

2023 WESTERN STATES SURVEY

Interview Schedule – VOTERS OF COLOR

New Bridge Strategy / FM3 Research

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N=928 Voters of Color

(AZ, CO, ID, MT, NV, NM, UT & WY)

Margin of Error: $\pm 3.22\%$



In this document:

- *An asterisk (*) in a response category means that less than 0.5% of respondents chose that response category and a dash (-) represents no response.*
 - *A carrot (^) denotes rounding. Due to rounding, some figures may be higher or lower by less than one-half of one percent.*
 - *Sample A was asked of $\frac{1}{2}$ of the sample, N=465. Sample B was asked of $\frac{1}{2}$ of the sample, N=463.*
 - *We conducted an oversample to reach N=200 African American voters, represented by "BLCK" in this document. We also conducted an oversample to reach N=200 NTIVE American voters, represented by "NTIVE" in this document.*
 - *The "VOC" column represents the combined "Voters of Color" data.*
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Next, **ONLINE:** please read / **PHONE:** I'm going to read you a list of issues some people say are problems in **(INSERT STATE)**. For each one, please **ONLINE:** indicate/ **PHONES:** tell me if you think it is **(ROTATE TOP TO BOTTOM, BOTTOM TO TOP)** an extremely serious problem, a very serious problem, a somewhat serious problem, or not a problem in **(INSERT STATE)**.

	EXT/VERY SERIOUS	EXTREMELY SERIOUS	VERY SERIOUS	SOMEWHAT SERIOUS	NOT A PROBLEM	DK/REF (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
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The (first/next) one is... **(RANDOMIZE)(DO NOT SHOW ONLINE)**

1. Loss of habitat for fish and wildlife **(ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)**

VOC	55%^	26%	28%	28%	16%	2%
BLCK	44%	18%	26%	30%	21%	5%
NTIVE	65%	31%	34%	24%	11%	--
LATN	55%^	26%	28%	28%	15%	2%
WHITE	52%	24%	28%	31%	16%	1%

2. Inadequate water supplies **(ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)**

VOC	66%	36%	30%	19%	14%	1%
BLCK	59%^	35%	23%	24%	16%	1%
NTIVE	69%^	34%	34%	19%	12%	--
LATN	69%	38%	31%	16%	14%	1%
WHITE	65%	33%	32%	24%	11%	--

3. Uncontrollable wildfires that threaten homes and property **(ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)**

VOC	50%	29%	21%	30%	18%	2%
BLCK	39%	20%	19%	25%	33%	3%
NTIVE	51%	28%	23%	37%	10%	2%
LATN	50%^	28%	22%	30%	18%	2%
WHITE	55%	23%	32%	32%	13%	--

4. Drought **(ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)**

VOC	63%	34%	29%	27%	10%	--
BLCK	68%	30%	38%	24%	7%	1%
NTIVE	61%	30%	31%	25%	14%	--
LATN	63%^	39%	23%	28%	9%	1%
WHITE	69%	35%	34%	23%	7%	1%

5. The impact of oil and gas drilling on our land, air and water **(ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)**

VOC	40%	20%	20%	28%	26%	6%
BLCK	43%	21%	22%	29%	23%	5%
NTIVE	42%	23%	19%	38%	13%	7%
LATN	40%	19%	21%	25%	29%	6%
WHITE	35%	16%	19%	29%	34%	2%

	EXT/VERY SERIOUS	EXTREMELY SERIOUS	VERY SERIOUS	SOMEWHAT SERIOUS	NOT A PROBLEM	DK/REF (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
6. Population declines of fish and wildlife (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)						
VOC	50%	21%	29%	31%	16%	3%
BLCK	44%	13%	31%	35%	17%	4%
NTIVE	59%^	26%	32%	25%	14%	3%
LATN	49%^	23%	25%	32%	14%	5%
WHITE	46%	18%	28%	38%	13%	3%
7. Loss of natural areas (ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)						
VOC	45%	23%	22%	29%	22%	4%
BLCK	41%^	15%	25%	30%	25%	4%
NTIVE	56%^	31%	24%	32%	5%	8%
LATN	43%	23%	20%	28%	28%	1%
WHITE	51%^	21%	29%	33%	16%	1%
8. The rising cost of living (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)						
VOC	79%	50%	29%	16%	5%	--
BLCK	78%	49%	29%	20%	2%	--
NTIVE	87%	41%	46%	9%	3%	1%
LATN	77%	55%	22%	17%	6%	--
WHITE	78%	45%	33%	20%	2%	--
9. The price of gasoline (ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)						
VOC	64%	39%	25%	26%	10%	--
BLCK	55%^	38%	18%	31%	12%	1%
NTIVE	67%	46%	21%	29%	4%	--
LATN	66%	37%	29%	22%	12%	--
WHITE	59%	28%	31%	30%	11%	--
10. Smoke from wildfires during fire season (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)						
VOC	47%	22%	25%	34%	19%	--
BLCK	45%	23%	22%	39%	14%	2%
NTIVE	36%	23%	13%	44%	20%	--
LATN	50%	25%	25%	30%	20%	--
WHITE	47%	19%	28%	37%	15%	1%
11. Too many people moving into STATE (ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)						
VOC	43%^	24%	20%	26%	30%	--
BLCK	32%	25%	7%	31%	37%	--
NTIVE	60%	20%	40%	15%	24%	1%
LATN	43%^	25%	17%	26%	30%	1%
WHITE	47%^	26%	22%	32%	21%	--

