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S2. Are you registered to vote in [STATE]?

Yes	100%
No	-
Not sure	-

P1. When it comes to politics, do you generally think of yourself as a strong Democrat, not very strong Democrat, strong Republican, not very strong Republican, an independent, or some other political party? [IF INDEPENDENT/OTHER] Do you think of yourself as closer to the Democratic Party or the Republican Party?

Strong Democrat	29%
Weak Democrat	13
Independent / Closer to the Democrats	6
Independent	11
Independent / Closer to the Republicans	5
Weak Republican	14
Strong Republican	22
DEMOCRAT (NET)	42%
INDEPENDENT (NET)	22
REPUBLICAN (NET)	36
DEMOCRAT W/ LEANERS (NET)	48%
REPUBLICAN W/ LEANERS (NET)	41

B1. In which industries do you or any member of your immediate household work?

A marketing company/marketing research company or department	-
An advertising agency or public relations firm	-
A candidate for political office	-
Agriculture	*
Construction	5
Education	8
Finance/Banking/Insurance	4
Government	3
Health care	9
Hospitality	3
Manufacturing	4
Natural resources	*
Technology	4
Television/Media	1
Transportation	3
Wholesale or retail	5
None of the above	58

B2. The following is a list of people, groups, and organizations in public life. For each, please indicate whether you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of that person or group. If you haven't heard of them or don't know enough about them to give a rating, please indicate that option.

	FAV		UNFAV		(CR)	(NH)	NET	
	Very	Some	Some	Very			FAV	UNFAV
• [SPLIT B] Centers for Disease Control and Prevention [CDC].....	32%	43	12	5	7	1	76	17
• [SPLIT A] Department of Health and Human Services	20%	45	11	8	15	1	65	19
• [SPLIT A] Your Governor.....	33%	30	14	16	5	1	64	30
• [SPLIT B] Anthony Fauci.....	35%	26	8	8	10	14	60	16
• [SPLIT B] Your Member of Congress.....	20%	36	16	13	13	3	56	29
• [SPLIT A] White House Coronavirus Task Force.....	24%	31	17	16	10	2	55	33
• Democrats in Congress.....	21%	28	14	30	7	1	48	44
• Donald Trump.....	27%	17	7	46	3	*	44	53
• Mike Pence.....	24%	20	12	34	8	2	44	46
• Republicans in Congress.....	17%	26	17	34	7	1	42	50
• Members of Trump's Cabinet.....	18%	21	12	37	10	2	39	49
• [SPLIT A] Nancy Pelosi.....	16%	23	9	40	10	2	38	49
• [SPLIT B] Chuck Schumer.....	15%	18	10	27	17	13	33	37
• Mitch McConnell.....	11%	20	12	32	16	9	31	44
• [SPLIT A] Deborah Birx.....	12%	19	9	6	13	43	30	14
• [SPLIT B] Alex Azar.....	5%	10	7	9	17	51	15	17

Q13. Would you say the coronavirus is best described as...

A major crisis.....	75%
A major problem, but not a crisis.....	21
A minor problem.....	2
Not a problem at all.....	2

B3A. The following is a list of people and groups in public life. For each, please indicate whether you approve or disapprove of how they are doing their job.

	APPROVE		DISAPPROVE		(DK)	NET	
	Strong	Some	Some	Strong		APPROVE	DISAPPROVE
• [SPLIT A] Mike Pence.....	24%	21	11	34	10	45	45
• [SPLIT A] Donald Trump.....	28%	17	9	46	1	44	55
• [SPLIT A] Congress.....	12%	32	28	20	7	44	49

B3B. The following is a list of people and groups in public life. For each, please indicate whether you approve or disapprove of how they are responding to the coronavirus pandemic.

	APPROVE		DISAPPROVE		(DK)	NET	
	Strong	Some	Some	Strong		APPROVE	DISAPPROVE
• [SPLIT B] Congress.....	15%	36	26	14	8	52	40
• [SPLIT B] Donald Trump.....	30%	15	11	41	3	44	52
• [SPLIT B] Mike Pence.....	24%	20	16	29	10	44	45

Q17. Please indicate which is most important for the federal government to do:

Stop the spread of coronavirus.....	74%
Reopen the economy	26

Q18. Do you believe...

	Working people	Small businesses	Major corporations
• [SPLIT E] Democrats in Congress are making decisions in the best interest of.....	47%	13	40
• [SPLIT C] the Trump administration is making decisions in the best interest of.....	36%	8	57
• [SPLIT D] Republicans in Congress are making decisions in the best interest of.....	32%	10	57

Q19. As you may know, recently the U.S. House of Representatives and Senate passed, and President Trump signed, a \$2 trillion stimulus package passed by Congress to respond to the coronavirus pandemic. Based on what you know, do you support or oppose this legislation?

