

June 2016 Beatty Texas Statewide Poll Toplines and Cross Tabs

Trump Faces Skeptical Texas Electorate Concerned About Honesty and Corruption

998 responses were collected by live telephone calls from a random sample of Texas voters, balanced to the likely 2016 General Election turnout on June 13 and 14, 2016. The poll has a margin of error of 3.1%. The poll was conducted by Leland Beatty, an Austin-based market research consultant with extensive experience polling Texas voters.

Toplines

Q1: Generally Speaking, do you usually vote for Republicans or Democrats?	Count	Share
1 Republicans	443	44.4%
2 Democrats	278	27.9%
3 Depends / Unsure	277	27.8%
Total	998	100.0%

Q2: In this year's presidential election, do you support	Count	Share
1 Republican Donald Trump	367	36.8%
2 Democrat Hillary Clinton	296	29.7%
3 Libertarian Gary Johnson	26	2.6%
4 Unsure / Someone Else	309	31.0%
Total	998	100.0%

Q3: (For Trump Supporters) Do you think you might	Count	Share
1 Vote a straight Republican ticket	232	63.2%
2 Vote for some Democrats	27	7.4%
3 Unsure / Don't Know	108	29.4%
Total	367	100.0%

Q4: (For Trump Supporters) If you learned that former President George H. W. Bush and his sons, former President George W. Bush and former Florida Governor Jeb Bush, had all said they would not vote for Donald Trump this fall, would you be most likely to:	Count	Share
1 Feel stronger support for Trump	99	27.0%
2 Have some doubts about Trump	28	7.6%
3 Make no difference at all	236	64.3%
4 Unsure	4	1.1%
Total	367	100.0%

Q5: (For Clinton Supporters) Do you think you might	Count
1 Vote a straight Democratic ticket	173
2 Vote for some Republicans	57
3 Unsure / Don't know	66
Total	296

Q6: (For Clinton Supporters) Which of the following issues is most important to you:	Count
1 The economy and jobs	150
2 Immigration	9
3 Social issues like abortion and gender issues	34
4 Honesty and integrity of the candidates	56
5 Something else	32
6 Unsure / Don't know	15
Total	296

Q7: (For Johnson Supporters) Do you think you might	Count
1 Vote a straight Libertarian ticket	0
2 Vote for some Democrats	3
3 Vote for some Republicans	7
4 Vote for both Democrats and Republicans / Unsure	16
Total	26

Q8: (For Johnson Supporters) Would you say your support for Libertarians is mostly	Count
1 A protest vote	11
2 Inspired by Libertarian principles	10
3 Unsure / Don't know	5
Total	26

Q9: (For Undecideds) Which of the following issues is most important to you	Count
1 The economy and jobs	76
2 Immigration	22
3 Social issues like abortion and gender issues	27
4 Honesty and integrity of the candidates	105
5 Something else	59
6 Unsure / Don't know	20
Total	309

Q10: (For Undecideds) Who do you believe was the better president	Count	Share
1 Bill Clinton	80	25.9%
2 George W. Bush	159	51.5%
3 Unsure / Don't Know	70	22.7%
Total	309	100.0%

Q11: The last question is about corruption in Texas government. As you may know, the Texas Attorney General has been indicted for fraud, the Agriculture Commissioner is currently under investigation by the Texas Rangers, and a number of state office holders	Count	Share
1 Widespread	455	45.6%
2 A problem, but not widespread	308	30.9%
3 Not really a problem	105	10.5%
4 Unsure / Don't know	130	13.0%
Total	998	100.0%

Q12: Observed Gender	Count	Share
1 Male	374	37.5%
2 Female	607	60.8%
3 Unsure	17	1.7%
Total	998	100.0%

Selected Crosstabs

	Q1: Generally Speaking, do you usually vote for Republicans or Democrats?			
	1 Republicans	2 Democrats	3 Depends / Unsure	Total
Q2: In this year's presidential election, do you support				
1 Republican Donald Trump	319	5	43	367
2 Democrat Hillary Clinton	17	226	53	296
3 Libertarian Gary Johnson	4	1	21	26
4 Unsure / Someone Else	103	46	160	309
Total	443	278	277	998

