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Frequency Questionnaire

June 10-16, 2009

1500 Registered Voters

734 White Voters (613 unweighted)

210 African American Voters (207 unweighted)

390 Hispanic Voters (502 unweighted)

Q.4 First of all, are you registered to vote in the city of Los Angeles?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Yes.....	100	100	100	100
No	-	-	-	-
(ref:NRV)				

[277 Respondents]

Q.6 [ASK ONLY OF UNAFFILIATED VOTERS FROM THE FILE] As you may know, registered Democrats and voters who 'decline to state' a political party are eligible to vote in Democratic primary elections in California. Do you generally vote in Democratic primary elections or not?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Vote in Democratic primary.....	61	57	70	66
Do not vote in Democratic primary.....	30	32	20	26
(Don't know/refused)	10	11	9	7
(ref:UNAFFLVT)				

[968 Respondents]

Q.7 (ASK ONLY OF REGISTERED DEMOCRATS AND UNAFFILIATED VOTERS WHO SAY THEY GENERALLY VOTE IN DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES IN UNAFFLVT) I know it's a long way off, but what are the chances of your voting in the California Democratic Primary for Governor in 2010: are you almost certain to vote, will you probably vote, are the chances 50-50, or don't you think you will vote?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Almost certain	78	83	78	74
Probably.....	12	11	11	13
50-50.....	7	5	8	8
Will not vote	2	1	2	2
(Don't know)	1	0	1	3
(Refused)	0	-	-	1
(ref:CP10)				

Q.8 And now, generally speaking, do you think that things in the city of Los Angeles are going in the right direction, or do you feel things have gotten pretty seriously off on the wrong track?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Right direction	24	22	23	30
Wrong track.....	61	61	66	56
(Don't know/refused).....	15	17	11	14
Right - Wrong	-37	-40	-43	-26
(ref:DIRECT)				

Q.9 Now, I am going to read you a list of concerns that people have. Please tell me which TWO of these you think the mayor and city government of Los Angeles should be paying the most attention to.

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Education	50	47	57	55
Jobs and economic development	43	35	49	55
The budget deficit	31	36	28	21
Taxes and spending.....	19	22	15	13
Crime	18	14	18	24
Traffic congestion.....	11	16	4	5
Air and water pollution	9	9	6	10
City services like trash collection and sidewalk repair	7	8	5	8
Race relations	3	3	7	2
(None).....	0	-	-	0
(Don't know/Refused)	1	1	2	1
(Other).....	2	4	1	1
(ref:CONC1)				

Q.10 Do you approve or disapprove of the job being done by [READ ITEM].

	Strng App	Smwt App	Smwt Disap	Strng Disap	DK/Ref	Total App	Total Disap
10 Bill Bratton as Chief of Police	32	34	7	7	21	66	13
White	32	34	6	5	22	67	11
AA	30	38	9	8	14	68	17
Latino	33	31	7	10	19	65	17
11 Antonio Villaraigosa as Los Angeles Mayor	20	35	16	21	8	55	37
White	12	33	19	28	8	44	47
AA	26	37	16	15	6	62	32
Latino	35	37	11	11	6	72	22
12 The Los Angeles Police Department	35	42	9	7	7	77	16
White	38	43	6	5	7	81	11
AA	26	43	14	11	6	68	25
Latino	37	40	11	8	5	76	19

	Strng App	Smwt App	Smwt Disap	Strng Disap	DK/ Ref	Total App	Total Disap
[937 Respondents]							
13 (SPLIT A) The Los Angeles City Council.....	8	34	17	17	23	42	34
White	4	30	20	21	24	34	41
AA	11	49	13	13	13	61	26
Latino	17	35	14	11	23	52	25

[944 Respondents]							
14 (SPLIT B) Barack Obama as President of the United States.....	50	22	7	11	11	72	17
White	48	21	8	15	8	69	23
AA	71	17	3	2	7	88	5
Latino	42	26	7	5	19	69	13

15 Arnold Schwarzenegger as Governor of California.....	8	21	20	47	4	29	67
White	8	24	24	40	3	32	65
AA	7	12	19	58	4	19	77
Latino	10	16	13	54	6	27	67

(ref:JOB RAT)

Q.16 What is your impression of Antonio Villaraigosa? As of today, is it very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable, very unfavorable -- or haven't you heard enough about him to say?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Very Favorable.....	17	8	18	35
Somewhat Favorable.....	35	35	44	32
Somewhat Unfavorable.....	19	23	14	13
Very Unfavorable.....	17	25	10	9
(Haven't heard enough to offer opinion).....	11	9	12	10
(Don't know/refused).....	1	1	2	1
Total Favorable	52	43	62	67
Total Unfavorable	36	47	24	22
Favorable - Unfavorable	16	-5	38	45

(ref:VILLFAV)

