Local National policy

Start of Block: demos

birthyr In what year were you born?

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urbancity How would you describe the place where you live?

- ○ City (1)
- ○ Suburb (2)
- ○ Rural area (3)

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child18 Are you the parent or guardian of any children under the age of 18?

- ○ Yes (1)
- ○ No (2)

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Display This Question:

If Are you the parent or guardian of any children under the age of 18? = Yes

school Are you the parent or guardian of a child currently enrolled in a public school?

- ○ Yes (1)
- ○ No (2)

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ownhome Do you own your home or pay rent?

- ○ Own (1)
- ○ Rent (2)
- ○ Other (3) _____

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length How long have you lived in the community where you now reside?

- ○ Less than 6 months (1)
- ○ 7 to 11 months (2)
- ○ 1 to 2 years (3)
- ○ 3 to 4 years (4)
- ○ 5 to 10 years (5)
- ○ More than 10 years (6)

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marstat What is your marital status?

- ○ Married (1)
- ○ Separated (2)
- ○ Divorced (3)
- ○ Widowed (4)
- ○ Never married (5)
- ○ Domestic / civil partnership (6)

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attncheck_1 To show that you are paying attention, please just select the choice "Strongly oppose."

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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employ Which of the following best describes your current employment status?

- ○ Full-time (1)
- ○ Part-time (2)
- ○ Temporarily laid off (3)
- ○ Unemployed (4)
- ○ Retired (5)
- ○ Permanently disabled (6)
- ○ Homemaker (7)
- ○ Student (8)
- ○ Other (9)

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pew_churatd Aside from weddings and funerals, how often do you attend religious services?

- More than once a week (1)
- Once a week (2)
- Once or twice a month (3)
- A few times a year (4)
- Seldom (5)
- Never (6)
- Don't know (7)

End of Block: demos

Start of Block: local

affordable_housing Do you support or oppose your local government providing financial support for affordable housing within the community?

- Strongly support (1)
- Somewhat support (2)
- Neither support nor oppose (3)
- Somewhat oppose (4)
- Strongly oppose (5)

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rent_controls Do you support or oppose your local government imposing limits on how much landlords can raise their tenants' rent each year?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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pre_education Do you support or oppose your local government providing funding for preschool education?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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public_transit Do you support or oppose your local government providing funding for public transportation programs to assist the elderly, disabled people, students, and other people with low incomes?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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samesex_benefits Do you support or oppose your local government providing health benefits to the same-sex partners of city employees?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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landuse_limits Do you support or oppose your local government restricting the types of businesses within the town or city boundaries to preserve the environment, maintain the character of the community, and/or uphold community standards?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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aesthetic_impact Do you support or oppose your local government condemning privately owned property that is not maintained or represents a blight on the community?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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business_taxBreaks Do you support or oppose your local government providing tax breaks and subsidies to encourage the following to move to your community?

	Strongly support (1)	Somewhat support (2)	Neither support nor oppose (3)	Somewhat oppose (4)	Strongly oppose (5)
Retail businesses such as supermarkets, clothing stores, and department stores (1)	○	○	○	○	○
Light industries such as auto manufacturing, consumer electronics, and furniture manufacturing (2)	○	○	○	○	○
Heavy industries such as steel manufacturing, chemical engineering, and industrial machine manufacturing (3)	○	○	○	○	○

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increased_parking Do you support or oppose your local government taking steps to increase parking in your community's downtown or central business district?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)
- ○ My community does not have a downtown or business district (6)

