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### **South Carolina Special Election Looks Like a Toss Up**

**Raleigh, N.C.** – PPP's first look at the special election in South Carolina's 1st Congressional District finds a toss up race. Democrat Elizabeth Colbert Busch leads Republican Mark Sanford 47-45 and ties Curtis Bostic at 43.

This is a Republican leaning district and Barack Obama's approval rating in it is only 41% with 57% of voters disapproving of him. But Democrats are far more unified than the Republicans are. Busch is winning 87-89% of the Democratic vote while Sanford (76%) and Bostic (72%) are both earning less than 80% of the GOP vote. Busch is also up by 16-18 points with independent voters.

Sanford remains a strong favorite for the Republican nomination heading into next week's runoff. He leads Bostic 53/40. The horse race numbers closely mirror his favorability with GOP voters- 55% see him positively to 40% with a negative opinion.

Focusing in on the potential race between Busch and Sanford it's surprisingly close for one simple reason- voters like Busch and they continue to strongly dislike Sanford. 45% of voters see Busch favorably to only 31% with a negative opinion. On the other hand Sanford is still stuck with a 34% favorability rating and 58% of voters seeing him in a negative light.

Stephen Colbert's favorability rating of 36% in the district is higher than Sanford's 34%, and only 27% of voters have an unfavorable opinion of him. But the really effective surrogate in the district would be Jenny Sanford, who has a 55/18 favorability rating and is seen positively by majorities of Republicans (57/15), independents (54/16), and Democrats (53/24) alike.

“The South Carolina special looks like a toss up,” said Dean Debnam, President of Public Policy Polling. “The big question is how much Republicans will unify around their nominee after the runoff next week.”

PPP surveyed 1,175 likely voters, including an oversample of 648 likely Republican runoff voters, from March 22<sup>nd</sup> to 24th. The margin of error for the overall survey is +/- 2.9%, and +/-3.9% for the GOP portion. This poll was not paid for or authorized by any campaign or political organization. PPP surveys are conducted through automated telephone interviews.



## South Carolina 1st Congressional District Survey Results

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

*Approve* ..... 41%  
*Disapprove*..... 57%  
*Not sure* ..... 2%

**Q2** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Elizabeth Colbert Busch?

*Favorable*..... 45%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 31%  
*Not sure* ..... 24%

**Q3** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Curtis Bostic?

*Favorable*..... 30%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 42%  
*Not sure* ..... 28%

**Q4** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Mark Sanford?

*Favorable*..... 34%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 58%  
*Not sure* ..... 8%

**Q5** If the candidates in the special election for Congress were Democrat Elizabeth Colbert Busch and Republican Curtis Bostic, who would you vote for?

*Elizabeth Colbert Busch*..... 43%  
*Curtis Bostic*..... 43%  
*Not sure* ..... 14%

**Q6** If the candidates in the special election for Congress were Democrat Elizabeth Colbert Busch and Republican Mark Sanford, who would you vote for?

*Elizabeth Colbert Busch*..... 47%  
*Mark Sanford* ..... 45%  
*Not sure* ..... 8%

**Q7** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Stephen Colbert?

*Favorable*..... 36%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 27%  
*Not sure* ..... 36%

**Q8** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Jenny Sanford?

*Favorable*..... 55%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 18%  
*Not sure* ..... 27%

**Q9** Do you approve or disapprove of Governor Nikki Haley's job performance?

*Approve* ..... 41% *Not sure* ..... 15%  
*Disapprove*..... 45%

**Q10** Do you approve or disapprove of Senator Lindsey Graham's job performance?

*Approve* ..... 40% *Not sure* ..... 16%  
*Disapprove*..... 44%

**Q11** Do you approve or disapprove of Senator Tim Scott's job performance?

*Approve* ..... 53% *Not sure* ..... 21%  
*Disapprove*..... 26%

**Q12** In the last presidential election, did you vote for Barack Obama or Mitt Romney?

*Barack Obama*..... 40%  
*Mitt Romney*..... 56%  
*Someone else/Don't remember* ..... 4%





**Q13** Would you describe yourself as very liberal, somewhat liberal, moderate, somewhat conservative, or very conservative?

<i>Very liberal</i> .....	11%
<i>Somewhat liberal</i> .....	13%
<i>Moderate</i> .....	26%
<i>Somewhat conservative</i> .....	28%
<i>Very conservative</i> .....	22%

**Q14** If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

<i>Woman</i> .....	54%
<i>Man</i> .....	46%

**Q15** If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If you are an independent or identify with another party, press 3.

<i>Democrat</i> .....	30%
<i>Republican</i> .....	45%
<i>Independent/Other</i> .....	25%

**Q16** If you are white, press 1. If African-American, press 2. If other, press 3.

<i>White</i> .....	78%
<i>African-American</i> .....	12%
<i>Other</i> .....	10%

**Q17** If you are 18 to 29 years old, press 1. If you are 30 to 45, press 2. If 46 to 65, press 3. If you are older than 65, press 4.

