapprove	56%	49%	64%
Not sure	16%	22%	9%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Congress Approval			
Approve	**7%**	10%	3%
Disapprove	**81%**	72%	91%
Not sure	**12%**	17%	6%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Higher Opinion of House or Sen.?			
House	**27%**	24%	30%
Senate	**38%**	36%	41%
Not sure	**35%**	40%	29%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Boehner Approval			
Approve	**21%**	22%	20%
Disapprove	**60%**	55%	66%
Not sure	**19%**	23%	14%

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Pelosi Approval			
Approve	**34%**	40%	28%
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		Gender	
	Base	Woman	Man
Reid Approval			
Approve	**30%**	30%	31%
Disapprove	**46%**	41%	51%
Not sure	**24%**	30%	19%

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Support/Oppose Cops at Every School			
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Crosstabs

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Support	53%	61%	45%
Oppose	40%	28%	51%
Not sure	8%	11%	5%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Romney Favorability			
Favorable	40%	38%	41%
Unfavorable	51%	53%	49%
Not sure	10%	9%	10%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Christie Favorability			
Favorable	51%	49%	52%
Unfavorable	23%	23%	22%
Not sure	26%	27%	26%

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Obama Approval				
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	Base	Party		
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Support/Oppose Fiscal Cliff Deal				
Support	39%	60%	15%	36%
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	Base	Party		
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Who Won Fiscal Cliff Debate?				
Democrats	52%	64%	37%	48%
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Senate Approval				
Approve	28%	45%	9%	21%
Disapprove	56%	38%	74%	67%
Not sure	16%	17%	17%	12%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Congress Approval				
Approve	7%	10%	5%	4%
Disapprove	81%	76%	82%	89%
Not sure	12%	14%	13%	7%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Higher Opinion of House or Sen.?				
House	27%	17%	37%	31%
Senate	38%	54%	21%	33%
Not sure	35%	29%	43%	36%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Boehner Approval				
Approve	21%	11%	36%	19%
Disapprove	60%	76%	43%	55%
Not sure	19%	12%	21%	26%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Pelosi Approval				
Approve	34%	61%	6%	23%
Disapprove	55%	29%	86%	61%
Not sure	11%	10%	8%	16%

Crosstabs

		Party		
	Base	Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Reid Approval				
Approve	30%	47%	12%	24%
Disapprove	46%	27%	67%	51%
Not sure	24%	26%	21%	25%

		Party		
	Base	Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
McConnell Approval				
Approve	24%	14%	38%	24%
Disapprove	46%	57%	30%	47%
Not sure	30%	30%	32%	29%

		Party		
	Base	Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
NRA Favorability				
Favorable	42%	22%	66%	50%
Unfavorable	45%	67%	18%	40%
Not sure	12%	11%	16%	10%

		Party		
	Base	Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Support/Oppose Cops at Every School				
Support	41%	35%	52%	38%
Oppose	50%	57%	39%	51%
Not sure	9%	7%	9%	11%

Support/Oppose Teachers Having Guns	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Support	27%	19%	35%	31%
Oppose	64%	77%	50%	59%
Not sure	9%	4%	15%	10%

Support/Oppose Stricter Gun Laws	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Support	53%	76%	25%	45%
Oppose	40%	20%	63%	47%
Not sure	8%	5%	12%	8%

Romney Favorability	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Favorable	40%	13%	80%	38%
Unfavorable	51%	79%	12%	48%
Not sure	10%	9%	7%	14%

Christie Favorability	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Favorable	51%	52%	48%	52%
Unfavorable	23%	23%	27%	18%
Not sure	26%	25%	26%	30%

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	Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Obama Approval				
Approve	51%	54%	44%	84%	65%
Disapprove	46%	43%	52%	14%	33%
Not sure	4%	4%	4%	2%	2%

	Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Support/Oppose Fiscal Cliff Deal				
Support	39%	40%	36%	51%	55%
Oppose	45%	42%	48%	27%	41%
Not sure	16%	19%	16%	22%	5%

	Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Who Won Fiscal Cliff Debate?				
Democrats	52%	51%	49%	55%	69%
Republicans	15%	15%	16%	11%	8%
Tie	26%	30%	26%	26%	16%
Not sure	8%	4%	9%	8%	7%

	Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Cong. Dems Approval				
Approve	38%	48%	32%	64%	46%
Disapprove	50%	39%	57%	19%	39%
Not sure	12%	12%	11%	17%	15%

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	Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Cong. GOP Approval					
Approve	15%	22%	14%	11%	18%
Disapprove	75%	70%	75%	81%	72%
Not sure	10%	8%	11%	8%	10%

	Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
House Approval					
Approve	15%	30%	12%	21%	23%
Disapprove	69%	53%	72%	61%	69%
Not sure	16%	16%	16%	18%	8%

	Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Generic House Ballot					
Democrat	47%	52%	41%	82%	51%
Republican	41%	36%	46%	11%	36%
Not sure	13%	12%	14%	7%	13%

	Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Senate Approval					
Approve	28%	30%	24%	44%	40%
Disapprove	56%	58%	60%	34%	47%
Not sure	16%	12%	16%	22%	12%

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		Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Congress Approval					
Approve	**7%**	11%	5%	14%	7%
Disapprove	**81%**	79%	83%	69%	81%
Not sure	**12%**	10%	11%	17%	12%

		Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Higher Opinion of House or Sen.?					
House	**27%**	30%	25%	30%	30%
Senate	**38%**	37%	38%	37%	42%
Not sure	**35%**	32%	36%	33%	28%

		Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Boehner Approval					
Approve	**21%**	21%	22%	16%	19%
Disapprove	**60%**	63%	58%	68%	66%
Not sure	**19%**	16%	20%	16%	15%

		Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Pelosi Approval					
Approve	**34%**	33%	30%	57%	47%
Disapprove	**55%**	65%	60%	22%	42%
Not sure	**11%**	2%	10%	21%	11%

Crosstabs

		Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Reid Approval					
Approve	**30%**	31%	29%	40%	32%
Disapprove	**46%**	46%	48%	31%	46%
Not sure	**24%**	24%	24%	29%	22%

		Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
McConnell Approval					
Approve	**24%**	32%	24%	10%	28%
Disapprove	**46%**	38%	46%	57%	45%
Not sure	**30%**	30%	30%	33%	27%

		Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
NRA Favorability					
Favorable	**42%**	43%	44%	28%	45%
Unfavorable	**45%**	34%	45%	57%	47%
Not sure	**12%**	23%	11%	15%	8%

		Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Support/Oppose Cops at Every School					
Support	**41%**	51%	39%	49%	38%
Oppose	**50%**	42%	51%	42%	57%
Not sure	**9%**	7%	10%	9%	4%

		Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Support/Oppose Teachers Having Guns					
Support	27%	34%	26%	23%	31%
Oppose	64%	56%	65%	70%	64%
Not sure	9%	11%	9%	7%	5%

		Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Support/Oppose Stricter Gun Laws					
Support	53%	48%	49%	71%	67%
Oppose	40%	47%	42%	22%	31%
Not sure	8%	6%	9%	7%	2%

		Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Romney Favorability					
Favorable	40%	35%	43%	16%	41%
Unfavorable	51%	57%	47%	75%	51%
Not sure	10%	9%	10%	9%	8%

		Race			
	Base	Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
Christie Favorability					
Favorable	51%	40%	52%	46%	56%
Unfavorable	23%	35%	21%	27%	24%
Not sure	26%	26%	27%	28%	19%