	EXT/VERY SERIOUS	EXTREMELY SERIOUS	VERY SERIOUS	SOMEWHAT SERIOUS	NOT A PROBLEM	DK/REF (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
12. Crowding and more people at outdoor recreation sites like trails and parks (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)						
VOC 28%	12%	16%	31%	39%	2%	
BLCK 16%	10%	6%	41%	41%	2%	
NTIVE 43%^	17%	27%	15%	40%	1%	
LATN 27%	13%	14%	31%	38%	4%	
WHITE29%	12%	17%	39%	30%	2%	
13. Climate change (ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)						
VOC 55%	29%	26%	21%	21%	3%	
BLCK 67%	45%	22%	14%	19%	--	
NTIVE 67%^	31%	35%	17%	17%	--	
LATN 51%^	25%	25%	23%	23%	4%	
WHITE48%	28%	20%	24%	28%	--	
14. Low level of water in rivers (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)						
VOC 69%	43%	26%	22%	9%	--	
BLCK 65%	30%	35%	24%	10%	1%	
NTIVE 68%	45%	23%	20%	12%	--	
LATN 73%	50%	23%	20%	7%	--	
WHITE69%	38%	31%	24%	7%	--	

(ASKED ONLY IN CO, UT, AZ, NV)

Thinking specifically about the Colorado River and the rivers and streams which flow into it in **STATE** –

ONLINE: Below is / **PHONES:** I’m going to read you a list of words and phrases, and please indicate whether you think each one describes the Colorado River **(ROTATE)** very well, somewhat well, not very well, or not well at all.

	TOTAL WELL	TOTAL NOT WELL	VERY WELL	SMWT WELL	NOT VERY WELL	NOT AT ALL	DK/ REF (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
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The first/next one is... **(RANDOMIZE)**

15. At risk (ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=367)							
VOC 72%^	20%	48%	23%	12%	8%	8%	
BLCK 68%	27%^	45%	23%	17%	9%	6%	
NTIVE 80%	20%	60%	20%	17%	3%	--	
LATN 70%	18%^	47%	23%	9%	10%	12%	
WHITE84%^	13%	52%	33%	9%	4%	2%	

	TOTAL WELL	TOTAL NOT WELL	VERY WELL	SMWT WELL	NOT VERY WELL	NOT AT ALL	(DNR/NOT ONLINE) DK/REF
16. Critical to STATE's economy (ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=367)							
VOC	80%	17%	56%	24%	7%	10%	3%
BLCK	74%^	19%	60%	15%	9%	10%	6%
NTIVE	79%	18%	46%	33%	8%	10%	3%
LATN	83%	13%	59%	24%	4%	9%	4%
WHITE	88%^	9%^	56%	33%	7%	3%	2%
17. In need of urgent action (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=376)							
VOC	81%	16%	49%	32%	9%	7%	3%
BLCK	81%^	15%^	47%	33%	8%	6%	5%
NTIVE	79%	18%	49%	30%	8%	10%	3%
LATN	84%	14%	53%	31%	8%	6%	2%
WHITE	81%	15%^	46%	35%	7%	7%	5%
18. An attraction for tourism and recreation (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=376)							
VOC	77%	21%^	35%	42%	14%	8%	2%
BLCK	79%	18%	44%	35%	10%	8%	3%
NTIVE	72%	26%^	27%	45%	12%	13%	2%
LATN	78%	20%	39%	39%	14%	6%	2%
WHITE	82%	15%	43%	39%	10%	5%	3%

(ASK ALL)

