# DIFFERENTIATORS DATA

NORTH CAROLINA SENATE DISTRICT 3 TOPLINE (N=300) LIKELY GENERAL ELECTION VOTERS CONDUCTED: JUNE 2<sup>nd</sup> – JUNE 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022

1. How likely is it you will vote in this year's November general elections for US Senate, Congress and State Legislature? Would you say you are definitely going to vote, very likely to vote, somewhat likely to vote or not likely at all? If you are not registered to vote in North Carolina, just say so.

300
79.0%
21.0%
16.1%
4.9%

### 2. If the general election for State Senate in Raleigh were held today, for whom would you vote?

Total	300
REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE	45.0%
Vote	43.8%
Lean	1.2%
DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE	46.5%
Vote	45.2%
Lean	1.3%
FIRM UNDECIDED	8.5%
Net Diff.	-1.4%

3. I am going to read a list of names. For each one, please tell me whether you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the person. If I name someone that you have no opinion of or have never heard of, just tell me and we'll go on to the next one.

### **Opinion: ROBERT HANIG**

300
13.0%
6.9%
23.4%
56.7%
6.2%
1.76

### 4. Opinion: VALERIE JORDAN

Total	300
FAVORABLE	18.3%
UNFAVORABLE	8.4%
NO OPINION	24.8%
NEVER HEARD OF	48.5%
Net Diff.	9.9%
Mean	1.87

# 5. Now, thinking about the session of the State Legislature in Raleigh that starts this month, which of the following six issues do you think Legislators should focus the most attention on?

Total	300
ECONOMIC ISSUES	40.7%
CRIME/PUBLIC SAFETY	20.8%
HEALTHCARE ISSUES	14.8%
EDUCATION ISSUES	11.8%
CULTURAL/SOCIAL ISSUES	4.0%
ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES	4.0%
DK/REFUSED	3.9%

### 6. If the general election for US Senate was being held today, for whom would you vote?

Total	300
TED BUDD: REPUBLICAN	46.6%
Vote	45.5%
Lean	1.1%
CHERI BEASLEY: DEMOCRAT	46.5%
Vote	45.7%
Lean	0.7%
FIRM UNDECIDED	7.0%
Net Diff.	0.1%



### 7. If the general election for State Senate was being held today, for whom would you vote?

Total ROBERT HANIG: REPUBLICAN Vote	300 42.6% 41.0%
Lean	1.6%
VALERIE JORDAN: DEMOCRAT	48.1%
Vote	46.2%
Lean	1.9%
FIRM UNDECIDED	9.2%
Net Diff.	-5.5%

8. For the next two months the North Carolina General Assembly is meeting in Raleigh, I'd like to know your opinion about a few important issues the legislature could take action on. Would you support or oppose each of the following......

### Allowing doctors to prescribe medical marijuana.

Total	300
SUPPORT	69.0%
Strongly	45.6%
Somewhat	23.4%
OPPOSE	22.2%
Somewhat	8.4%
Strongly	13.8%
DK/REFUSED	8.8%
Net Diff.	46.8%
Mean	3.11

### 9. Support/Oppose: Legalizing sports betting in North Carolina.

Total	300
SUPPORT	40.1%
Strongly	17.8%
Somewhat	22.3%
OPPOSE	44.3%
Somewhat	17.5%
Strongly	26.9%
DK/REFUSED	15.6%
Net Diff.	-4.3%
Mean	2.37



10. Support/Oppose: Increasing school choice for parents by giving them a \$6,000 grant to help send their children to a private school if their local public school is not meeting their child's needs.

Total	300
SUPPORT	53.3%
Strongly	38.2%
Somewhat	15.1%
OPPOSE	39.6%
Somewhat	15.2%
Strongly	24.4%
DK/REFUSED	7.1%
Net Diff.	13.7%
Mean	2.72

### 11. Support/Oppose: Lowering the state income tax rate to two-point five percent by 2030.

Total	300
SUPPORT	80.9%
Strongly	56.1%
Somewhat	24.8%
OPPOSE	11.1%
Somewhat	6.5%
Strongly	4.6%
DK/REFUSED	8.0%
Net Diff.	69.8%
Mean	3.44

# 12. As you may know, Medicaid is a taxpayer funded program that provides healthcare coverage to low-income people. Do you support or oppose expanding the state's Medicaid program to cover more people in North Carolina?

Total	300
SUPPORT	61.9%
Strongly	47.8%
Somewhat	14.1%
OPPOSE	31.8%
Somewhat	12.6%
Strongly	19.2%
DK/REFUSED	6.3%
Net Diff.	30.1%
Mean	2.97



# 13. Would you support or oppose expanding the state's Medicaid program if new recipients who were able to work would be required to find employment in order to receive benefits?

Total Answering	114
SUPPORT	74.0%
Strongly	43.4%
Somewhat	30.6%
OPPOSE	20.4%
Somewhat	6.9%
Strongly	13.5%
DK/REFUSED	5.6%
Net Diff.	53.6%
Mean	3.10

Combo: Do you support or oppose expanding the state's Medicaid program to cover more people in North Carolina, if new recipients who were able to work would be required to find employment in order to receive benefits?