Strongly support	47%
Somewhat support.....	36
Somewhat oppose.....	7
Strongly oppose.....	3
Don't know enough to say	7
SUPPORT (NET).....	83%
OPPOSE (NET).....	10

Q20. Which statement comes closer to your view of this stimulus package?

The country needed a stimulus package, but this bill included too many handouts to big corporations and special interests, and did not have enough oversight included	52%
The country needed a stimulus package passed quickly – it's not perfect, but the administration did the best it could with a bad situation	48

Q21. Based on what you know, was the \$2 trillion stimulus package passed in the best interest of...

Working people..... 45%
 Major corporations..... 41
 Small businesses..... 14

Q22. Based on what you know, was the \$2 trillion stimulus package intended to deal more with...

The economy..... 83%
 Public health..... 17

B4. Below is a list of statements that some have made about the \$2 trillion stimulus package passed by Congress. Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with each statement.

	AGREE		DISAGREE		NET	
	Strongly	Somewhat	Somewhat	Strongly	AGREE	DISAGREE
• This stimulus package gives too many handouts to big corporations.....	40%	35	17	8	75	25
• Working people should be the top priority, but this bill was only intended to boost the stock market.....	38%	34	18	11	71	29
• Corporations will use the money in this package to help executives and shareholders, while laying off workers.....	31%	38	19	12	69	31
• Republicans passed this bill to help President Trump's re-election chances, not the lives of everyday Americans.....	33%	26	19	22	59	41

Q27. As you may know, there is a panel of independent watchdogs tasked with monitoring the spending of the stimulus bill's \$2 trillion in funds. Please indicate whether you support or oppose the existence of this oversight panel.

Strongly support 43%
 Somewhat support..... 39
 Somewhat oppose..... 12
 Strongly oppose..... 6

 SUPPORT (NET)..... 82%
 OPPOSE (NET)..... 18

Q28. As you may know, President Trump removed an independent watchdog overseeing the rollout of the \$2 trillion coronavirus bill. Please indicate whether you support or oppose this decision.

Strongly support 18%
 Somewhat support..... 28
 Somewhat oppose..... 21
 Strongly oppose..... 33

 SUPPORT (NET)..... 46%
 OPPOSE (NET)..... 54

Q29. As you may know, the \$2 trillion stimulus bill authorized an independent inspector general to oversee how \$500 billion in big business loans will be spent. Which of the following comes closer to your view?

President Trump should comply with an independent inspector general's request to audit stimulus spending .. 77%
 President Trump should resist complying with an independent inspector general's request to audit stimulus spending..... 23

B5. Below is a list of statements about the Trump administration’s involvement with the \$2 trillion stimulus bill. Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with each.

	AGREE		DISAGREE		NET	
	Strongly	Somewhat	Somewhat	Strongly	AGREE	DISAGREE
• The public should know when businesses connected to people in power get government assistance.....	58%	32	7	3	90	10
• The Trump administration should disclose if any administration officials have financial ties to businesses that are receiving government funding	58%	31	8	3	89	11
• The Trump administration should fully cooperate with the independent oversight panel	54%	30	11	5	84	16
• President Trump should create more transparency into his administration’s response to the pandemic through executive order.....	50%	31	13	5	81	19

B6. Below are industries or organizations that may receive federal bailout money. For each, indicate whether you support or oppose each receiving assistance.

	SUPPORT		OPPOSE		NET	
	Strongly	Somewhat	Somewhat	Strongly	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
• Local government.....	42%	40	12	6	81	19
• State government.....	41%	38	13	8	79	21

B7. Below are statements that could be made about government bailouts. For each, indicate whether you agree or disagree with the statement.

	AGREE		DISAGREE		NET	
	Strongly	Somewhat	Somewhat	Strongly	AGREE	DISAGREE
• [SPLIT B] There should be more transparency in all future government bailouts.....	56%	34	8	2	90	10
• [SPLIT A] Lobbyists have too much power in deciding who gets what.....	54%	34	9	3	88	12
• [SPLIT B] There is never enough transparency on how bailout money gets spent.....	47%	38	12	3	85	15
• [SPLIT A] There is never enough oversight on how bailout money gets spent.....	44%	39	13	4	83	17
• Without independent oversight, the money will be misused..	44%	38	14	4	82	18
• [SPLIT B] Big business always seems to get a handout	47%	34	14	5	81	19

B7. Below are statements that could be made about government bailouts. For each, indicate whether you agree or disagree with the statement.