19. Which of the following would you say best describes the current shortage of water supplies in the West? (ROTATE TOP TO BOTTOM AND BOTTOM TO TOP)

VOC	BLCK	NTIVE	LATN	WHITE	
49%	48%	55%	50%	51%	A SERIOUS CRISIS
37%	34%	32%	38%	40%	A SIGNIFICANT PROBLEM, BUT NOT A CRISIS
8%	12%	2%	8%	7%	A MINOR PROBLEM
5%	4%	11%	3%	3%	NOT REALLY A PROBLEM
1%	2%	--	1%	*	UNSURE/REFUSED (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
86%	82%	87%	88%	90%^	TOTAL PROBLEM
13%	16%	13%	11%	9%^	TOTAL NOT A PROBLEM

20. And, which one of the following do you think uses the most water in your state?
(RANDOMIZE PUNCHES :1-3)

<u>VOC</u>	<u>BLCK</u>	<u>NTIVE</u>	<u>LATN</u>	<u>WHITE</u>	
27%	26%	25%	28%	37%	FARMERS AND RANCHERS
23%	26%	28%	20%	26%	PEOPLE USING WATER IN THEIR HOMES
46%	44%	45%	48%	34%	INDUSTRY AND BUSINESSES
1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	ALL EQUALLY (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	NONE OF THESE/OTHER (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
2%	1%	--	2%	1%	UNSURE (DNR/NOT ONLINE)

There are a number of actions which communities and states could take to address inadequate water supplies. For each one, please indicate whether that is something you would **(ROTATE)** support or oppose in your community or state.

PHONE IF SUPPORT/OPOSE: And, do you STRONGLY (choice) or just SOMEWHAT (choice)?

TOT SUPP	TOT OPP	STR SUPP	SMWT SUPP	SMWT OPP	STR OPP	(DNR/NOT ONLINE) DK REF	
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The (first/next) one is... **(RANDOMIZE)(DO NOT SHOW ONLINE)**

21. Providing financial incentives to farmers to temporarily take land out of production during severe water shortages **(ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)**

VOC	53%	45%	22%	31%	21%	24%	2%	--
BLCK	69%	29%^	30%	39%	11%	17%	1%	1%
NTIVE	59%^	40%	23%	37%	18%	22%	--	--
LATN	48%	50%	20%	28%	24%	26%	2%	--
WHITE	56%^	43%	21%	34%	24%	19%	1%	--

22. Requiring local governments to determine whether there is enough water available before approving new residential development projects **(ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)**

VOC	84%	15%^	57%	27%	8%	6%	1%	--
BLCK	82%	17%^	49%	33%	10%	8%	1%	--
NTIVE	75%	23%^	58%	17%	11%	13%	2%	--
LATN	87%	12%	59%	28%	7%	5%	--	1%
WHITE	88%^	11%	64%	25%	6%	5%	--	--

23. Prohibit grass lawns at new development and homes **(ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)**

VOC	59%	38%	31%	28%	20%	18%	3%	--
BLCK	60%	37%	29%	31%	12%	25%	3%	--
NTIVE	50%	47%	28%	22%	17%	30%	3%	--
LATN	64%	35%	32%	32%	22%	13%	1%	--
WHITE	62%^	36%^	33%	30%	25%	12%	1%	--

	TOT SUPP	TOT OPP	STR SUPP	SMWT SUPP	SMWT OPP	STR OPP	(DNR/NOT ONLINE) DK REF	
24. Providing financial incentives to homeowners and businesses to replace lawns and grassy areas with water-saving landscaping (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)								
VOC	82%	18%	49%	33%	10%	8%	*	--
BLCK	82%	16%	42%	40%	9%	7%	2%	--
NTIVE	72%	27%	44%	28%	17%	10%	1%	--
LATN	85%	15%	55%	30%	8%	7%	--	--
WHITE	80%	19%	46%	34%	11%	8%	1%	--
25. Investing in water infrastructure to reduce leaks and waste (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)								
VOC	93%	6%	67%	26%	3%	3%	1%	--
BLCK	94%	4%^	71%	23%	3%	2%	2%	--
NTIVE	89%	9%	61%	28%	3%	6%	2%	--
LATN	94%	5%	70%	24%	3%	2%	1%	--
WHITE	96%	3%	60%	36%	2%	1%	1%	--
26. Increasing the use of recycled water for homes and businesses (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)								
VOC	84%	15%	54%	30%	7%	8%	1%	--
BLCK	79%	17%	56%	23%	11%	6%	4%	--
NTIVE	78%	20%	32%	46%	5%	15%	2%	--
LATN	86%	13%	60%	26%	7%	6%	1%	--
WHITE	89%	10%	51%	38%	7%	3%	1%	--

Switching topics –

Thinking now about efforts to conserve land, waters and wildlife habitat. There can be a number of specific goals and reasons for undertaking these efforts. For each of the following items, please indicate if you think that particular reason is (ROTATE TOP-TO-BOTTOM, BOTTOM-TO-TOP) very important, somewhat important, not too important, or not important at all to you personally.