<i>18 to 29</i> .....	12%
<i>30 to 45</i> .....	21%
<i>46 to 65</i> .....	40%
<i>Older than 65</i> .....	27%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	2012 Vote		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
<b>Obama Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	41%	94%	3%	39%
<b>Disapprove</b>	57%	4%	95%	49%
<b>Not sure</b>	2%	1%	2%	12%

	Base	2012 Vote		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
<b>Colbert Busch Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	45%	87%	14%	47%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	31%	5%	50%	28%
<b>Not sure</b>	24%	8%	36%	25%

	Base	2012 Vote		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
<b>Bostic Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	30%	14%	41%	43%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	42%	57%	32%	30%
<b>Not sure</b>	28%	30%	27%	27%

	Base	2012 Vote		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
<b>M. Sanford Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	34%	9%	53%	36%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	58%	87%	39%	39%
<b>Not sure</b>	8%	4%	9%	24%





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<b>Colbert Busch/Bostic</b>				
Elizabeth Colbert Busch	43%	93%	8%	47%
Curtis Bostic	43%	5%	72%	21%
Not sure	14%	3%	20%	31%

	Base	2012 Vote		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
<b>Colbert Busch/M. Sanford</b>				
Elizabeth Colbert Busch	47%	94%	14%	47%
Mark Sanford	45%	4%	75%	34%
Not sure	8%	2%	11%	19%

	Base	2012 Vote		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
<b>Colbert Favorability</b>				
Favorable	36%	62%	18%	29%
Unfavorable	27%	12%	40%	11%
Not sure	36%	25%	42%	61%

	Base	2012 Vote		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
<b>J. Sanford Favorability</b>				
Favorable	55%	55%	57%	31%
Unfavorable	18%	23%	14%	18%
Not sure	27%	21%	29%	51%





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		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
<b>Haley Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	41%	6%	67%	22%
<b>Disapprove</b>	45%	82%	17%	50%
<b>Not sure</b>	15%	12%	16%	28%

	Base	2012 Vote		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
<b>Graham Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	40%	15%	60%	18%
<b>Disapprove</b>	44%	71%	25%	39%
<b>Not sure</b>	16%	15%	15%	42%

	Base	2012 Vote		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
<b>Scott Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	53%	13%	81%	43%
<b>Disapprove</b>	26%	57%	4%	26%
<b>Not sure</b>	21%	30%	14%	31%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Obama Approval</b>						
<b>Approve</b>	41%	89%	80%	59%	13%	5%
<b>Disapprove</b>	57%	11%	20%	38%	84%	93%
<b>Not sure</b>	2%	-	-	3%	3%	2%





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<b>Unfavorable</b>	31%	9%	12%	17%	40%	63%
<b>Not sure</b>	24%	9%	9%	23%	35%	29%

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<b>Bostic Favorability</b>						
<b>Favorable</b>	30%	17%	16%	23%	33%	51%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	42%	59%	58%	43%	34%	31%
<b>Not sure</b>	28%	24%	25%	34%	33%	18%

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<b>M. Sanford Favorability</b>						
<b>Favorable</b>	34%	13%	15%	25%	54%	44%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	58%	83%	80%	67%	38%	45%
<b>Not sure</b>	8%	4%	5%	8%	8%	11%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Colbert Busch/Bostic</b>						
<b>Elizabeth Colbert Busch</b>	43%	88%	80%	62%	16%	9%
<b>Curtis Bostic</b>	43%	7%	16%	25%	61%	78%
<b>Not sure</b>	14%	5%	4%	13%	23%	13%





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Mark Sanford	45%	4%	18%	28%	68%	74%
Not sure	8%	7%	1%	4%	11%	13%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Colbert Favorability</b>						
Favorable	36%	66%	65%	46%	21%	11%
Unfavorable	27%	15%	12%	13%	33%	53%
Not sure	36%	19%	23%	41%	45%	36%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>J. Sanford Favorability</b>						
Favorable	55%	40%	65%	56%	56%	55%
Unfavorable	18%	40%	17%	14%	15%	17%
Not sure	27%	19%	18%	30%	29%	28%

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<b>Haley Approval</b>						
Approve	41%	10%	15%	23%	59%	69%
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Not sure	15%	8%	8%	22%	16%	12%







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<b>Not sure</b>	16%	13%	15%	19%	15%	17%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Scott Approval</b>						
<b>Approve</b>	53%	16%	18%	40%	73%	80%
<b>Disapprove</b>	26%	63%	51%	33%	9%	6%
<b>Not sure</b>	21%	20%	31%	27%	17%	14%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Obama Approval</b>			
<b>Approve</b>	41%	42%	39%
<b>Disapprove</b>	57%	56%	59%
<b>Not sure</b>	2%	2%	2%

	Base	Gender	
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<b>Colbert Busch Favorability</b>			
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Favorable	34%	32%	37%
Unfavorable	58%	59%	56%
Not sure	8%	9%	6%