Q.17 As you may have heard, Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa is considering running for governor of California. In your opinion, do you think Mayor Villaraigosa SHOULD run for governor, or SHOULD NOT run for governor?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Yes, he should run.....	42	30	48	63
No, he should not run.....	48	58	42	30
(Don't know/refused).....	10	12	9	8
Yes - No	-6	-27	6	33

(ref:VILLRUN)

[968 Respondents]

Q.18 (ASK ONLY OF DEMOCRATIC REGISTERED VOTERS ON FILE AND UNAFFILIATED VOTERS WHO SAY THEY VOTE IN DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES IN UNAFFLVT) I know it is a long way off, but thinking about the Democratic primary for governor in 2010, if the Democratic primary election for governor were held today and the candidates were Antonio Villaraigosa, Gavin Newsom and Jerry Brown, for whom would you vote?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Antonio Villaraigosa	35	18	39	65
Lean Antonio Villaraigosa	4	4	5	2
Gavin Newsom.....	12	19	4	7
Lean Gavin Newsom.....	1	0	2	1
Jerry Brown.....	28	37	27	11
Lean Jerry Brown.....	3	4	6	1
(Other candidate).....	3	3	1	3
Lean (Other candidate).....	1	1	2	-
(Don't know/refused).....	12	13	14	8
(Refused).....	2	1	1	2
Total Antonio Villaraigosa.....	38	22	43	68
Total Gavin Newsom.....	13	19	6	8
Total Jerry Brown	31	41	32	12
Total (Other candidate).....	4	4	3	3

(ref:GOVPR10)

Q.20 Generally speaking do you think that the city of Los Angeles is better off because of Antonio Villaraigosa's policies and should continue in the direction he has set, or do you think that Los Angeles is not better off and needs to move in a new direction?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Villaraigosa direction strongly	22	14	27	39
Villaraigosa direction not so strongly	17	18	13	18
New direction not so strongly.....	16	17	13	13
New direction strongly.....	34	39	38	21
(Don't know/refused).....	12	12	9	9
Total Villaraigosa Direction.....	39	32	40	57
Total New Direction	49	56	51	34
Villaraigosa - New Direction.....	-10	-23	-11	23

(ref:VILDIRCT)

[750 Respondents]

Q.21 (SPLIT A) Now, regardless of whether you believe the city is better off due to Mayor Villaraigosa's policies or not, thinking back over the past four years, what would you say is Antonio Villaraigosa's most important accomplishment as mayor of Los Angeles?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
FIGHTING CRIME	14	13	7	19
Public Safety.....	8	5	5	15
Police.....	6	7	3	4
QUALITY OF LIFE	11	13	8	12
Traffic/Transportation	7	7	5	9
Environmental.....	2	3	1	2
Cleaning up City/LA	2	2	2	1
Fire Prevention	1	1	-	0
Education	9	8	12	15
Bringing people together	7	8	11	4
Economy/Jobs	2	1	2	5
Nothing	13	17	8	9
Other	5	5	4	5
Don't Know/Refused	38	36	48	32

(ref:ACCOMPOE)

[750 Respondents]

Q.22 (SPLIT B) Now, regardless of whether you believe the city is better off due to Mayor Villaraigosa's policies or not, thinking back over the past four years, what would you say is Antonio Villaraigosa's biggest failure as mayor of Los Angeles?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Education	15	16	17	12
BAD PUBLIC RELATIONS	14	13	17	13
Private Life.....	9	7	10	10
Not focused on LA.....	5	6	7	3
ECONOMY	10	13	9	6
Budget	8	11	6	5
Jobs.....	2	2	3	2
Not following through	6	8	2	6
QUALITY OF LIFE	3	5	-	2
Traffic.....	2	4	-	2
Environment	0	0	-	0
Crime and gangs	2	1	4	3
Supports illegals	1	2	-	0
Nothing	7	4	5	14
Other	8	9	6	6
Don't Know/Refused	34	28	40	38

(ref:FAILUROE)

Q.23 Now I'm going to read you a list of issues. For each one, I would like you to tell me if you approve or disapprove of the job being done by Mayor Villaraigosa on that issue.

	Strng App	Smwt App	Smwt Disap	Strng Disap	DK/ Ref	Total App	Total Disap
[750 Respondents]							
23 (SPLIT A) The economy	10	30	21	27	12	39	48
White	7	26	26	28	13	33	54
AA	10	35	18	25	12	45	43
Latino	17	35	13	28	7	52	41
[750 Respondents]							
24 (SPLIT B) The city's budget deficit	6	18	23	37	15	25	60
White	2	18	24	41	15	20	65
AA	8	18	26	36	12	26	62
Latino	14	24	18	29	16	38	47
[750 Respondents]							
25 (SPLIT A) Taxes	8	29	23	27	14	36	50
White	5	27	24	27	16	32	51
AA	13	26	22	29	11	38	51
Latino	12	31	22	26	9	43	48
[750 Respondents]							
26 (SPLIT B) Public Schools	12	19	20	40	9	30	61
White	4	17	23	46	10	21	69
AA	17	19	21	40	4	36	60
Latino	22	24	15	32	7	47	46
[750 Respondents]							
27 (SPLIT A) Crime	29	39	10	12	9	69	22
White	26	43	11	9	11	69	20
AA	30	38	11	15	5	68	26
Latino	35	33	11	18	4	68	28
[750 Respondents]							
28 (SPLIT B) Traffic congestion in Los Angeles	12	27	20	29	11	39	49
White	6	25	23	32	14	31	55
AA	18	30	14	28	10	49	41
Latino	19	29	19	25	9	47	44