Total	300
SUPPORT	90.1%
Strongly	64.4%
Somewhat	25.7%
OPPOSE	7.8%
Somewhat	2.6%
Strongly	5.2%
DK/REFUSED	2.1%
Net Diff.	82.3%
Mean	3.53

### Support/Oppose - SUPPORT:

Total	300
MEDICAID BENEFIT COMBO	90.1%
LOWERING STATE TAX RATE	80.9%
MEDICAL MARIJUANA	69.0%
EXPAND MEDICAID PROGRAM	61.9%
PARENTS SCHOOL CHOICE	53.3%
LEGALIZE SPORTS BETTING	40.1%



### Support/Oppose - SUMMARY MEANS:

Total	300
MEDICAID BENEFIT COMBO	3.53
LOWERING STATE TAX RATE	3.44
MEDICAL MARIJUANA	3.11
EXPAND MEDICAID PROGRAM	2.97
PARENTS SCHOOL CHOICE	2.72
LEGALIZE SPORTS BETTING	2.37

### 14. With which political party are you registered?

Total	300
REPUBLICAN	20.3%
DEMOCRATIC	52.2%
INDEPENDENT/OTHER/DK	27.5%
Independent	24.0%
Other	2.4%
DK/Refused	1.1%

15. Now, thinking about the Republican Party and how you align with it, do you consider yourself to be...

# 1. More of a supporter of Donald Trump.

2. More of a supporter of the traditional Republican Party.

Total Answering	61
SUPPORTER OF TRUMP	62.3%
TRADITIONAL REPUB. PARTY	31.7%
DK/REFUSED	6.0%
Net Diff.	30.6%



16. If you were to label yourself, would you say you are a liberal, a moderate, or a conservative in your political beliefs?

Total LIBERAL	300 20.7% 9.8%
Very	
Somewhat	10.9%
MODERATE	28.0%
CONSERVATIVE	43.0%
Somewhat	19.3%
Very	23.7%
DK/REFUSED	8.3%
Net Diff.	22.3%
Mean	3.39

# 17. And just for statistical purposes, regardless of how you may feel today, for whom did you vote in the 2020 election for President of the United States?

Total	300
DONALD TRUMP	48.5%
JOE BIDEN	50.6%
OTHER	0.6%
DK/REFUSED	0.3%
Net Diff.	-2.1%

### 18. Are there children in your household under the age of 18 years old?

Total	300
YES	17.0%
NO	80.8%
DK/REFUSED	2.2%
Net Diff.	-63.7%

### 19. Do you consider yourself to be an Evangelical, or Born Again Christian?

Total	300
YES	55.6%
NO	31.7%
DK/REFUSED	12.7%
Net Diff.	23.9%
NO DK/REFUSED	31.7% 12.7%



### 20. Do you or anyone in your household currently own a hand gun, rifle, shotgun or other firearm?

Total	300
YES	49.7%
NO	38.7%
DK/REFUSED	11.6%
Net Diff.	11.0%

### 21. What is the last grade of formal education you have completed?

Total	300
LESS THAN COLLEGE	60.8%
Less than High School	2.9%
High School Graduate	17.9%
Some College/Trade	25.9%
Associates/2-yr Degree	14.2%
COLLEGE/POST GRADUATE	36.6%
Bachelors/4-yr Degree	22.3%
Post Graduate Degree	14.3%
REFUSED	2.6%
Net Diff.	-24.2%

### 22. On the issue of abortion, do you consider yourself pro-life or pro-choice?

Total	300
PRO-LIFE	47.8%
Strongly	30.3%
Somewhat	17.5%
PRO-CHOICE	43.5%
Somewhat	11.9%
Strongly	31.6%
DK/REFUSED	8.7%
Net Diff.	4.3%
Mean	2.51



23. Which one of the following statements most closely describes your positions on the issue of abortion?

- 1. Abortions should not be legal in any circumstances
- 2. Abortions should be legal only in order to protect the life of the mother
- 3. Abortions should be legal only in the case of incest, rape, or to protect the life of the mother
- 4. Abortions should be legal during the first trimester of pregnancy
- 5. Abortions should be legal until the twentieth week of pregnancy
- 6. Abortions should be legal in all circumstances

Total	300
PRO-LIFE	46.9%
Shouldn't Be Legal	11.6%
Protect Mother's Life	8.6%
Case of Incest/Rape	26.7%
PRO-CHOICE	43.1%
During 1st Trimester	16.3%
Until 20th Week	4.1%
Legal:All Circumstance	22.7%
DK/REFUSED	10.1%
Net Diff.	3.8%

#### 24. What is your main racial background?

Total	300
WHITE	55.7%
NON-WHITE	43.9%
African-American/Black	41.9%
Hispanic/Latino	1.2%
Asian/Asian-American	0.1%
Other	0.7%
REFUSED	0.4%

#### 25. What is your age? Are you between ...?

Total	300
18-29	6.9%
30-40	10.9%
41-55	24.2%
56-65	25.8%
OVER 65	32.1%
REFUSED	0.1%
Mean	55.19



### 26. Gender:

Total	300
MALE	44.0%
FEMALE	56.0%

### 27. Interview:

Total	300
LANDLINE	32.3%
MOBILE PHONE	34.9%
TEXT	32.8%

### 28. HD:

Total	300
HD 1	17.0%
HD 5	21.0%
HD 23	20.0%
HD 27	42.0%

# 29. Voter Household General Election History:

Total	300
NEWLY REGISTERED	5.4%
1 OF 4	17.2%
2 OF 4	10.3%
3 OF 4	20.8%
4 OF 4	46.3%

# 30. Primary Vote Frequency:

Total	300
0 OF 4	34.7%
1 OF 4	17.5%
2 OF 4	13.4%
3 OF 4	15.4%
4 OF 4	19.1%



# 31. Primary Ballot Indicator (Independents):

Total Answering	82
NONE	35.1%
VOTED GOP	38.9%
Only Voted GOP	30.7%
Voted Majority GOP	8.3%
VOTED EQUAL GOP/DEM	2.0%
VOTED DEM	24.0%
Voted Majority Dem	6.8%
Only Voted Dem	17.2%