	AGREE		DISAGREE		NET	
	Strongly	Somewhat	Somewhat	Strongly	AGREE	DISAGREE
• [SPLIT A] Government bailouts never seem to benefit the people that need it the most	43%	34	15	8	77	23
• [SPLIT A] Government bailouts benefit Trump’s family and personal connections more than me	35%	26	17	22	61	39
• [SPLIT B] Government bailouts benefit Trump’s family and personal connections more than working people	30%	27	20	23	57	43
• This bailout only got passed to help Trump’s reelection	30%	27	19	24	57	43

B8. Below are proposed conditions on any business receiving federal bailout money. For each, indicate whether you support or oppose each condition.

	SUPPORT		OPPOSE		NET	
	Strongly	Somewhat	Somewhat	Strongly	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
• [SPLIT A] Businesses must maintain payrolls and use federal funds to keep people working	61%	30	7	1	92	8
• CEOs must certify their companies are complying with the rules and face criminal penalties for violating them	62%	29	7	2	91	9
• [SPLIT B] Corporate boards must get shareholder approval for all political spending	50%	36	11	3	86	14
• [SPLIT A] Businesses would be banned from buying back stock until they repay the bailout money	55%	30	12	3	85	15
• Businesses would be barred from paying out dividends or executive bonuses while they receive federal funds and the ban would be in place for three years	52%	32	12	4	84	16
• Union contracts must remain in place	42%	39	13	6	81	19
• [SPLIT A] Corporations would have to provide at least one seat to workers on their board of directors	41%	39	14	6	80	20
• [SPLIT B] Businesses must provide \$15/hour minimum wage	41%	33	16	10	74	26
• [SPLIT B] Businesses would be permanently banned from buying back stock	37%	33	24	6	69	31

B9. Below is a list of provisions that could be included in the next stimulus package that the U.S. House of Representatives and Senate will vote on in response to the coronavirus pandemic. Please indicate how much you support or oppose each being included.

	SUPPORT		OPPOSE		NET	
	Strongly	Somewhat	Somewhat	Strongly	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
• Federal worker protections for first responders and emergency personnel.....	63%	30	5	2	93	7
• [SPLIT A] Additional funding for small businesses	59%	35	5	2	93	7
• [SPLIT B] Additional funding for hospitals to obtain more equipment	57%	34	7	2	91	9
• Outlawing all price gouging for essential items people need to buy	72%	19	7	2	91	9
• [SPLIT B] Grants for local communities to combat the pandemic.....	54%	37	8	2	91	9
• Stronger conditions and requirements on businesses that accept bailout money	56%	33	8	3	89	11
• [SPLIT A] Grants for states to combat the pandemic.....	55%	33	9	3	87	13
• Grants to public school systems to help continue teaching during the pandemic.....	53%	34	9	4	87	13
• [SPLIT A] Further expanding unemployment benefits.....	50%	36	10	4	86	14
• [SPLIT B] A second round of direct cash payments for Americans	59%	25	12	4	84	16
• An oversight panel in charge of monitoring how taxpayer dollars are spent	53%	31	11	5	84	16
• [SPLIT B] A program putting Americans to work building renewable energy infrastructure.....	46%	37	13	4	83	17
• A national vote-by-mail provision to ensure Americans can securely and safely vote during the pandemic	50%	27	9	14	76	24
• [SPLIT A] Investments in renewable energy and emissions cuts.....	34%	36	17	13	70	30

Q65. Which of the following comes closer to your view?

Negative credit reporting should be suspended during the coronavirus crisis to make sure Americans can rebuild after the crisis	72%
Suspending negative credit reporting would damage the economy in dramatic, unpredictable ways	28

Q66. Which of the following comes closer to your view?

The public deserves greater transparency to know where taxpayer funds in the stimulus bill are going 69%
 The Trump administration is taking great care to give the public transparency and accountability 31

B10. Below is a list of actions the Trump administration could take as it responds to the coronavirus crisis. Please indicate whether you support or oppose each action.