	TOT IMPT	TOT NOT IMPT	VERY IMPT	SMWT IMPT	NOT TOO IMPT	NOT AT ALL IMPT	(DNR/NOT ONLINE) DK/REF	
The (FIRST/NEXT) one is... (RANDOMIZE)(DO NOT SHOW ONLINE)								
27. To protect sources of drinking water (ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)								
VOC	98%^	2%^	89%	10%	--	1%	--	--
BLCK	98%	2%	91%	7%	--	2%	--	--
NTIVE	94%	6%	92%	2%	--	6%	--	--
LATN	100%^	--	88%	11%	--	--	--	--
WHITE	97%^	2%	85%	13%	2%	--	1%	--

	TOT IMPT	TOT NOT IMPT	VERY IMPT	SMWT IMPT	NOT TOO IMPT	NOT AT ALL IMPT	(DNR/NOT ONLINE) DK/REF
28. To conserve wildlife habitat and migration routes (ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)							
VOC	93%^	7%^	68%	26%	4%	2%	--
BLCK	89%^	11%^	64%	24%	3%	9%	--
NTIVE	98%^	2%	77%	22%	2%	--	--
LATN	94%	6%^	68%	26%	6%	1%	--
WHITE	93%	7%	62%	31%	5%	2%	--
29. To provide opportunities for hunting, fishing and outdoor recreation (ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)							
VOC	79%	21%	40%	39%	12%	9%	--
BLCK	75%	25%	42%	33%	17%	8%	--
NTIVE	84%^	16%	56%	29%	9%	7%	--
LATN	77%^	23%	37%	39%	12%	11%	--
WHITE	78%^	22%	39%	38%	17%	5%	--
30. To conserve natural areas that connect lower income or communities of color which have historically lacked access to the outdoors (ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)							
VOC	80%	18%	54%	26%	8%	10%	2%
BLCK	84%^	16%^	70%	15%	6%	9%	--
NTIVE	83%^	17%	67%	15%	8%	9%	1%
LATN	79%	18%	50%	29%	8%	10%	3%
WHITE	73%	24%	38%	35%	14%	10%	3%
31. To ensure healthier forests (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)							
VOC	95%	4%	71%	24%	2%	2%	1%
BLCK	93%	5%	65%	28%	3%	2%	2%
NTIVE	90%	9%^	64%	26%	2%	8%	1%
LATN	98%	1%	78%	20%	1%	--	1%
WHITE	96%^	3%	68%	29%	2%	1%	--
32. To provide opportunities for children to explore and learn about nature (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)							
VOC	94%^	6%^	72%	23%	3%	2%	--
BLCK	97%	3%	67%	30%	2%	1%	--
NTIVE	89%	11%	73%	16%	3%	8%	--
LATN	97%^	3%	75%	21%	3%	--	--
WHITE	93%^	7%	58%	34%	6%	1%	--
33. To provide opportunities for people to see stars at night without light pollution (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)							
VOC	72%^	27%	40%	33%	15%	12%	1%
BLCK	72%^	27%^	38%	33%	12%	14%	2%
NTIVE	70%^	29%^	44%	27%	16%	12%	1%
LATN	76%^	24%	43%	34%	12%	12%	--
WHITE	68%	32%	27%	41%	24%	8%	--

	TOT IMPT	TOT NOT IMPT	VERY IMPT	SMWT IMPT	NOT TOO IMPT	NOT AT ALL IMPT	(DNR/NOT ONLINE) DK/REF
34. To help threatened wildlife (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)							
VOC	90%	9%	68%	22%	4%	5%	1%
BLCK	82%	17%	58%	24%	9%	8%	1%
NTIVE	88%^	11%^	62%	25%	1%	11%	1%
LATN	95%^	4%	76%	20%	2%	2%	1%
WHITE	92%	7%	61%	31%	5%	2%	1%

35. Which one would you prefer your Member of Congress place more emphasis on in upcoming decisions regarding national public lands? **(ROTATE :1-2)**

Ensuring we protect sources of clean water, our air quality and wildlife habitat while providing opportunities to visit and recreate on our national public lands.

