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 632 New York State Likely Voters Congressional District 24  
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Q1. Is the United States on the right track, or is it headed in the wrong direction?																			
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Tea Party		Region			Age		Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	Arcuri	Hanna	Fav	Unfav	Oneida/ Herkimer	Broome/Tioga/Tompkins /Otsego/Chenango	Cayuga/Cortland/ Ontario/Seneca	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other	
Right track	26%	47%	11%	23%	23%	29%	46%	7%	12%	42%	27%	25%	26%	22%	30%	25%	19%	41%	
Wrong direction	65%	41%	81%	71%	71%	59%	43%	88%	84%	47%	64%	66%	64%	67%	63%	66%	73%	50%	
Don't know/No opinion	9%	12%	7%	6%	6%	12%	11%	5%	4%	11%	9%	9%	10%	11%	7%	9%	8%	9%	
I'm going to read the names of several people and institutions in public life and I'd like for you to tell me whether you have a favorable opinion or an unfavorable opinion of each of the people or institutions I name.																			
Q2. Michael Arcuri																			
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Tea Party		Region			Age		Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	Arcuri	Hanna	Fav	Unfav	Oneida/ Herkimer	Broome/Tioga/Tompkins /Otsego/Chenango	Cayuga/Cortland/ Ontario/Seneca	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other	
Favorable	47%	67%	32%	46%	41%	54%	83%	11%	25%	68%	45%	48%	48%	40%	53%	48%	46%	49%	
Unfavorable	42%	23%	58%	42%	48%	36%	8%	80%	63%	26%	47%	39%	40%	49%	36%	43%	44%	40%	
Don't know/No opinion	11%	10%	10%	12%	11%	10%	9%	8%	12%	6%	8%	13%	12%	11%	10%	9%	10%	11%	
Q3. Richard Hanna																			
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Tea Party		Region			Age		Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	Arcuri	Hanna	Fav	Unfav	Oneida/ Herkimer	Broome/Tioga/Tompkins /Otsego/Chenango	Cayuga/Cortland/ Ontario/Seneca	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other	
Favorable	43%	23%	61%	43%	52%	35%	12%	80%	65%	24%	52%	36%	39%	49%	38%	45%	44%	40%	
Unfavorable	41%	61%	24%	41%	36%	46%	71%	10%	22%	63%	41%	41%	43%	39%	44%	43%	37%	46%	
Don't know/No opinion	15%	16%	15%	16%	12%	19%	16%	11%	12%	14%	7%	23%	18%	13%	18%	12%	20%	15%	
Q4. Barack Obama																			
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Tea Party		Region			Age		Religion			
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Favorable	47%	79%	21%	48%	41%	54%	74%	17%	18%	76%	42%	50%	50%	45%	49%	47%	38%	64%	
Unfavorable	49%	17%	76%	48%	56%	42%	22%	80%	79%	21%	52%	46%	49%	51%	48%	48%	59%	34%	
Don't know/No opinion	4%	4%	3%	4%	3%	5%	3%	3%	3%	3%	6%	4%	1%	4%	3%	5%	3%	2%	
Q5. Tea Party Movement																			
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Tea Party		Region			Age		Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	Arcuri	Hanna	Fav	Unfav	Oneida/ Herkimer	Broome/Tioga/Tompkins /Otsego/Chenango	Cayuga/Cortland/ Ontario/Seneca	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other	
Favorable	44%	18%	63%	46%	53%	34%	19%	70%			46%	44%	40%	48%	40%	44%	47%	35%	
Unfavorable	45%	71%	25%	42%	39%	51%	71%	19%			43%	43%	50%	42%	47%	44%	37%	62%	
Don't know/No opinion	12%	11%	12%	12%	8%	15%	10%	11%			11%	13%	9%	10%	13%	11%	16%	4%	

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Q6. Michael Arcuri is running for re-election to be a Member of Congress. As things stand now, would you vote to re-elect him or would you prefer someone else?																		
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Re-elect Arcuri	42%	66%	24%	40%	38%	46%	83%	5%	19%	65%	40%	43%	42%	37%	46%	42%	38%	49%
Prefer someone else	49%	23%	66%	53%	56%	41%	10%	92%	74%	28%	50%	50%	46%	56%	42%	48%	53%	44%
Don't know/No opinion	10%	12%	9%	7%	6%	13%	7%	3%	8%	8%	10%	7%	12%	7%	12%	10%	9%	8%

Q7. If the election for Member of Congress from the 24th Congressional District was held today, who would you vote for if the candidates were:																		
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Tea Party		Region			Age		Religion		
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Michael Arcuri on the Democratic line	48%	74%	24%	50%	42%	54%			20%	76%	45%	49%	51%	43%	52%	49%	41%	59%
Richard Hanna on the Republican line	43%	20%	65%	38%	49%	36%			69%	18%	47%	40%	40%	49%	37%	43%	50%	30%
Not voting	2%	0%	2%	5%	3%	2%			3%	1%	1%	3%	2%	3%	1%	1%	1%	4%
Don't know/No opinion	8%	6%	9%	7%	7%	8%			8%	5%	7%	8%	7%	5%	10%	7%	9%	7%

Q8. How likely would you say you are to vote for [CANDIDATE NAME]? Are you...																		
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Tea Party		Region			Age		Religion		
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Absolutely certain; there's no chance I will change my mind	55%	58%	56%	50%	63%	47%	56%	55%	58%	57%	66%	48%	47%	47%	63%	62%	51%	51%
Fairly certain; it's unlikely I will change my mind	33%	30%	34%	37%	28%	39%	31%	35%	29%	33%	26%	39%	37%	37%	30%	28%	37%	37%
Not very certain; I very well may change my mind	10%	11%	8%	11%	7%	12%	10%	9%	11%	8%	7%	9%	15%	14%	5%	9%	10%	10%
Not certain at all; there's a good chance I will change my mind	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Don't know/No opinion	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%

Q9. Regardless of who you support, which candidate do you think has been waging the more negative campaign?																		
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Richard Hanna	32%	46%	18%	35%	28%	35%	59%	5%	17%	49%	32%	32%	32%	28%	35%	34%	29%	34%
Both	13%	7%	15%	17%	16%	10%	11%	14%	15%	11%	14%	11%	13%	10%	15%	10%	16%	10%
Neither	1%	1%	0%	3%	1%	2%	2%	0%	1%	2%	1%	1%	3%	1%	2%	0%	2%	2%
Don't know/No opinion	23%	24%	25%	15%	22%	23%	19%	23%	23%	18%	16%	26%	28%	23%	22%	17%	23%	30%

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<b>Nature of the Sample</b>	
<b>Likely Voters</b>	
<b>Party</b>	
Democrat	34%
Republican	41%
Independent/Other	23%
<b>Region</b>	
Oneida/Herkimer	40%
Broome/Tioga/Tompkins/Otsego/ Chenango	35%
Cayuga/Cortland/Ontario/Seneca	25%
<b>Religion</b>	
Catholic	39%
Protestant	35%
Other	23%
<b>Age</b>	
Under 55	47%
55 and older	53%
<b>Gender</b>	
Male	51%
Female	49%