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	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Obama Approval					
Approve	**51%**	57%	48%	52%	46%
Disapprove	**46%**	35%	48%	46%	49%
Not sure	**4%**	8%	3%	1%	5%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Support/Oppose Fiscal Cliff Deal					
Support	**39%**	32%	42%	41%	39%
Oppose	**45%**	35%	47%	47%	45%
Not sure	**16%**	32%	11%	13%	16%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Who Won Fiscal Cliff Debate?					
Democrats	**52%**	60%	48%	52%	50%
Republicans	**15%**	16%	13%	16%	14%
Tie	**26%**	19%	30%	24%	29%
Not sure	**8%**	5%	10%	8%	7%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Cong. Dems Approval					
Approve	**38%**	51%	35%	38%	35%
Disapprove	**50%**	36%	55%	50%	53%
Not sure	**12%**	13%	11%	13%	12%

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		Age			
	Base	**18 to 29**	**30 to 45**	**46 to 65**	**Older than 65**
Cong. GOP Approval					
Approve	**15%**	27%	12%	14%	11%
Disapprove	**75%**	61%	81%	77%	73%
Not sure	**10%**	12%	6%	9%	16%

		Age			
	Base	**18 to 29**	**30 to 45**	**46 to 65**	**Older than 65**
House Approval					
Approve	**15%**	28%	13%	12%	16%
Disapprove	**69%**	56%	76%	73%	62%
Not sure	**16%**	16%	12%	15%	22%

		Age			
	Base	**18 to 29**	**30 to 45**	**46 to 65**	**Older than 65**
Generic House Ballot					
Democrat	**47%**	54%	44%	48%	43%
Republican	**41%**	38%	43%	39%	43%
Not sure	**13%**	8%	14%	13%	14%

		Age			
	Base	**18 to 29**	**30 to 45**	**46 to 65**	**Older than 65**
Senate Approval					
Approve	**28%**	32%	27%	28%	25%
Disapprove	**56%**	48%	61%	56%	56%
Not sure	**16%**	20%	12%	16%	19%

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	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Congress Approval					
Approve	**7%**	17%	5%	6%	5%
Disapprove	**81%**	63%	84%	84%	84%
Not sure	**12%**	21%	11%	10%	11%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Higher Opinion of House or Sen.?					
House	**27%**	28%	24%	27%	30%
Senate	**38%**	26%	42%	41%	37%
Not sure	**35%**	46%	34%	33%	33%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Boehner Approval					
Approve	**21%**	25%	12%	22%	29%
Disapprove	**60%**	52%	69%	62%	50%
Not sure	**19%**	23%	19%	16%	20%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Pelosi Approval					
Approve	**34%**	37%	30%	36%	36%
Disapprove	**55%**	46%	63%	51%	55%
Not sure	**11%**	17%	7%	13%	9%

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	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Reid Approval					
Approve	**30%**	31%	28%	31%	32%
Disapprove	**46%**	38%	47%	46%	47%
Not sure	**24%**	31%	25%	23%	22%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
McConnell Approval					
Approve	**24%**	29%	20%	21%	31%
Disapprove	**46%**	37%	54%	48%	36%
Not sure	**30%**	34%	26%	30%	33%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
NRA Favorability					
Favorable	**42%**	51%	43%	41%	36%
Unfavorable	**45%**	34%	45%	48%	49%
Not sure	**12%**	14%	12%	11%	15%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Support/Oppose Cops at Every School					
Support	41%	59%	43%	38%	35%
Oppose	50%	41%	49%	52%	52%
Not sure	9%	-	8%	10%	13%

		Age			
Support/Oppose Teachers Having Guns	**Base**	**18 to 29**	**30 to 45**	**46 to 65**	**Older than 65**
Support	27%	44%	32%	23%	17%
Oppose	64%	50%	58%	70%	71%
Not sure	9%	6%	10%	7%	12%

		Age			
Support/Oppose Stricter Gun Laws	**Base**	**18 to 29**	**30 to 45**	**46 to 65**	**Older than 65**
Support	53%	47%	44%	59%	56%
Oppose	40%	41%	51%	35%	32%
Not sure	8%	12%	5%	6%	12%