	SUPPORT		OPPOSE		NET	
	<u>Strongly</u>	<u>Somewhat</u>	<u>Somewhat</u>	<u>Strongly</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>
• [SPLIT A] Cooperate with governors in order to distribute medical supplies	65%	28	5	2	93	7
• [SPLIT B] Award contracts to companies outside of the traditional bidding process.....	16%	32	30	21	49	51
• [SPLIT A] Meet with lobbyists to decide which industries should receive a bailout.....	15%	26	19	39	42	58
• [SPLIT B] Repeal safeguards meant to protect workers and consumers	16%	24	22	38	40	60
• [SPLIT B] Give “essential” status to corporations with ties to the president or other administration officials.....	14%	25	25	36	39	61
• Reopen the country ahead of individual governors’ planned schedules	16%	22	19	43	38	62
• [SPLIT A] Give control of the coronavirus response to Trump family members.....	11%	20	17	51	32	68

You will now read a statement from people who argue President Trump has mismanaged the coronavirus crisis. As you read through this statement, please use the red highlighter to select the parts of the statement you find to be the MOST concerning.

The Trump administration's response to the coronavirus crisis has not just been mismanaged, it has been riddled with corruption. President Trump has favored political allies and corporate special interests above public health and the national interest.

When small businesses across the country were struggling due to the crisis, Trump picked winners and losers by choosing to bail out major corporations run by his friends. And after being approached by administration officials and lobbyists, he gave them special treatment by awarding their businesses with "essential" status so they could continue to operate during the coronavirus crisis. President Trump even gave millions in coronavirus contracts directly to his friends, rather than have them follow the usual open bidding process that keeps taxpayer dollars safe.

President Trump is also favoring his own businesses and businesses with ties to family members, over our national security and small businesses that can't make ends meet. He signed a stimulus bill that would still allow the Trump Organization to be eligible for bailout money, even though they didn't need it. And he gave his son-in-law control of a special task force to respond to the coronavirus crisis. This confused the federal response because it was unclear who was in charge, which slowed down the agencies that normally respond to crises, like FEMA.

The Trump administration's lack of coordination in responding to the crisis has left states to fend for themselves. Trump's son-in-law criticized states for using the National Strategic Stockpile of medical supplies, which otherwise could have cost lives. At the same time, the federal government has created a bidding war with the states for equipment instead of working cooperatively. Despite this, President Trump is basically saying he will only work with governors who praise him publicly and attacks those who are critical of the federal government's response.

But even when the Trump administration took action and sent \$1,200 checks to every eligible American adult, President Trump caused delays in this crucial relief measure so that he could print his name on each check, pandering for his own reelection.

B11. Now please read these shorter statements that summarize pieces of the larger argument you just read. Please indicate how concerning you find each statement.

	CONCERNING		Not too concerning	Not concerning at all	NET	
	Very	Some			CONCERNING	NOT CONCERNING
• President Trump gave millions in coronavirus contracts directly to his friends, rather than have them follow the usual open bidding process that keeps taxpayer dollars safe.....	57%	22	10	12	79	21
• President Trump has favored political allies and corporate special interests above public health and the national interest.....	53%	22	13	12	75	25
• The federal government has created a bidding war with the states for equipment instead of working with them.....	53%	25	11	11	78	22
• President Trump is basically saying he will only work with governors who praise him publicly and attacks those who are critical of the federal government’s response.....	53%	21	12	14	74	26
• President Trump gave his son-in-law control over a coronavirus task force, which has confused and slowed down the agencies that normally respond to crises like FEMA.....	53%	24	10	13	77	23
• President Trump gave administration officials and lobbyists special treatment by awarding their businesses “essential” status so they could continue to operate during the crisis.....	51%	25	12	12	76	24
• President Trump signed a stimulus bill that would allow his own company to be eligible for bailout money when the bill was being written.....	51%	24	13	13	74	26
• Trump’s son-in-law criticized states for using the National Strategic Stockpile of medical supplies.....	50%	24	13	13	74	26
• President Trump made sure his name was printed on all stimulus checks, delaying them in the process, pandering for his own reelection.....	47%	21	13	19	68	32

Q80A. [SPLIT A] Based on what you know now, how much do you approve or disapprove of the job that President Trump is doing?

Strongly approve	26%
Somewhat approve.....	17
Somewhat disapprove	13
Strongly disapprove.....	43
APPROVE (NET).....	43%
DISAPPROVE (NET).....	57

Q86A. [SPLIT A] And again, thinking about the protesters who recently gathered in multiple states to demand an end to stay-at-home orders and allow the economy to reopen. Which of the following comes closer to your view of these protests?

The protesters are behaving recklessly by calling for an end to stay-at-home orders 75%
 The protesters are justified in calling for an end to stay-at-home orders 25

Q86B. [SPLIT B] And again, thinking about the protesters who recently gathered in multiple states to demand an end to stay-at-home orders and allow the economy to reopen. Which of the following comes closer to your view of these protests?

