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Q1. Is the United States on the right track, or is it headed in the wrong direction?																			
	Party				Previous Cong Dist		Gender		Vote Choice			Region			Age		Religion		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	Other CD 2010	CD 25 2010	M	F	Maffei	Buerkle	Rozum	Syracuse	Rest of Onondaga	Cayuga/Wayne/Oswego	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other
Right track	48%	77%	24%	47%	48%	49%	41%	55%	84%	11%	65%	67%	48%	42%	48%	49%	47%	41%	67%
Wrong direction	46%	17%	71%	49%	47%	46%	53%	39%	12%	85%	29%	29%	46%	53%	47%	46%	49%	52%	26%
Don't know/No opinion	5%	6%	5%	4%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	4%	6%	3%	6%	6%	5%	6%	4%	6%	7%

I'm going to read the names of several people 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 I name.

Q2. Dan Maffei																			
	Party				Previous Cong Dist		Gender		Vote Choice			Region			Age		Religion		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	Other CD 2010	CD 25 2010	M	F	Maffei	Buerkle	Rozum	Syracuse	Rest of Onondaga	Cayuga/Wayne/Oswego	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other
Favorable	46%	74%	22%	42%	44%	46%	40%	51%	94%	4%	25%	62%	46%	40%	45%	46%	43%	39%	67%
Unfavorable	50%	21%	74%	54%	49%	50%	57%	44%	4%	92%	73%	37%	52%	52%	50%	50%	53%	57%	30%
Don't know/No opinion	4%	4%	4%	4%	6%	4%	3%	5%	2%	4%	2%	2%	2%	8%	5%	3%	4%	4%	3%

Q3. Ann Marie Buerkle																			
	Party				Previous Cong Dist		Gender		Vote Choice			Region			Age		Religion		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	Other CD 2010	CD 25 2010	M	F	Maffei	Buerkle	Rozum	Syracuse	Rest of Onondaga	Cayuga/Wayne/Oswego	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other
Favorable	45%	18%	73%	45%	38%	47%	51%	40%	5%	95%	9%	32%	47%	48%	44%	46%	49%	53%	21%
Unfavorable	52%	79%	25%	54%	59%	50%	47%	57%	93%	3%	91%	66%	52%	47%	53%	52%	48%	44%	77%
Don't know/No opinion	3%	3%	2%	1%	4%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	0%	2%	1%	5%	3%	2%	3%	3%	1%

Q4. Ursula Rozum																			
	Party				Previous Cong Dist		Gender		Vote Choice			Region			Age		Religion		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	Other CD 2010	CD 25 2010	M	F	Maffei	Buerkle	Rozum	Syracuse	Rest of Onondaga	Cayuga/Wayne/Oswego	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other
Favorable	23%	29%	17%	25%	15%	26%	25%	22%	30%	11%	63%	37%	28%	11%	20%	26%	24%	18%	36%
Unfavorable	24%	21%	30%	23%	22%	24%	26%	22%	21%	29%	10%	28%	24%	22%	26%	23%	26%	25%	17%
Don't know/No opinion	53%	51%	54%	52%	63%	50%	49%	56%	49%	60%	26%	34%	48%	68%	54%	51%	50%	57%	47%

Q5. Barack Obama																			
	Party				Previous Cong Dist		Gender		Vote Choice			Region			Age		Religion		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	Other CD 2010	CD 25 2010	M	F	Maffei	Buerkle	Rozum	Syracuse	Rest of Onondaga	Cayuga/Wayne/Oswego	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other
Favorable	56%	89%	26%	54%	58%	55%	48%	62%	94%	13%	78%	73%	55%	50%	56%	55%	53%	47%	79%
Unfavorable	43%	11%	74%	43%	42%	44%	51%	36%	5%	86%	18%	27%	44%	48%	43%	44%	45%	52%	21%
Don't know/No opinion	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	5%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	0%