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require_recycling Do you support or oppose your local government requiring residents to recycle aluminum cans and glass bottles?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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increase_localPolice Do you support or oppose your local government increasing the number of police on the street by 10 percent?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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employee_pension Many town and city governments contribute to the retirement pensions of municipal employees. These commitments can become quite expensive for communities, and possibly reduce revenues available for other purposes, such as transportation, public works, and health and safety. At the same time, many public employees depend on their pensions for retirement. Would you support or oppose reducing contributions to the retirement pensions of people employed by your local government?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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internet_access Do you support or oppose increasing local government spending to expand internet access to more people in your community?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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nimby Would you support or oppose your local government allowing the construction of new apartment buildings in your neighborhood?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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cut_socialServices Suppose your local government was running a budget deficit. One way to balance the budget would be to cut spending on local services such as libraries, parks and recreation, law enforcement, road maintenance, and trash collection. Would you support or oppose cutting spending on local services in order to balance the budget?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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deficit_taxes Suppose your local government was running a budget deficit. One way to balance the budget would be to raise local property taxes. Would you support or oppose raising local property taxes in order to balance the budget?

- Strongly support (1)
- Somewhat support (2)
- Neither support nor oppose (3)
- Somewhat oppose (4)
- Strongly oppose (5)

End of Block: local

Start of Block: national

affirmative_action Affirmative action programs give preference to racial minorities in employment and college admissions in order to correct for past discrimination. Do you support or oppose affirmative action?

- Strongly support (1)
- Somewhat support (2)
- Neither support nor oppose (3)
- Somewhat oppose (4)
- Strongly oppose (5)

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environ_policy Do you support or oppose giving the Environmental Protection Agency the power to regulate carbon dioxide emissions as a way to address climate change?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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gun_control Do you support or oppose federal legislation that would require background checks for all gun sales, including at gun shows and over the internet?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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immigration Do you support or oppose increasing spending on border security by $25 billion, including building a wall between the U.S. and Mexico?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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abortion Do you support or oppose prohibiting the expenditure of federal funds for any abortion except to save the life of a woman, or if the pregnancy arises from incest or rape?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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healthcare Do you support or oppose expanding Medicare to a single comprehensive public health care coverage program that would cover all Americans?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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cut_domestic_spend The federal budget deficit is approximately $2.2 trillion this year. One way to balance the budget would be to cut spending on domestic programs such as Medicare, Social Security, and federal aid to education. Would you support or oppose cutting spending on domestic programs in order to balance the budget?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

Page Break

cut_raise_taxes The federal budget deficit is approximately $2.2 trillion this year. One way to balance the budget would be to raise federal income taxes. Would you support or oppose raising federal income taxes in order to balance the budget?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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tariffs_china On the issue of trade, do you support or oppose new tariffs on $200 billion worth of goods imported from China?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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marijuana Do you support or oppose changing federal law to allow recreational use of marijuana throughout the United States?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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military Would you support or oppose the use of U.S. military troops to destroy a terrorist camp located in another country?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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environ_drill Do you support or oppose a ban on drilling for oil and other fossil fuels in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge (ANWR)?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

voterid Do you support or oppose requiring all voters to show government issued photo identification in order to vote?

- ○ Strongly support (1)
- ○ Somewhat support (2)
- ○ Neither support nor oppose (3)
- ○ Somewhat oppose (4)
- ○ Strongly oppose (5)

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End of Block: national

Start of Block: final

newsint Some people follow what's going on in government and public affairs most of the time, whether there's an election going on or not. Others aren't as interested. Would you say you follow what's going on in government and public affairs…

- Most of the time (1)
- Some of the time (2)
- Only now and then (3)
- Hardly at all (4)

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ideo5 In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

- ○ Very liberal (1)
- ○ Liberal (2)
- ○ Moderate (3)
- ○ Conservative (4)
- ○ Very conservative (5)
- ○ Not sure (6)

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votereg Are you registered to vote?

- ○ Yes (1)
- ○ No (2)
- ○ Not sure (3)

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prez2012 In the 2020 election for President, who did you vote for?

- ○ Joe Biden (Democrat) (1)
- ○ Donald Trump (Republican) (2)
- ○ A different candidate (3)
- ○ I did not vote in 2020 (4)

End of Block: final

Start of Block: attncheck_open

attncheck_2 What would you like to see elected leaders in Washington get done during the next few years? Please give as much detail as you can.

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End of Block: attncheck_open

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