	Q1: Generally Speaking, do you usually vote for Republicans or Democrats?			
	1 Republicans	2 Democrats	3 Depends / Unsure	Total
Q3: (For Trump Supporters) Do you think you might				
0	124	273	234	631
1 Vote a straight Republican ticket	214	0	18	232
2 Vote for some Democrats	17	4	6	27
3 Unsure / Don't Know	88	1	19	108
Total	443	278	277	998

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Q4: (For Trump Supporters) If you learned that former President George H. W. Bush and his sons, former President George W. Bush and former Florida Governor Jeb Bush, had all said they would not vote for Donald Trump this fall, would you be most likely to:	1 Republicans	2 Democrats	3 Depends / Unsure	Total
0	124	273	234	631
1 Feel stronger support for Trump	83	4	12	99
2 Have some doubts about Trump	27	1	0	28
3 Make no difference at all	205	0	31	236
4 Unsure	4	0	0	4
Total	443	278	277	998

	Q1: Generally Speaking, do you usually vote for Republicans or Democrats?			
Q5: (For Clinton Supporters) Do you think you might	1 Republicans	2 Democrats	3 Depends / Unsure	Total
0	426	52	224	702
1 Vote a straight Democratic ticket	1	164	8	173
2 Vote for some Republicans	7	26	24	57
3 Unsure / Don't know	9	36	21	66
Total	443	278	277	998

	Q1: Generally Speaking, do you usually vote for Republicans or Democrats?			
Q6: (For Clinton Supporters) Which of the following issues is most important to you:	1 Republicans	2 Democrats	3 Depends / Unsure	Total
0	426	52	224	702
1 The economy and jobs	11	116	23	150
2 Immigration	0	9	0	9
3 Social issues like abortion and gender issues	1	29	4	34
4 Honesty and integrity of the candidates	2	37	17	56
5 Something else	1	23	8	32
6 Unsure / Don't know	2	12	1	15
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Q7: (For Johnson Supporters) Do you think you might	1 Republicans	2 Democrats	3 Depends / Unsure	Total
0	439	277	256	972
1 Vote a straight Libertarian ticket	0	0	0	0
2 Vote for some Democrats	1	0	2	3
3 Vote for some Republicans	2	0	5	7
4 Vote for both Democrats and Republicans / Unsure	1	1	14	16
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Q8: (For Johnson Supporters) Would you say your support for Libertarians is mostly	1 Republicans	2 Democrats	3 Depends / Unsure	Total
0	439	277	256	972
1 A protest vote	3	0	8	11
2 Inspired by Libertarian principles	0	0	10	10
3 Unsure / Don't know	1	1	3	5
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	Q1: Generally Speaking, do you usually vote for Republicans or Democrats?			
Q9: (For Undecideds) Which of the following issues is most important to you	1 Republicans	2 Democrats	3 Depends / Unsure	Total
0	340	232	117	689
1 The economy and jobs	25	3	48	76
2 Immigration	12	1	9	22
3 Social issues like abortion and gender issues	10	7	10	27
4 Honesty and integrity of the candidates	40	19	46	105
5 Something else	14	13	32	59
6 Unsure / Don't know	2	3	15	20
Total	443	278	277	998

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Q10: (For Undecideds) Who do you believe was the better president	1 Republicans	2 Democrats	3 Depends / Unsure	Total
0	340	232	117	689
1 Bill Clinton	1	24	55	80
2 George W. Bush	89	6	64	159
3 Unsure / Don't Know	13	16	41	70
Total	443	278	277	998

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1 Widespread	151	149	155	455
2 A problem, but not widespread	159	86	63	308
3 Not really a problem	61	15	29	105
4 Unsure / Don't know	72	28	30	130
Total	443	278	277	998

Undecided Responders

	Q2: In this year's presidential election, do you support	
	4 Unsure / Someone Else	
Q9: (For Undecideds) Which of the following issues is most important to you	Count	Share
1 The economy and jobs	76	24.6%
2 Immigration	22	7.1%
3 Social issues like abortion and gender issues	27	8.7%
4 Honesty and integrity of the candidates	105	34.0%
5 Something else	59	19.1%
6 Unsure / Don't know	20	6.5%
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1 Widespread	141	45.6%
2 A problem, but not widespread	100	32.4%
3 Not really a problem	28	9.1%
4 Unsure / Don't know	40	12.9%
Total	309	100.0%