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I'm going to read the names of several people in public life and I'd like you to tell me whether you have a favorable opinion or an unfavorable opinion of each of the people I name.

Q1. David Paterson

	Party				Senate Vote			Gender		Region		Age			Ethnic		Religion		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	Trunzo	Foley	Don't know	M	F	Brookhaven	Islip	18-34	35-54	55+	White	Non-White	Cath	Prot	Other
Favorable	49%	68%	49%	36%	41%	54%	48%	51%	48%	46%	52%	35%	52%	57%	48%	57%	48%	52%	51%
Unfavorable	19%	17%	24%	15%	25%	15%	22%	23%	15%	23%	16%	32%	15%	15%	19%	17%	20%	12%	22%
Don't know/No opinion	32%	16%	27%	49%	34%	31%	30%	26%	37%	31%	33%	33%	34%	27%	33%	26%	33%	36%	26%

Q2. Caesar Trunzo

	Party				Senate Vote			Gender		Region		Age			Ethnic		Religion		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	Trunzo	Foley	Don't know	M	F	Brookhaven	Islip	18-34	35-54	55+	White	Non-White	Cath	Prot	Other
Favorable	43%	39%	52%	38%	85%	18%	36%	49%	37%	49%	37%	22%	48%	52%	43%	39%	47%	44%	31%
Unfavorable	37%	41%	32%	35%	6%	58%	26%	39%	35%	31%	42%	39%	34%	39%	39%	24%	35%	39%	38%
Don't know/No opinion	20%	20%	16%	27%	9%	25%	38%	12%	28%	20%	21%	40%	17%	9%	17%	38%	17%	17%	31%

Q3. Brian Foley

	Party				Senate Vote			Gender		Region		Age			Ethnic		Religion		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	Trunzo	Foley	Don't know	M	F	Brookhaven	Islip	18-34	35-54	55+	White	Non-White	Cath	Prot	Other
Favorable	52%	59%	41%	60%	17%	77%	28%	54%	51%	54%	51%	49%	52%	54%	54%	42%	50%	56%	55%
Unfavorable	29%	23%	40%	19%	65%	5%	36%	34%	24%	30%	27%	26%	29%	30%	28%	32%	31%	29%	23%
Don't know/No opinion	19%	18%	19%	22%	18%	17%	36%	12%	25%	16%	22%	25%	18%	16%	18%	26%	19%	15%	23%

Q4. Barack Obama

	Party				Senate Vote			Gender		Region		Age			Ethnic		Religion		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	Trunzo	Foley	Don't know	M	F	Brookhaven	Islip	18-34	35-54	55+	White	Non-White	Cath	Prot	Other
Favorable	54%	80%	33%	56%	31%	71%	39%	44%	63%	53%	55%	61%	52%	52%	50%	77%	45%	61%	71%
Unfavorable	39%	18%	61%	38%	63%	23%	51%	49%	31%	40%	39%	32%	42%	41%	42%	22%	46%	37%	26%
Don't know/No opinion	6%	2%	6%	6%	6%	6%	10%	8%	5%	7%	6%	6%	6%	8%	7%	1%	9%	2%	3%

Q5. John McCain

	Party				Senate Vote			Gender		Region		Age			Ethnic		Religion		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	Trunzo	Foley	Don't know	M	F	Brookhaven	Islip	18-34	35-54	55+	White	Non-White	Cath	Prot	Other
Favorable	52%	20%	79%	52%	75%	35%	67%	61%	44%	58%	47%	39%	58%	54%	57%	26%	61%	45%	34%
Unfavorable	44%	76%	19%	41%	24%	59%	23%	35%	51%	38%	48%	58%	38%	40%	39%	70%	34%	55%	60%
Don't know/No opinion	4%	4%	2%	6%	1%	5%	10%	4%	5%	4%	5%	3%	4%	6%	4%	4%	5%	1%	6%

Q6. If the presidential election were held today and the candidates were (ROTATE CHOICES): Barack Obama on the Democratic line and John McCain on the Republican line, who would you vote for?

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Barack Obama	45%	75%	21%	47%	25%	62%	23%	32%	57%	41%	49%	55%	41%	45%	41%	69%	34%	57%	67%
John McCain	45%	16%	76%	38%	74%	25%	57%	56%	35%	51%	40%	33%	50%	46%	49%	21%	56%	37%	22%
Don't know/No opinion	10%	9%	4%	16%	2%	13%	21%	12%	8%	8%	11%	12%	9%	8%	10%	10%	11%	6%	11%

Q7. In your district, the candidates for State Senate are (ROTATE CHOICES): Caesar Trunzo on the Republican line and Brian Foley on the Democratic line. If the election were held today would you vote for Trunzo or Foley?

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Caesar Trunzo	34%	20%	53%	27%				39%	31%	39%	31%	19%	39%	40%	37%	20%	40%	33%	22%
Brian Foley	56%	71%	39%	63%				52%	61%	51%	61%	69%	52%	52%	55%	66%	52%	59%	66%
Don't know/No opinion	9%	9%	8%	11%				10%	9%	10%	8%	12%	8%	8%	8%	15%	8%	8%	12%

Q8. Currently, Democrats have a majority in the State Assembly and Republicans have a majority in the State Senate. The Governor is a Democrat. All things being equal, would you prefer to see the State Senate remain Republican controlled or would you prefer it to controlled by the Democrats?

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Republican control	41%	13%	70%	38%	70%	23%	48%	51%	32%	41%	42%	36%	43%	43%	45%	18%	49%	36%	27%
Democratic control	44%	80%	16%	43%	19%	62%	31%	36%	52%	41%	47%	58%	39%	43%	40%	70%	36%	48%	63%
Don't know/No opinion	14%	7%	14%	19%	11%	16%	20%	13%	16%	18%	11%	7%	18%	14%	15%	12%	16%	16%	10%