

Siena College Research Institute/New York Times Upshot  
 September 26 - October 1, 2018  
 500 Virginia CD02 Likely Voters  
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I'm going to read a few names of people in public life and I'd like you to tell me whether you have a favorable opinion or an unfavorable opinion of each person. [Q1-Q2 ROTATED]													
Q1. Elaine Luria													
		Gender		Age			Party			Education		Region	
	Total	M	F	18-44	45-64	65+	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Less than Bach degree	Bach degree or higher	Virginia Beach	Rest
Favorable	36%	33%	38%	32%	35%	39%	69%	13%	32%	30%	43%	37%	34%
Unfavorable	31%	33%	29%	29%	30%	33%	4%	55%	30%	33%	29%	30%	32%
Don't know	33%	34%	33%	40%	34%	28%	27%	32%	38%	37%	29%	33%	34%
Q2. Scott Taylor													
		Gender		Age			Party			Education		Region	
	Total	M	F	18-44	45-64	65+	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Less than Bach degree	Bach degree or higher	Virginia Beach	Rest
Favorable	51%	60%	44%	49%	55%	49%	17%	84%	55%	52%	51%	52%	49%
Unfavorable	33%	26%	41%	28%	31%	42%	64%	9%	29%	32%	36%	33%	35%
Don't know	17%	14%	16%	23%	14%	10%	19%	7%	15%	16%	12%	14%	16%
Q3. If the general election for a Member of Congress from the 2nd Congressional District of Virginia was being held today who would you vote for if the candidates were: [CHOICES ROTATED]													
		Gender		Age			Party			Education		Region	
	Total	M	F	18-44	45-64	65+	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Less than Bach degree	Bach degree or higher	Virginia Beach	Rest
Elaine Luria, the Democrat	41%	32%	49%	36%	41%	46%	91%	10%	32%	39%	44%	42%	40%
Scott Taylor, the Republican	49%	58%	41%	50%	50%	46%	7%	87%	50%	50%	47%	50%	46%
Undecided	10%	10%	11%	14%	9%	8%	2%	3%	18%	11%	9%	8%	14%
Q4. Currently, the Republicans have a majority in the United States House of Representatives. Every seat is up for election in November. After the election, who would you like to see control the House of Representatives: [CHOICES ROTATED]													
		Gender		Age			Party			Education		Region	
	Total	M	F	18-44	45-64	65+	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Less than Bach degree	Bach degree or higher	Virginia Beach	Rest
The Democrats	42%	34%	48%	44%	40%	41%	96%	5%	34%	40%	44%	43%	39%
The Republicans	49%	55%	43%	47%	50%	48%	2%	93%	48%	51%	47%	48%	50%
Don't know	10%	10%	9%	9%	9%	11%	2%	2%	18%	9%	10%	9%	11%
Q5. Do you approve or disapprove of the job that Donald Trump is doing as President?													
		Gender		Age			Party			Education		Region	
	Total	M	F	18-44	45-64	65+	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Less than Bach degree	Bach degree or higher	Virginia Beach	Rest
Approve	44%	51%	37%	38%	46%	45%	2%	83%	44%	47%	40%	43%	45%
Disapprove	48%	39%	55%	49%	47%	47%	91%	12%	46%	44%	52%	50%	44%
Don't know	9%	10%	8%	13%	7%	7%	8%	6%	10%	9%	7%	7%	11%

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**For each of these positions, tell me whether you strongly support the position, somewhat support it, somewhat oppose it or strongly oppose the position. [Q6-Q7 ROTATED]**

<b>Q6. Brett Kavanaugh's nomination to the United States Supreme Court</b>													
	Gender			Age			Party			Education		Region	
	Total	M	F	18-44	45-64	65+	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Less than Bach degree	Bach degree or higher	Virginia Beach	Rest
<b>Strongly support</b>	36%	45%	28%	14%	46%	41%	7%	65%	38%	37%	36%	33%	41%
<b>Somewhat support</b>	10%	13%	7%	14%	10%	6%	4%	13%	11%	6%	14%	9%	10%
<b>Somewhat oppose</b>	14%	12%	15%	27%	8%	10%	22%	3%	15%	15%	12%	14%	13%
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	31%	21%	40%	30%	29%	35%	62%	7%	26%	30%	31%	34%	25%
<b>Don't know</b>	10%	9%	10%	16%	6%	9%	4%	12%	10%	12%	6%	9%	11%

