

Siena College Research Institute
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 476 Likely Voter New York State District 55
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Q1. Is New York State on the right track, or is it headed in the wrong direction?																		
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Political View			Region		Previous Senate Dist		Age		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	O'Brien	Hanna	Lib	Mod	Conserv	North	South	SD 55 2010	Other SD 2010	Under 55	55 and older	
Right track	63%	77%	43%	68%	63%	63%	84%	41%	87%	71%	35%	65%	61%	62%	67%	61%	65%	
Wrong direction	30%	16%	51%	27%	30%	30%	10%	54%	4%	23%	59%	28%	33%	32%	25%	34%	27%	
Don't know/No opinion	7%	7%	6%	5%	6%	7%	6%	6%	9%	5%	6%	8%	6%	6%	8%	4%	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 and institutions I name.																		
Q2. Andrew Cuomo																		
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Political View			Region		Previous Senate Dist		Age		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	O'Brien	Hanna	Lib	Mod	Conserv	North	South	SD 55 2010	Other SD 2010	Under 55	55 and older	
Favorable	80%	88%	66%	88%	79%	81%	89%	67%	90%	86%	64%	81%	79%	80%	82%	76%	83%	
Unfavorable	17%	10%	30%	10%	18%	16%	10%	29%	9%	12%	31%	16%	18%	17%	16%	22%	13%	
Don't know/No opinion	3%	2%	4%	1%	3%	3%	1%	4%	1%	2%	5%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	
Q3. Barack Obama																		
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Political View			Region		Previous Senate Dist		Age		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	O'Brien	Hanna	Lib	Mod	Conserv	North	South	SD 55 2010	Other SD 2010	Under 55	55 and older	
Favorable	59%	88%	25%	58%	53%	64%	93%	14%	97%	69%	18%	66%	52%	56%	70%	61%	57%	
Unfavorable	40%	11%	75%	40%	47%	35%	6%	84%	3%	30%	82%	34%	47%	44%	29%	38%	42%	
Don't know/No opinion	1%	0%	0%	2%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	
Q4. Mitt Romney																		
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Political View			Region		Previous Senate Dist		Age		
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	O'Brien	Hanna	Lib	Mod	Conserv	North	South	SD 55 2010	Other SD 2010	Under 55	55 and older	
Favorable	44%	16%	76%	47%	49%	39%	12%	87%	4%	35%	86%	38%	50%	47%	34%	44%	43%	
Unfavorable	55%	83%	22%	51%	49%	60%	88%	11%	96%	63%	14%	61%	48%	53%	62%	54%	55%	
Don't know/No opinion	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%	2%	1%	4%	1%	1%	

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Q5. Sean Hanna																	
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Political View			Region		Previous Senate Dist		Age	
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	O'Brien	Hanna	Lib	Mod	Conserv	North	South	SD 55 2010	Other SD 2010	Under 55	55 and older
Favorable	34%	19%	56%	33%	41%	28%	7%	78%	9%	25%	66%	30%	39%	36%	29%	26%	40%
Unfavorable	47%	62%	30%	50%	46%	48%	75%	10%	81%	52%	19%	50%	44%	47%	50%	50%	46%
Don't know/No opinion	18%	19%	15%	17%	13%	23%	19%	13%	9%	23%	15%	19%	17%	17%	21%	24%	14%
Q6. Ted O'Brien																	
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Political View			Region		Previous Senate Dist		Age	
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	O'Brien	Hanna	Lib	Mod	Conserv	North	South	SD 55 2010	Other SD 2010	Under 55	55 and older
Favorable	39%	54%	26%	38%	41%	38%	68%	11%	63%	43%	20%	43%	36%	37%	47%	39%	40%
Unfavorable	35%	23%	48%	36%	38%	32%	11%	62%	18%	34%	49%	31%	39%	37%	28%	34%	35%
Don't know/No opinion	26%	23%	26%	26%	21%	30%	21%	27%	19%	24%	31%	26%	25%	26%	25%	27%	25%
Q7. New York State Senate																	
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Political View			Region		Previous Senate Dist		Age	
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	O'Brien	Hanna	Lib	Mod	Conserv	North	South	SD 55 2010	Other SD 2010	Under 55	55 and older
Favorable	37%	42%	30%	38%	32%	41%	41%	32%	38%	37%	37%	39%	35%	33%	48%	39%	35%
Unfavorable	53%	45%	61%	55%	59%	47%	49%	58%	50%	53%	55%	51%	55%	56%	42%	53%	53%
Don't know/No opinion	11%	13%	9%	7%	9%	12%	10%	9%	12%	10%	9%	10%	11%	11%	10%	8%	12%
Q8. If the 2012 election for President were held today, who would you vote for if the candidates were:																	
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Political View			Region		Previous Senate Dist		Age	
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	M	F	O'Brien	Hanna	Lib	Mod	Conserv	North	South	SD 55 2010	Other SD 2010	Under 55	55 and older
Barack Obama on the Democratic line	56%	86%	21%	54%	49%	62%	90%	11%	97%	65%	13%	61%	50%	53%	64%	58%	54%
Mitt Romney on the Republican line	41%	11%	75%	44%	46%	36%	8%	85%	2%	30%	84%	34%	48%	44%	31%	39%	42%
Someone else	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	0%	2%	1%	2%	0%	1%	2%	3%	0%
Don't know/No opinion	2%	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	0%	4%