	Base	Gender	
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<b>Colbert Busch/Bostic</b>			
Elizabeth Colbert Busch	43%	44%	42%
Curtis Bostic	43%	42%	44%
Not sure	14%	13%	14%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Colbert Busch/M. Sanford</b>			
Elizabeth Colbert Busch	47%	49%	45%
Mark Sanford	45%	43%	47%
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<b>Not sure</b>	<b>36%</b>	41%	31%

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<b>Not sure</b>	2%	2%	1%	4%

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<b>Colbert Favorability</b>					
Favorable	36%	48%	41%	36%	30%
Unfavorable	27%	26%	30%	26%	28%
Not sure	36%	26%	30%	38%	42%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>J. Sanford Favorability</b>					
Favorable	55%	41%	59%	58%	53%
Unfavorable	18%	36%	14%	16%	17%
Not sure	27%	23%	27%	26%	30%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Haley Approval</b>					
Approve	41%	31%	32%	41%	50%
Disapprove	45%	56%	54%	42%	37%
Not sure	15%	13%	14%	16%	14%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Graham Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	<b>40%</b>	40%	28%	40%	49%
<b>Disapprove</b>	<b>44%</b>	48%	56%	43%	34%
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>16%</b>	13%	15%	17%	17%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Scott Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	<b>53%</b>	45%	45%	54%	59%
<b>Disapprove</b>	<b>26%</b>	35%	36%	25%	16%
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>21%</b>	20%	18%	21%	25%





## South Carolina 1st Congressional District Survey Results

**Q1** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Curtis Bostic?

*Favorable*..... 43%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 34%  
*Not sure* ..... 23%

**Q2** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Mark Sanford?

*Favorable*..... 55%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 40%  
*Not sure* ..... 6%

**Q3** The candidates in the Republican runoff for Congress are Curtis Bostic and Mark Sanford. If the election was today, who would you vote for?

*Curtis Bostic*..... 40%  
*Mark Sanford* ..... 53%  
*Not sure* ..... 7%

**Q4** Would you describe yourself as very liberal, somewhat liberal, moderate, somewhat conservative, or very conservative?

*Very liberal*..... 1%  
*Somewhat liberal* ..... 4%  
*Moderate*..... 17%  
*Somewhat conservative*..... 42%  
*Very conservative* ..... 36%

**Q5** If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

*Woman* ..... 52%  
*Man*..... 48%

**Q6** 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* ..... 3%  
*Republican*..... 77%  
*Independent/Other*..... 20%

**Q7** If you are 18 to 45 years old, press 1. If 46 to 65, press 2. If you are older than 65, press 3.

*18 to 45*..... 18%  
*46 to 65*..... 42%  
*Older than 65*..... 40%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Bostic Favorability</b>						
Favorable	43%	40%	38%	37%	39%	50%
Unfavorable	34%	29%	50%	36%	32%	34%
Not sure	23%	30%	12%	27%	29%	16%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>M. Sanford Favorability</b>						
Favorable	55%	29%	47%	44%	60%	55%
Unfavorable	40%	71%	44%	50%	34%	40%
Not sure	6%	-	9%	5%	6%	5%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
<b>Bostic/M. Sanford</b>						
Curtis Bostic	40%	40%	35%	43%	37%	42%
Mark Sanford	53%	29%	59%	49%	57%	51%
Not sure	7%	30%	6%	8%	6%	7%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Bostic Favorability</b>			
Favorable	43%	43%	42%
Unfavorable	34%	32%	37%
Not sure	23%	25%	21%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>M. Sanford Favorability</b>			
<b>Favorable</b>	55%	52%	57%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	40%	41%	38%
<b>Not sure</b>	6%	7%	4%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Bostic/M. Sanford</b>			
<b>Curtis Bostic</b>	40%	41%	38%
<b>Mark Sanford</b>	53%	51%	56%
<b>Not sure</b>	7%	8%	6%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Bostic Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	43%	47%	43%	42%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	34%	21%	35%	31%
<b>Not sure</b>	23%	32%	22%	27%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>M. Sanford Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	55%	28%	58%	46%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	40%	57%	37%	47%
<b>Not sure</b>	6%	14%	5%	7%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Bostic/M. Sanford</b>				
Curtis Bostic	40%	54%	38%	43%
Mark Sanford	53%	36%	55%	50%
Not sure	7%	11%	7%	7%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Bostic Favorability</b>				
Favorable	43%	37%	51%	36%
Unfavorable	34%	39%	31%	36%
Not sure	23%	25%	18%	28%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>M. Sanford Favorability</b>				
Favorable	55%	46%	52%	61%
Unfavorable	40%	47%	44%	32%
Not sure	6%	7%	4%	7%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Bostic/M. Sanford</b>				
Curtis Bostic	40%	44%	45%	32%
Mark Sanford	53%	51%	49%	59%
Not sure	7%	5%	6%	9%

