

A Renewable America – Nevada Statewide/2nd Congressional District
Nov 13-16, 2014
750 RVs, 330 for 2nd Congressional District

1. Generally speaking, would you say things in the country are headed in the right direction, or are things seriously headed off on the wrong track?

	CD	TOTAL
1. Right Direction	35	36
2. Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	10	12
3. Wrong Track	55	52

Please tell me for each of the following whether you have a favorable or an unfavorable impression. (IF CHOICE IS MADE, ASK:) Would you say you have a strongly (FAVORABLE/UNFAVORABLE) impression or just a somewhat (FAVORABLE/UNFAVORABLE) impression? (ROTATE Q2-Q7 – Keep Q8 at end)

	NAME ID	TOTAL FAV	TOTAL UNFAV	No Opinion	
2. Republicans in Congress	CD	100	45	42	12
	TOTAL	100	41	46	12
3. Democrats in Congress	CD	100	40	53	7
	TOTAL	100	45	48	8
4. Renewable Energy	CD	98	74	13	11
	TOTAL	98	76	12	10
5. Your electricity provider	CD	100	74	13	13
	TOTAL	100	68	21	11
6. Alternative Energy	CD	98	71	17	10
	TOTAL	98	76	13	9
7. Renewable Energy, like wind and solar power	CD	100	82	14	4
	TOTAL	100	82	13	5

8. In thinking about the recent election, which of the following issues would you say was most important to you in deciding how to vote for Congress? (ROTATE)

	CD	TOTAL
1. Education	12	19
2. Social Security	4	5
3. Healthcare/Rx	10	9

4. Jobs and the Economy	22	24
5. Taxes	4	4
6. Environment	2	3
7. National Defense/Foreign Affairs/Terrorism	9	9
8. National Deficit/Spending	9	6
9. Energy	3	2
10. Immigration	13	10
11. Other	4	4
12. Don't know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	6	6

Which party do you have more confidence in to handle the issue of (ROTATE LIST BELOW), (ROTATE) the Republican Party or the Democratic Party?

		REP	DEM
9. The Economy	CD	52	37
	TOTAL	44	44
10. Energy and gas prices	CD	46	38
	TOTAL	41	44
11. Renewable energy	CD	40	50
	TOTAL	36	53

12. Do you think of energy as more of (ROTATE):

		CD	TOTAL
1.	An environmental issue	41	42
2.	An economic issue	44	40
3.	A security issue	10	12
4.	Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	5	6

I am going to read a series of potential goals for energy in the US. For each please tell me on a scale of 1-9 with 1 being not important at all, 5 being important and 9 being the most important, please tell me how important or not important each of the following goals should be for thinking about energy: (ROTATE Q13-18)

	MEAN CD	MEAN TOTAL
13. Finding new sources of oil and gas	6.64	6.84
14. Finding and utilizing coal resources	5.10	5.26
15. Expanding renewable energy	7.46	7.53
16. Finding ways to reduce carbon emissions	6.81	7.06
17. Working towards energy independence	8.01	8.04
18. Utilizing nuclear power	5.60	5.54

Now, I am going to read a series of statements. For each, tell me if you believe or do not believe the statement (ROTATE Q19-Q21)

19. It is possible for the United States to produce most of its energy from renewable resources in the next few decades.

	CD	TOTAL
1. Believe	76	81
2. Do not believe	22	18
3. Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	2	1

20. Renewable energy is a key part of an “all of the above” approach to energy that will ultimately reduce costs to consumers and make our country energy independent. We can pursue renewable energy along with other energy types and don’t have to choose one over the other.

	CD	TOTAL
1. Believe	83	82
2. Do not believe	15	15
3. Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	3	3

21. Renewable energy is ready and available now at prices consumers can afford.

	CD	TOTAL
1. Believe	38	40
2. Do not believe	58	58
3. Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	4	3

22. Which of the following comes closer to your point of view: Increasing the use of renewable energy sources like wind and solar power... (ROTATE)

	CD	TOTAL
1. Will create new jobs in my state	70	71
2. Will not affect jobs in my state	17	16
3. Will cost jobs in my state	8	9
4. Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	6	4

Now, I'm going to read a series of statements. For each, tell me if you agree or disagree with the statement (ROTATE Q23-Q24) (IF AGREE/DISAGREE ASK "Is that strongly agree/disagree or somewhat agree/disagree?")

23. Renewable energy is a key part of achieving energy independence in the US.

	CD	TOTAL
1. Strongly agree	56	58
2. Somewhat agree	27	27
3. Somewhat disagree	8	7
4. Strongly disagree	6	6
5. Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	2	2
TOTAL AGREE	84	85
TOTAL DISAGREE	14	13

24. Government incentives for consumers and businesses to adopt more renewable resources is important in helping America become energy independent and will help create jobs in my state.

	CD	TOTAL
1. Strongly agree	46	49
2. Somewhat agree	30	30
3. Somewhat disagree	10	9
4. Strongly disagree	11	10
5. Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	3	2
TOTAL AGREE	76	80
TOTAL DISAGREE	21	18

25. Please tell me which of the statements you agree with more (ROTATE):

	CD	TOTAL
1. Many great technologies, like the Internet, required government incentives for their initial development. Renewable energy is the way of the future and is no different in requiring government incentives for it to scale up.	41	46
2. Government can do some good things but it shouldn't be picking winners and losers in business. Government spending on renewable energy is unfair to competition and businesses and doesn't produce results.	50	46
3. Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	8	8

Now just a few demographic questions for statistical purposes only—

26. In what year were you born?

	CD	TOTAL
1. 18-34	27	26
2. 35-44	17	20
3. 45-54	15	15
4. 55-64	24	21
5. 65+	16	18
6. Refused (DO NOT READ)	1	1

27. Generally speaking, do you consider yourself (ROTATE) a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or something else?

	CD	TOTAL
1. Republican	33	28
2. Democrat	33	37
3. Independent	33	33
4. Other	1	1
5. Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	1	1

28. If you had to classify yourself, would you say you are (ROTATE) liberal, moderate, or conservative in your political beliefs?

	CD	TOTAL
1. Liberal	18	24
2. Moderate	42	41
3. Conservative	39	34
4. Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	1	1

29. Are there children in your household under the age of 18 years old?

	CD	TOTAL
1. Yes	28	34
2. No	71	66
3. Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	1	*

30. What is your current marital status?

	CD	TOTAL
1. Single, never married	27	25
2. Married	55	58
3. Separated	2	2
4. Divorced	10	10
5. Widowed	6	5
6. Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	1	1

31. What is the annual income of your household before taxes? Is it...

	CD	TOTAL
1. Less than 15K	7	6
2. 15K-30K	9	11
3. 30K-50K	26	19
4. 50K-75K	14	17
5. 75K-100K	11	13
6. Over 100K	21	22
7. Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	13	13

32. What is your race?

	CD	TOTAL
1. Hispanic	21	20
2. African-American	2	9
3. Asian	2	5
4. White	71	63
5. Other	2	2
6. Don't Know/Refused (DO NOT READ)	1	1

33. Do you consider yourself a part of the tea party movement?

	CD	TOTAL
1. Yes	14	12
2. No	81	86

Gender (by observation)

	CD	TOTAL
1. Male	46	47
2. Female	54	53