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Q9. If the election for State Senator was held today, who would you vote for if the candidates were:																	
	Party				Gender		Political View			Region		Previous Senate Dist		Age			
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	Lib	Mod	Conserv	North	South	SD 55 2010	Other SD 2010	Under 55	55 and older		
Ted O'Brien on the Democratic line	50%	76%	21%	51%	46%	55%	91%	57%	12%	59%	41%	48%	59%	56%	46%		
Sean Hanna on the Republican line	39%	14%	71%	39%	44%	34%	5%	30%	78%	33%	45%	42%	30%	32%	44%		
Not voting	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%		
Don't know/No opinion	9%	8%	7%	8%	8%	10%	2%	11%	10%	5%	13%	9%	9%	11%	7%		

Q10. How likely would you say you are to vote for [CANDIDATE NAME]? Are you...																	
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Political View			Region		Previous Senate Dist		Age	
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	O'Brien	Hanna	Lib	Mod	Conserv	North	South	SD 55 2010	Other SD 2010	Under 55	55 and older
Absolutely certain; there's no chance I will change my mind	62%	65%	59%	63%	70%	55%	62%	62%	69%	56%	64%	65%	59%	61%	66%	55%	67%
Fairly certain; it's unlikely I will change my mind	25%	24%	28%	22%	22%	29%	26%	25%	22%	28%	25%	23%	28%	27%	21%	30%	22%
Not very certain; I very well may change my mind	9%	8%	8%	11%	6%	12%	8%	11%	5%	12%	8%	8%	10%	8%	11%	11%	8%
Not certain at all; there's a good chance I will change my mind	3%	3%	4%	4%	2%	5%	4%	2%	4%	3%	3%	5%	2%	4%	3%	3%	4%
Don't know/No opinion	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%

Q11. Regardless of who you support, which candidate do you think has been waging the more negative campaign?																	
	Party				Gender		Vote Choice		Political View			Region		Previous Senate Dist		Age	
	Total	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	M	F	O'Brien	Hanna	Lib	Mod	Conserv	North	South	SD 55 2010	Other SD 2010	Under 55	55 and older
Ted O'Brien	23%	12%	35%	26%	23%	23%	5%	50%	8%	21%	37%	18%	28%	24%	19%	19%	26%
Sean Hanna	42%	57%	26%	38%	41%	42%	65%	14%	59%	48%	22%	46%	37%	39%	50%	45%	39%
Vol: Both	15%	14%	17%	16%	17%	14%	14%	15%	13%	17%	14%	17%	14%	17%	11%	14%	16%
Vol: Neither	1%	0%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Don't know/No opinion	19%	16%	21%	18%	19%	19%	15%	20%	20%	12%	25%	17%	21%	19%	20%	20%	18%

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Nature of the Sample	
New York State Likely Voters State Senate District 55	
Party	
Democrat	40%
Republican	34%
Independent/Other	24%
Political View	
Liberal	23%
Moderate	43%
Conservative	32%
Previous Senate District	
SD 55 in 2010	77%
Other SD in 2010	23%
Region	
North: Irondequoit/Penfield/Rochester	51%
South: East Rochester/Mendon/ Perinton/Pittsford/Rush/Ontario County	49%
Age	
Under 55	43%
55 and older	57%
Gender	
Male	48%
Female	52%