The protesters are behaving recklessly by not practicing social distancing..... 74%
 The protesters are justified in calling for an end to stay-at-home orders 26

B12. Please read through the following descriptions, and for each, indicate how well it describes the protests demanding an end to stay-at-home orders and reopening the economy.

	WELL		Not well
	Very	Some	
• Dangerous.....	62%	18	20
• [SPLIT B] Bad for public health	61%	20	18
• Stupid.....	58%	17	25
• [SPLIT A] Bad for my state	58%	23	20
• Irrational.....	55%	22	23
• Misguided.....	54%	23	22
• Nonsense.....	53%	19	27
• Coordinated.....	22%	34	43

Q94A. [SPLIT A] As you may have heard, President Trump’s health advisors now expect that more than 70,000 people will die in the United States as a result of the coronavirus outbreak. Which of the following best describes how you will feel if there are 70,000 deaths?

Anger, because the government could have done more to prevent so many deaths 50%
 Sad but not angry, because it is no one’s fault 32
 Relieved, because it could have been much worse 18

Q94B. [SPLIT B] As you may have heard, President Trump’s health advisors now expect that more than 70,000 people will die in the United States as a result of the coronavirus outbreak. Which of the following best describes how you will feel if there are 70,000 deaths?

I would blame President Trump for the death toll..... 41%
 I would give President Trump credit for keeping deaths low 28
 Neither 32

For statistical purposes only, please answer the following questions.

D105. When it comes to politics, do you generally think of yourself as:

Very liberal..... 14%
 Somewhat liberal..... 17
 Moderate 35
 Somewhat conservative 19
 Very conservative..... 15

 LIBERAL (NET) 31%
 CONSERVATIVE (NET)..... 34

Q101. For whom did you vote in the 2016 presidential election?	Hillary Clinton	42%
	Donald Trump	40
	Another candidate	5
	Did not vote for President	12
D140. How would you describe the area where you live?	City	29%
	Suburban area	45
	Small town	10
	Rural area	16
D310. And, for statistical purposes only, what would you say is your total annual family income before taxes?	Less than \$25,000	19%
	\$25,000 - \$49,999	29
	\$50,000 - \$74,999	20
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	14
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	10
	\$150,000 or more	7
D102. What is the last grade of school or level of education you completed?	Did not complete high school	2%
	Graduated high school	30
	Attended technical/vocational school	3
	Attended some college but no degree	19
	Graduated two-year college with Associate's degree	9
	Graduated four-year college with Bachelor's degree	25
	Obtained Master's, PhD, or other professional degree (MD, DMD, etc.)	12
DRACE. To ensure we have a representative sample, could you please tell me your race? [IF BLACK, WHITE, OR OTHER] Do you consider yourself a Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish-speaking American?	Black/African-American	12%
	White/Caucasian	74
	Hispanic/Latino	10
	Asian-American	3
	Native American	*
	Other	*
Refused	-	
D103. Are you or is anyone in your household an active or retired member of a labor union?	Yes, me	10%
	Yes, someone in my household	6
	Yes, both me and someone in my household	1
	No	82
	YES (NET)	18%
D106. What is your current marital status?	Married	45%
	Not married but living with partner	8
	Never married	27
	Divorced or separated	15
	Widowed	5

D104. Are you or is anyone in your household a veteran, active military, or in the National Guard or Reserves?	Yes, me	9%
	Yes, someone in my household	6
	Yes, both me and someone in my household	1
	No	84
	YES (NET).....	16%
D200. What is your religious background?	Protestant/Christian.....	40%
	Catholic.....	23
	Jewish.....	3
	Muslim	2
	Mormon/Latter Day Saints.....	2
	Christian Scientist.....	1
	Other.....	7
	None/Atheist/Agnostic	23
D202. [IF PROTESTANT, CATHOLIC, OR OTHER] Do you consider yourself a born again or evangelical Christian?	Yes	43%
	No	57
DAGE. What is your age?	18-29	17%
	30-44	24
	45-54	17
	55-64	18
	65+.....	23
D100. What is your gender?	Male.....	47%
	Female.....	53
REGION. What state do you live in?	Northeast.....	18%
	Midwest	23
	South	38
	West	21
REGION9. Coded National Region [9-WAY]	New England	5%
	Middle Atlantic	13
	East North Central	17
	West North Central.....	7
	South Atlantic	21
	East South Central	6
	West South Central	11
	Mountain	7
	Pacific.....	14