...Or...

Ensuring we produce more domestic energy by maximizing the amount of national public lands available for responsible oil and gas drilling and mining.

<u>VOC</u>	<u>BLCK</u>	<u>NTIVE</u>	<u>LATN</u>	<u>WHITE</u>	
73%	74%	70%	74%	67%	CONSERVE/RECREATE
23%	19%	27%	22%	28%	ENERGY PRODUCT
2%	2%	1%	2%	3%	BOTH (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
1%	2%	--	1%	1%	NEITHER/OTHER (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	UNSURE/REFUSED (DNR/NOT ONLINE)

Presidents of both parties have used the ability to protect existing public lands as national monuments in order to maintain public access and protect the land and wildlife for future generations. Knowing that...

36. Do you support or oppose Presidents continuing to use their ability to protect existing public lands as national monuments?

PHONE IF SUPPORT/OPPOSE: And, do you STRONGLY (choice) or just SOMEWHAT (choice)?

<u>VOC</u>	<u>BLCK</u>	<u>NTIVE</u>	<u>LATN</u>	<u>WHITE</u>	
54%	45%	54%	57%	52%	STRONGLY SUPPORT
29%	38%	21%	30%	33%	SOMEWHAT SUPPORT
7%	6%	10%	5%	6%	SOMEWHAT OPPOSE
8%	7%	15%	6%	7%	STRONGLY OPPOSE
2%	2%	--	2%	1%	UNSURE (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
*	1%	--	*	*	REFUSED (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
83%	84%^	75%	87%	85%	TOTAL SUPPORT
15%	13%	25%	11%	14%^	TOTAL OPPOSE

The following are a number of different proposals addressing public lands, water and wildlife in the West, some of which have already been put into place in some Western states or are being considered. For each one, please **ONLINE:** indicate / **PHONES:** tell me if you would (**ROTATE**) support or oppose a similar proposal in your state.

PHONE IF SUPPORT/OPPOSE: And, do you STRONGLY (choice) or just SOMEWHAT (choice)?

TOTAL SUPPORT	TOTAL OPPOSE	STR SUPPORT	SMWT SUPPORT	SMWT OPPOSE	STR OPPOSE	(DNR/NOT ONLINE)	
						DK	REF

The (first/next) one is... (**RANDOMIZE**)

37. Constructing wildlife crossing structures across major highways that intersect with known migration routes. (**ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465**)

VOC	84%^	15%	50%	33%	8%	7%	1%	--
BLCK	75%^	21%^	39%	35%	11%	11%	2%	1%
NTIVE	78%	22%	53%	25%	5%	17%	--	--
LATN	87%	11%	54%	33%	7%	4%	2%	--
WHITE	87%	12%	55%	32%	7%	5%	1%	--

	TOTAL SUPPORT	TOTAL OPPOSE	STR SUPPORT	SMWT SUPPORT	SMWT OPPOSE	STR OPPOSE	(DNR/NOT ONLINE) DK	REF
38. Only allowing oil and gas companies the right to drill in areas of public land where there is high likelihood to actually produce oil and gas. (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)								
VOC	69%^	29%	39%	31%	15%	14%	1%	--
BLCK	74%	22%^	42%	32%	8%	13%	3%	2%
NTIVE	74%	25%	49%	25%	10%	15%	1%	--
LATN	70%	30%	39%	31%	16%	14%	--	--
WHITE	73%	25%	33%	40%	14%	11%	2%	--
39. Requiring oil and gas companies to use updated equipment and technology to prevent leaks of methane gas and other pollution into the air. (ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)								
VOC	88%^	12%	72%	17%	4%	8%	1%	--
BLCK	94%	5%	82%	12%	2%	3%	--	1%
NTIVE	80%	20%	63%	17%	2%	18%	--	--
LATN	90%^	10%	71%	18%	3%	7%	--	--
WHITE	93%	7%	69%	24%	4%	3%	--	--
40. Requiring oil and gas companies, rather than federal and state governments, to pay for all of the clean-up and land restoration costs after drilling is finished. (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)								
VOC	90%	9%	71%	19%	4%	5%	--	1%
BLCK	89%	9%	70%	19%	3%	6%	2%	--
NTIVE	94%	6%^	79%	15%	1%	4%	--	--
LATN	88%^	12%	69%	20%	6%	6%	--	--
WHITE	92%	7%	68%	24%	4%	3%	1%	--
41. Achieving a national goal of conserving thirty percent of land and inland waters in America, and thirty percent of its ocean areas by the year 2030. (ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)								
VOC	82%	15%	55%	27%	9%	6%	3%	--
BLCK	88%^	9%	64%	23%	4%	5%	4%	--
NTIVE	87%	12%	59%	28%	2%	10%	1%	--
LATN	79%	17%^	52%	27%	11%	5%	4%	--
WHITE	83%	15%	47%	36%	8%	7%	2%	--
42. Gradually transitioning to one hundred percent of our energy being produced from clean, renewable sources like solar and wind over the next ten to fifteen years. (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)								
VOC	77%	22%	50%	27%	7%	15%	--	1%
BLCK	80%^	18%	47%	32%	8%	10%	2%	--
NTIVE	59%	41%^	35%	24%	15%	25%	--	--
LATN	83%	17%^	56%	27%	4%	12%	--	--
WHITE	64%^	35%	38%	25%	13%	22%	1%	--