<b>Q7. Electing more people that describe themselves as feminists to public office.</b>													
	Gender			Age			Party			Education		Region	
	Total	M	F	18-44	45-64	65+	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Less than Bach degree	Bach degree or higher	Virginia Beach	Rest
<b>Strongly support</b>	18%	14%	22%	27%	16%	14%	43%	6%	10%	14%	22%	20%	15%
<b>Somewhat support</b>	28%	29%	26%	24%	27%	31%	32%	13%	34%	27%	28%	27%	28%
<b>Somewhat oppose</b>	23%	29%	17%	25%	27%	16%	6%	37%	26%	21%	26%	25%	18%
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	15%	14%	16%	14%	15%	15%	5%	26%	15%	15%	15%	14%	16%
<b>Don't know</b>	17%	14%	19%	10%	15%	24%	14%	18%	16%	22%	9%	14%	22%

**For each of the following statements, tell me whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree.**

<b>Q8. It is important to elect more women to public office</b>													
	Gender			Age			Party			Education		Region	
	Total	M	F	18-44	45-64	65+	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Less than Bach degree	Bach degree or higher	Virginia Beach	Rest
<b>Strongly agree</b>	45%	32%	56%	55%	40%	43%	81%	25%	35%	42%	48%	43%	48%
<b>Somewhat agree</b>	29%	37%	23%	20%	33%	33%	16%	40%	32%	33%	25%	31%	27%
<b>Somewhat disagree</b>	12%	17%	8%	17%	7%	14%	2%	14%	18%	13%	11%	12%	11%
<b>Strongly disagree</b>	4%	5%	3%	3%	6%	3%	0%	7%	6%	3%	5%	5%	3%
<b>Don't know</b>	10%	10%	10%	6%	15%	7%	1%	15%	10%	8%	11%	9%	11%

<b>Q9. How concerned are you that you, your family or other people that you know will suffer due to the effect climate change may have on the area where you live? Are you...</b>													
	Gender			Age			Party			Education		Region	
	Total	M	F	18-44	45-64	65+	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Other	Less than Bach degree	Bach degree or higher	Virginia Beach	Rest
<b>Very concerned</b>	37%	30%	43%	29%	39%	40%	71%	12%	34%	35%	40%	38%	35%
<b>Somewhat concerned</b>	26%	24%	28%	35%	23%	23%	17%	33%	26%	30%	23%	27%	25%
<b>Not very concerned</b>	16%	19%	14%	16%	17%	15%	5%	23%	18%	16%	16%	15%	18%
<b>Not at all concerned</b>	20%	27%	14%	19%	20%	20%	5%	31%	21%	19%	21%	18%	21%
<b>Don't know/Refused</b>	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%

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Q10. As you think about your member of Congress, would you prefer your representative: [CHOICES ROTATED]													
		Gender		Age			Party			Education		Region	
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Support President Trump and his agenda	42%	49%	36%	37%	45%	42%	3%	81%	41%	48%	36%	42%	42%
Serve as a check on President Trump and his agenda	48%	41%	54%	54%	44%	49%	92%	14%	46%	45%	53%	49%	47%
Don't know	10%	10%	10%	9%	11%	9%	5%	5%	13%	7%	11%	9%	11%
Q11. As you may know, Supreme Court nominee Brett Kavanaugh has been accused of committing sexual assault as a teenager. Would you say: [CHOICES ROTATED]													
		Gender		Age			Party			Education		Region	
	Total	M	F	18-44	45-64	65+	Dem	Rep	Ind/Other	Less than Bach degree	Bach degree or higher	Virginia Beach	Rest
You believe the allegations	28%	22%	32%	18%	29%	32%	64%	11%	24%	24%	30%	28%	26%
You do not believe the allegations	34%	33%	35%	21%	36%	40%	0%	53%	36%	34%	35%	35%	31%
You simply are unable to come to a conclusion	38%	45%	33%	61%	34%	28%	36%	37%	40%	42%	35%	36%	43%

Nature of the Sample	
Virginia CD02 Likely Voters	
Gender	
Male	47%
Female	53%
Age	
18 to 44	25%
45 to 64	41%
65 and older	33%
Party Identification	
Democrat	27%
Republican	29%
Independent/Other	42%
Education	
Less than Bachelor's degree	52%
Bachelor's degree or higher	46%
Region	
Virginia Beach	60%
Rest of Region	40%