

The Maryland Poll
April 10-13, 2014
Weighted Responses

[Q1]

Maryland Minimum Wage Bill		
support	64.5%	615
oppose	26.8%	256
no opinion	8.6%	82
Total Respondents		954

[Q2]

Has the Affordable Care Act Helped or Hurt You & Your Family?		
helped	21.3%	203
no effect	51.4%	490
hurt	26.1%	249
unsure	1.2%	12
Total Respondents		954

[Q3]

Decriminalize Small Amounts of Marijuana?		
in favor	50.1%	477
not in favor	34.8%	332
unsure	15.2%	144
Total Respondents		954

[Q4]

Which is More Important: Gun Rights or Gun Control?		
protect right to own guns	33.2%	317
control gun ownership	43.6%	416
equally important	21.5%	205
uncertain or no opinion	1.6%	16
Total Respondents		954

[Q5]

Should Maryland Focus More on Education or Jobs and the Economy?		
focus on education	8.9%	85
jobs and the economy	31.0%	296
both equally important	59.6%	568
uncertain or have no opinion	0.4%	4
Total Respondents		954

[Q6]

Minority Groups Need Affirmative Action to Achieve Greater Success in the Job Market		
strongly agree	23.6%	225
agree	22.6%	216
disagree	22.1%	210
strongly disagree	19.8%	189
no opinion	11.8%	113
Total Respondents		954

[Q7]

Maryland Registered Voter Party Affiliation		
Democrat	52.7%	502
Republican	28.3%	269
3rd Party	2.5%	24
no party	16.0%	152
not registered	0.6%	6
Total Respondents		954

[Q8]

Three do not intend to register, 1 does as a Republican, 2 do but do not plan to affiliate with any Party

[Q9]

If the Election Were Today, Who Would You Vote for Maryland Governor in the Democratic Primary?		
Anthony Brown	27.1%	136
Douglas Gansler	10.8%	54
Heather Mizeur	7.7%	39
undecided	54.3%	273
Total Respondents		502

[Q10]

If the Election Were Today, Who Would You Vote for Maryland Governor in the Republican Primary?		
David Craig	7.8%	21
Ronald George	3.8%	10
Larry Hogan	16.0%	43
Charles Lollar	3.8%	10
undecided	68.6%	185
Total Respondents		270

[Q14]

Should Dominion Resources LNG Export Terminal at Cove Point Be Approved?		
should be approved	38.9%	371
should not be approved	29.8%	284
uncertain or have no opinion	31.3%	298
Total Respondents		954

[Q11]

Which Republican Has the Best Chance Winning the 2016 Presidential Election?		
Jeb Bush	34.4%	328
Mike Huckabee	14.5%	138
Chris Christie	32.2%	307
Rand Paul	18.9%	180
Total Respondents		954

[Q15]

Is the Health of the Chesapeake Bay & General Environment in Maryland ...		
improving	27.2%	259
getting worse	19.6%	187
staying about the same	47.0%	448
unsure	6.3%	60
Total Respondents		954

[Q12]

Which Democrat Has the Best Chance of Winning the 2016 Presidential Election?		
Elizabeth Warren	6.3%	60
Martin O'Malley	5.8%	56
Joe Biden	10.3%	98
Hillary Clinton	66.6%	635
Andrew Cuomo	10.9%	104
Total Respondents		954

[Q16]

Do You Favor or Oppose the Current Fracking Moratorium in MD?		
favor moratorium	35.3%	337
oppose moratorium	30.7%	292
no opinion	34.0%	325
Total Respondents		954

[Q13]

Is Your Congressional Representative Doing a Good Job?		
Yes	33.4%	318
No	33.5%	320
Uncertain	33.1%	316
Total Respondents		954

[Q17]

Has the World's Temperature During the Past Century Been ...		
increasing	45.8%	436
decreasing	6.5%	62
staying about the same	32.8%	313
unsure	14.9%	142
Total Respondents		954

[Q18]

What Region of Maryland Do You Live In?		
Eastern Shore	8.1%	77
Southern Maryland	9.0%	86
Baltimore suburbs	35.1%	335
Baltimore City	7.0%	67
Washington Capitol	30.3%	289
Western Maryland	10.4%	100
Total Respondents		954

[Q22]

What Race or Ethnicity Do You Primarily Identify Yourself As?		
white	66.2%	619
black	20.0%	187
Hispanic	4.7%	44
Asian	1.5%	14
American Indian	1.4%	13
some other group	6.1%	57
Total Respondents		935

[Q19]

What Do You Consider Yourself As?		
Republican	24.7%	235
Democrat	44.4%	423
Independent	21.2%	202
Green Party	1.0%	10
Libertarian	2.9%	28
something else	5.8%	55
Total Respondents		952

[Q23]

Is Maryland on the Right Track or Going in the Wrong Direction?		
right track	41.0%	382
wrong direction	46.0%	428
uncertain	12.9%	120
Total Respondents		930

[Q20]

What Is Your Gender?		
Male	45.7%	433
Female	54.3%	514
Total Respondents		947

[Q21]

What Is Your Age Group		
18-24	4.9%	47
25-34	7.0%	66
35-44	7.9%	75
45-54	18.8%	177
55-64	27.0%	255
65+	34.4%	324
Total Respondents		944