		Age			
Romney Favorability	**Base**	**18 to 29**	**30 to 45**	**46 to 65**	**Older than 65**
Favorable	40%	50%	34%	38%	44%
Unfavorable	51%	44%	57%	52%	44%
Not sure	10%	6%	9%	10%	12%

		Age			
Christie Favorability	**Base**	**18 to 29**	**30 to 45**	**46 to 65**	**Older than 65**
Favorable	51%	39%	53%	52%	52%
Unfavorable	23%	33%	21%	24%	18%
Not sure	26%	27%	26%	24%	30%

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	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
Obama Approval			
Approve	**51%**	44%	55%
Disapprove	**46%**	53%	40%
Not sure	**4%**	2%	5%

	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
Support/Oppose Fiscal Cliff Deal			
Support	**39%**	35%	43%
Oppose	**45%**	49%	42%
Not sure	**16%**	16%	15%

	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
Who Won Fiscal Cliff Debate?			
Democrats	**52%**	49%	54%
Republicans	**15%**	17%	13%
Tie	**26%**	28%	24%
Not sure	**8%**	6%	9%

	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
Cong. Dems Approval			
Approve	**38%**	34%	42%
Disapprove	**50%**	57%	43%
Not sure	**12%**	9%	15%

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	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
Cong. GOP Approval			
Approve	**15%**	18%	12%
Disapprove	**75%**	72%	78%
Not sure	**10%**	10%	10%

	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
House Approval			
Approve	**15%**	15%	15%
Disapprove	**69%**	68%	70%
Not sure	**16%**	17%	15%

	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
Generic House Ballot			
Democrat	**47%**	38%	54%
Republican	**41%**	50%	32%
Not sure	**13%**	12%	13%

	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
Senate Approval			
Approve	**28%**	21%	34%
Disapprove	**56%**	62%	51%
Not sure	**16%**	17%	15%

		Gun in Household?	
	Base	Yes	No
Congress Approval			
Approve	7%	6%	8%
Disapprove	81%	80%	82%
Not sure	12%	14%	10%

		Gun in Household?	
	Base	Yes	No
Higher Opinion of House or Sen.?			
House	27%	31%	23%
Senate	38%	32%	44%
Not sure	35%	37%	33%

		Gun in Household?	
	Base	Yes	No
Boehner Approval			
Approve	21%	23%	19%
Disapprove	60%	58%	63%
Not sure	19%	19%	18%

		Gun in Household?	
	Base	Yes	No
Pelosi Approval			
Approve	34%	25%	43%
Disapprove	55%	65%	46%
Not sure	11%	10%	12%

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	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
Reid Approval			
Approve	**30%**	28%	33%
Disapprove	**46%**	50%	42%
Not sure	**24%**	23%	25%

	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
McConnell Approval			
Approve	**24%**	24%	23%
Disapprove	**46%**	47%	45%
Not sure	**30%**	29%	32%

	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
NRA Favorability			
Favorable	**42%**	58%	28%
Unfavorable	**45%**	31%	59%
Not sure	**12%**	11%	14%

	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
Support/Oppose Cops at Every School			
Support	**41%**	50%	32%
Oppose	**50%**	40%	59%
Not sure	**9%**	9%	8%

	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
Support/Oppose Teachers Having Guns			
Support	27%	37%	17%
Oppose	64%	52%	76%
Not sure	9%	11%	7%

	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
Support/Oppose Stricter Gun Laws			
Support	53%	39%	66%
Oppose	40%	54%	26%
Not sure	8%	8%	8%

	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
Romney Favorability			
Favorable	40%	46%	33%
Unfavorable	51%	42%	59%
Not sure	10%	12%	8%

	Base	Gun in Household?	
		Yes	No
Christie Favorability			
Favorable	51%	49%	52%
Unfavorable	23%	24%	22%
Not sure	26%	27%	26%