	TOTAL SUPPORT	TOTAL OPPOSE	STR SUPPORT	SMWT SUPPORT	SMWT OPPOSE	STR OPPOSE	(DNR/NOT ONLINE) DK	REF
43.	Creating new national parks, national monuments, national wildlife refuges and tribal protected areas to protect historic sites or areas for outdoor recreation. (ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465)							
VOC	86%^	13%^	59%	27%	8%	6%	--	--
BLCK	84%	15%	64%	20%	5%	10%	1%	--
NTIVE	84%	16%	67%	17%	6%	10%	--	--
LATN	89%^	11%	57%	31%	8%	3%	--	--
WHITE	84%	15%	48%	36%	9%	6%	1%	--
44.	Directing funding to ensure adequate access to parks and natural areas for lower-income people and communities of color that have disproportionately lacked them. (ASKED OF SAMPLE B, N=463)							
VOC	84%^	15%	54%	31%	6%	9%	1%	1%
BLCK	89%	10%	68%	21%	3%	7%	1%	--
NTIVE	73%	25%	45%	28%	11%	14%	2%	--
LATN	87%	13%	57%	30%	5%	8%	--	--
WHITE	73%	25%^	37%	36%	13%	11%	2%	--
45.	Ensuring that NTIVE American tribes have greater input into decisions made about areas within national public lands that contain sites sacred to or culturally important to their tribe. (ASKED OF SAMPLE A, N=465) .							
VOC	87%^	11%	67%	21%	7%	4%	2%	--
BLCK	86%	10%^	68%	18%	7%	4%	2%	1%
NTIVE	92%	8%^	83%	9%	6%	3%	--	--
LATN	88%	10%	64%	24%	6%	4%	2%	--
WHITE	86%^	13%	56%	29%	7%	6%	1%	--
A1.	Enacting legislation that would make permanent the current ban on new uranium and other mining on existing public lands, roughly one million acres, surrounding the Grand Canyon. (ASKED IN ARIZONA ONLY, N=348 RESPONDENTS)							
VOC	62%	35%	43%	19%	13%	22%	3%	--
BLCK	72%	24%^	37%	35%	10%	13%	2%	2%
NTIVE	59%	39%^	43%	16%	9%	31%	2%	--
LATN	62%^	36%	42%	19%	15%	21%	2%	--
WHITE	61%	34%	35%	26%	16%	18%	4%	1%
C1.	Protecting existing public lands surrounding the Dolores River Canyon in Western Colorado to conserve important wildlife habitat, and safeguard the area's scenic beauty and support outdoor recreation. (ASKED IN COLORADO ONLY, N=195 RESPONDENTS)							
VOC	86%^	11%^	47%	38%	9%	1%	4%	--
BLCK	89%^	8%^	61%	27%	--	8%	2%	1%
NTIVE	61%	19%	18%	43%	19%	--	20%	--
LATN	93%	7%	59%	34%	7%	--	--	--
WHITE	92%	5%	58%	34%	3%	2%	2%	1%