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Q6. Mitt Romney																				
	Party				Previous Cong Dist		Gender		Vote Choice			Region			Age		Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Other CD 2010	CD 25 2010	M	F	Maffei	Buerkle	Rozum	Syracuse	Rest of Onondaga	Cayuga/Wayne/ Oswego	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other	
Favorable	44%	13%	75%	43%	43%	44%	51%	37%	6%	87%	26%	32%	44%	49%	41%	47%	47%	52%	23%	
Unfavorable	55%	85%	25%	55%	57%	54%	48%	61%	93%	13%	71%	68%	55%	49%	58%	52%	52%	47%	76%	
Don't know/No opinion	1%	2%	0%	2%	0%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	
Q7. Andrew Cuomo																				
	Party				Previous Cong Dist		Gender		Vote Choice			Region			Age		Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Other CD 2010	CD 25 2010	M	F	Maffei	Buerkle	Rozum	Syracuse	Rest of Onondaga	Cayuga/Wayne/ Oswego	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other	
Favorable	72%	84%	60%	72%	69%	73%	69%	74%	87%	55%	81%	76%	74%	66%	67%	76%	74%	66%	78%	
Unfavorable	23%	13%	34%	21%	25%	22%	26%	20%	10%	37%	15%	21%	21%	27%	27%	20%	23%	27%	15%	
Don't know/No opinion	5%	3%	6%	7%	6%	5%	5%	6%	2%	7%	4%	3%	5%	6%	6%	5%	3%	7%	6%	
Q8. If the 2012 election for President were held today, who would you vote for if the candidates were:																				
	Party				Previous Cong Dist		Gender		Vote Choice			Region			Age		Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Other CD 2010	CD 25 2010	M	F	Maffei	Buerkle	Rozum	Syracuse	Rest of Onondaga	Cayuga/Wayne/ Oswego	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other	
Barack Obama on the Democratic line	53%	88%	22%	50%	54%	52%	44%	61%	94%	10%	65%	69%	53%	46%	54%	52%	51%	43%	75%	
Mitt Romney on the Republican line	42%	10%	74%	42%	42%	43%	50%	36%	3%	86%	24%	27%	43%	48%	41%	43%	45%	51%	21%	
Someone else	1%	0%	1%	3%	1%	2%	3%	0%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%	3%	
Don't know/No opinion	3%	1%	2%	5%	3%	4%	4%	3%	1%	3%	9%	3%	3%	5%	3%	4%	3%	4%	1%	
Q9. Ann Marie Buerkle is running for re-election to be a Member of Congress. As things stand now, would you vote to re-elect her or would you prefer someone else?																				
	Party				Previous Cong Dist		Gender		Vote Choice			Region			Age		Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Other CD 2010	CD 25 2010	M	F	Maffei	Buerkle	Rozum	Syracuse	Rest of Onondaga	Cayuga/Wayne/ Oswego	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other	
Re-elect Buerkle	44%	18%	71%	44%	39%	45%	51%	38%	3%	94%	6%	32%	44%	48%	42%	46%	49%	50%	21%	
Prefer someone else	54%	81%	28%	54%	60%	52%	47%	61%	96%	4%	94%	68%	53%	49%	55%	53%	50%	47%	77%	
Don't know/No opinion	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	0%	0%	2%	3%	3%	1%	1%	3%	1%	
Q10. 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				Previous Cong Dist		Gender		Vote Choice			Region			Age		Religion			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Other CD 2010	CD 25 2010	M	F				Syracuse	Rest of Onondaga	Cayuga/Wayne/ Oswego	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other	
Dan Maffei on the Democratic line	44%	76%	19%	40%	43%	44%	39%	49%				60%	44%	37%	44%	44%	43%	35%	64%	
Ann Marie Buerkle on the Republican line	44%	13%	76%	43%	41%	45%	52%	37%				26%	46%	49%	44%	45%	48%	53%	21%	
Ursula Rozum on the Green Party line	8%	7%	4%	13%	11%	7%	7%	9%				11%	7%	9%	8%	8%	8%	8%	12%	
Not voting	1%	0%	0%	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%				1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	
Don't know/No opinion	3%	3%	1%	2%	4%	2%	2%	4%				2%	2%	5%	3%	2%	2%	4%	2%	

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Q11. How likely would you say you are to vote for [CANDIDATE NAME]? Are you...																			
	Party				Previous Cong Dist		Gender		Vote Choice			Region			Age		Religion		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Other CD 2010	CD 25 2010	M	F	Maffei	Buerkle	Rozum	Syracuse	Rest of Onondaga	Cayuga/Wayne/ Oswego	Under 55	55 and older	Cath	Prot	Other
Absolutely certain; there's no chance I will change my mind	76%	76%	82%	69%	69%	77%	78%	73%	78%	81%	33%	82%	77%	71%	71%	79%	77%	75%	72%
Fairly certain; it's unlikely I will change my mind	19%	18%	15%	24%	24%	18%	18%	20%	20%	16%	29%	9%	20%	22%	22%	16%	18%	18%	22%
Not very certain; I very well may change my mind	4%	4%	2%	5%	4%	4%	2%	6%	2%	2%	24%	5%	3%	5%	5%	3%	3%	4%	5%
Not certain at all; there's a good chance I will change my mind	2%	2%	1%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%	0%	1%	14%	4%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%
Don't know/No opinion	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Q12. Regardless of who you support, which candidate do you think has been waging the more negative campaign?																			
	Party				Previous Cong Dist		Gender		Vote Choice			Region			Age		Religion		
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Dan Maffei	41%	21%	61%	42%	39%	42%	46%	37%	9%	79%	23%	30%	44%	42%	41%	41%	44%	49%	22%
Ann Marie Buerkle	30%	49%	16%	26%	30%	30%	27%	34%	55%	4%	38%	45%	28%	28%	31%	30%	33%	22%	41%
Vol: Both	20%	21%	14%	25%	19%	20%	20%	19%	27%	9%	34%	17%	22%	16%	17%	21%	17%	20%	25%
Vol: Neither	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Don't know/No opinion	8%	8%	7%	7%	10%	7%	6%	10%	8%	7%	5%	8%	5%	12%	10%	6%	6%	8%	11%

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<b>Nature of the Sample</b>	
<b>New York State Likely Voters Congressional District 24</b>	
<b>Party</b>	
Democrat	32%
Republican	35%
Independent/Other	31%
<b>Previous Cong Dist</b>	
Other CD in 2010	20%
CD 25 in 2010	80%
<b>Region</b>	
Syracuse	14%
Rest of Onondaga	53%
Cayuga/Watne/Oswego	33%
<b>Religion</b>	
Catholic	45%
Protestant	35%
Other	17%
<b>Age</b>	
Under 55	43%
55 and older	57%
<b>Gender</b>	
Male	48%
Female	52%