	TOTAL SUPPORT	TOTAL OPPOSE	STR SUPPORT	SMWT SUPPORT	SMWT OPPOSE	STR OPPOSE	(DNR/NOT ONLINE) DK	REF
M1. Enacting the Blackfoot Clearwater Stewardship Act in western Montana, which would ensure hunting and fishing access, safeguard streams flowing into the Blackfoot River, add nearly eighty thousand acres of existing public lands to the Bob Marshall, Scapegoat, and Mission Mountains wilderness areas, and create two new recreation areas and sustain timber harvest and habitat restoration. (ASKED IN MONTANA ONLY, N=14 RESPONDENTS)								
VOC	76%	24%	64%	12%	9%	15%	--	--
BLCK	61%	39%	61%	--	--	39%	--	--
NTIVE	81%	19%	69%	12%	13%	6%	--	--
LATN	85%^	15%^	64%	20%	2%	14%	--	--
WHITE	84%	14%	51%	33%	7%	7%	2%	--
N1. Permanently preserving existing national public lands in the Caja del Rio plateau, which would increase protections for the grasslands and canyons along the Santa Fe River and surrounding areas, and ensure access for outdoor recreation. (ASKED IN NEW MEXICO ONLY, N=142 RESPONDENTS)								
VOC	90%	8%	53%	37%	4%	4%	2%	--
BLCK	92%^	8%	46%	47%	8%	--	--	--
NTIVE	82%	14%	58%	24%	9%	5%	4%	--
LATN	93%	6%	53%	40%	4%	2%	1%	--
WHITE	87%^	9%	51%	37%	7%	2%	3%	1%
V1. Designating existing public lands just east of the Mojave National Preserve in southern Nevada as the Spirit Mountain national monument, which would ensure outdoor recreation and help preserve sacred NTIVE sites while not allowing energy development or mining on these lands. (ASKED IN NEVADA ONLY, N=163 RESPONDENTS)								
VOC	88%^	9%	68%	21%	7%	2%	1%	--
BLCK	90%	7%	67%	23%	3%	4%	3%	--
NTIVE	93%	7%	90%	3%	7%	--	--	--
LATN	86%	13%	69%	17%	12%	1%	1%	--
WHITE	80%	16%	42%	38%	10%	6%	4%	--

Thinking about energy for a minute—

46. Which of the following do you think should be the highest priority for meeting America’s energy needs: **(ROTATE PUNCHES 1 AND 2)**

Drilling and digging for more coal, oil and gas wherever we can find it in the us.

...OR...

Reducing our need for more coal, oil and gas by expanding our use of clean, renewable energy that can be generated in the us.

<u>VOC</u>	<u>BLCK</u>	<u>NTIVE</u>	<u>LATN</u>	<u>WHITE</u>	
27%	24%	33%	26%	33%	DRILLING AND DIGGING
69%	70%	61%	70%	63%	REDUCING OUR NEED
2%	*	5%	1%	1%	BOTH (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
1%	3%	1%	3%	2%	UNSURE/DON'T KNOW (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
1%	3%	--	--	1%	REFUSED (DNR/NOT ONLINE)

Thinking about you personally -

47. Do you consider yourself to be a conservationist?

<u>VOC</u>	<u>BLCK</u>	<u>NTIVE</u>	<u>LATN</u>	<u>WHITE</u>	
62%	61%	69%	59%	66%	YES
35%	35%	28%	37%	33%	NO
3%	4%	3%	4%	1%	DON'T KNOW/REFUSED (DNR/NOT ONLINE)

- D1. To ensure we have a representative sample of voters in your state, please **ONLINE:** indicate/
PHONES: tell me in what year you were born.

<u>VOC</u>	<u>BLCK</u>	<u>NTIVE</u>	<u>LATN</u>	<u>WHITE</u>	
28%	25%	18%	30%	21%	18 - 34
23%	16%	31%	23%	20%	35 - 44
14%	17%	14%	13%	14%	45 - 54
19%	17%	16%	21%	20%	55 - 64
16%	25%	20%	12%	25%	65 AND ABOVE
*	--	1%	1%	*	REFUSED (DNR/NOT ONLINE)

D2. And, what best describes your ethnic or racial heritage? (READ CHOICES)(ACCEPT MULTIPLE RESPONSES)

****PERCENTAGES ADD UP TO GREATER THAN 100% BECAUSE MULTIPLE RESPONSES WERE ALLOWED****

<u>VOC</u>	<u>BLCK</u>	<u>NTIVE</u>	<u>LATN</u>	<u>WHITE</u>	
3%	1%	2%	3%	100%	WHITE
16%	100%	--	*	*	AFRICAN AMERICAN OR BLACK
59%	*	4%	100%	1%	HISPANIC AMERICAN OR LATINO
18%	--	100%	1%	*	NATIVE AMERICAN
7%	--	--	*	*	ASIAN AMERICAN
3%	--	--	--	--	OTHER
--	--	--	--	--	REFUSED (DNR/NOT ONLINE)

D3. How long have you lived in STATE? (DO NOT READ CHOICES)

<u>VOC</u>	<u>BLCK</u>	<u>NTIVE</u>	<u>LATN</u>	<u>WHITE</u>	
9%	10%	2%	9%	10%	LESS THAN 5 YEARS
8%	13%	2%	8%	9%	5-9 YEARS
6%	9%	2%	5%	9%	10-15 YEARS
35%	49%	38%	30%	43%	16 OR MORE YEARS
42%	19%	56%	48%	29%	NATIVE/ALL MY LIFE/BORN HERE
*	--	--	--	*	DO NOT RECALL/REFUSED (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
23%	32%	6%	22%	27%[^]	TOTAL <16 YEARS
77%	68%	94%	78%	73%[^]	TOTAL 16+ YEARS

D4. Do you consider yourself a hunter, an angler or both?

<u>VOC</u>	<u>BLCK</u>	<u>NTIVE</u>	<u>LATN</u>	<u>WHITE</u>	
5%	4%	5%	4%	4%	HUNTER ONLY
10%	8%	17%	7%	11%	ANGLER ONLY
23%	14%	39%	21%	22%	BOTH
62%	73%	37%	67%	62%	NO/NEITHER
*	*	2%	1%	1%	UNSURE/REFUSED (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
37%[^]	27%[^]	61%	32%	38%[^]	TOTAL YES

D5. How would you describe the area where you currently live? (**ROTATE TOP TO BOTTOM/BOTTOM TO TOP**)

<u>VOC</u>	<u>BLCK</u>	<u>NTIVE</u>	<u>LATN</u>	<u>WHITE</u>	
34%	51%	12%	38%	21%	BIG CITY
31%	32%	20%	30%	43%	SUBURBAN AREA
16%	9%	25%	16%	18%	SMALL TOWN
19%	8%	43%	16%	18%	RURAL AREA
*	1%	--	--	*	DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
--	--	--	--	*	REFUSED (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
65%	82%^	32%	68%	64%	TOTAL CITY/SUBURB
35%	17%	68%	32%	35%^	TOTAL SMALL TOWN/RURAL

D6. What was the last level of education you completed? (**DO NOT READ CATEGORIES**)

<u>VOC</u>	<u>BLCK</u>	<u>NTIVE</u>	<u>LATN</u>	<u>WHITE</u>	
25%	23%	29%	25%	15%	GRADUATED HIGH SCHOOL OR LESS
4%	1%	3%	5%	4%	TECHNICAL OR VOCATIONAL SCHOOL
25%	22%	33%	25%	26%	SOME COLLEGE
32%	36%	24%	32%	36%	GRADUATED COLLEGE
15%	18%	11%	13%	19%	GRADUATE/PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL
*	--	*	*	*	REFUSED (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
25%	23%	29%	25%	15%	TOTAL HS OR LESS
28%^	23%	36%	30%	30%	TOTAL SOME COLLEGE
47%	54%	35%	45%	55%	TOTAL COLLEGE+

D7. No matter how you feel today, are you registered to vote as a Republican, a Democrat, Independent, or something else? (**ROTATE**)

<u>VOC</u>	<u>BLCK</u>	<u>NTIVE</u>	<u>LATN</u>	<u>WHITE</u>	
24%	16%	15%	28%	41%	REPUBLICAN
42%	56%	37%	42%	27%	DEMOCRAT
33%	27%	45%	29%	31%	INDEPENDENT/SOMETHING ELSE
1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	REFUSED (DNR/NOT ONLINE)

D8. Generally speaking, do you consider yourself to be **(ROTATE)** conservative, moderate, or liberal on most issues?

<u>VOC</u>	<u>BLCK</u>	<u>NTIVE</u>	<u>LATN</u>	<u>WHITE</u>	
31%	29%	29%	32%	36%	CONSERVATIVE
41%	34%	47%	40%	41%	MODERATE
25%	34%	17%	25%	21%	LIBERAL
2%	3%	5%	2%	1%	DON'T KNOW (DNR/NOT ONLINE)
1%	*	2%	1%	1%	REFUSED (DNR/NOT ONLINE)

D9. Please record your gender. **(BY OBSERVATION ON PHONES)**

<u>VOC</u>	<u>BLCK</u>	<u>NTIVE</u>	<u>LATN</u>	<u>WHITE</u>	
49%	47%	45%	50%	48%	MALE
51%	53%	55%	50%	52%	FEMALE
*	--	--	*	*	NON-BINARY/OTHER