	Strng App	Smwt App	Smwt Disap	Strng Disap	DK/ Ref	Total App	Total Disap
[750 Respondents]							
29 (SPLIT A) Making Los Angeles 'greener' and more environmentally friendly							
	31	32	13	12	11	63	25
White	19	36	16	16	13	55	32
AA	41	32	10	9	8	73	19
Latino	51	24	9	8	8	75	17

	Strng App	Smwt App	Smwt Disap	Strng Disap	DK/ Ref	Total App	Total Disap
[750 Respondents]							
30 (SPLIT B) Bringing new jobs to Los Angeles							
	17	18	19	27	18	35	46
White	5	18	24	29	24	23	53
AA	16	23	14	34	12	39	49
Latino	40	16	13	19	12	56	32
(ref:VILLBATT)							

Q.31 As you may know, two years ago, Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa confirmed that he had been having an affair with a television newscaster named Mirthala Salinas. Now, please tell me if you feel the Mayor's affair with Salinas is a private matter that has no impact on whether you vote for him in the future, or if the Mayor's affair with Salinas makes you less likely to vote for him in future elections.

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Much less likely	15	17	10	14
Somewhat less likely.....	13	15	9	9
Has no impact on whether vote for him in future.....	70	68	76	74
(Don't know/refused).....	2	1	4	3
Much/Smwt less likely	28	32	20	22
(ref:VILAFFAR)				

[750 Respondents]
 Q.32 (SPLIT A) Now I'd like to ask you something a little different. How would you rate the level of influence that city employee unions have on the city government? Would you say that those unions have too much influence, too little influence or about the right amount of influence over the city government?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Too much influence.....	39	48	26	32
Too little influence	15	10	26	21
About the right amount of influence	31	26	37	32
(Don't know/refused).....	15	17	11	15
(ref:UNONINFL)				

[750 Respondents]

Q.33 [SPLIT B] Six months from now, do you expect Los Angeles' economy will be better than now, worse than now or about the same as now?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Better than now.....	37	32	37	50
About the same.....	40	43	43	31
Worse than now.....	20	22	17	16
(Don't know/refused).....	3	3	3	3

(ref:ECONFUTR)

Q.34 Now I am going to read you some businesses and industries and for each I'd like you to tell me how much you think that particular business or industry contributes to the Los Angeles economy. Does it contribute a great deal, contribute a good amount, contribute just a little bit or do you feel it does not contribute much at all to Los Angeles' economy.

	Great Deal	Good Amt	A Lttle	Not at All	DK/ Ref	Great/ Good	Lttle/ Not
[750 Respondents]							
34 (SPLIT A) The entertainment industry.....	59	19	15	3	3	79	18
White	69	17	10	2	2	86	12
AA	40	22	28	6	4	62	35
Latino	52	20	21	3	4	72	24

[750 Respondents]

35 (SPLIT A) Professional sports teams.....	31	30	28	7	4	61	35
White	29	31	29	8	4	59	37
AA	36	22	37	2	3	58	39
Latino	40	27	24	5	4	67	29

[750 Respondents]

36 (SPLIT B) Tourism.....	51	27	12	6	4	79	18
White	56	32	9	2	1	87	11
AA	38	23	19	12	8	61	31
Latino	50	23	14	9	4	73	23

[750 Respondents]

37 (SPLIT B) Science and technology.....	30	31	22	8	10	61	29
White	26	35	25	7	8	60	32
AA	30	25	16	14	14	55	31
Latino	38	26	19	6	11	64	25

38 The ports and global trade.....	49	22	13	4	11	71	18
White	58	22	9	3	9	80	12
AA	36	18	21	10	16	54	31
Latino	42	22	17	4	14	64	21

(ref:CONTECON)

Q.39 I'm going to read you a list of ways in which the economic recession has impacted people. For each one, please tell me if it has impacted you or your family directly in the last year or so, if it has impacted someone you know well, such as a friend, neighbor, or coworker, or if it has not impacted you or anyone you know well.

	Dir Impct	Indir Impct	No Impct	DK/ Ref	Total Impct
[750 Respondents]					
39 (SPLIT A) Loss of a job	35	40	24	1	75
White	29	44	26	1	73
AA	34	33	32	-	68
Latino	53	33	13	1	86

[750 Respondents]					
40 (SPLIT B) Reduced wages or hours at work	48	28	23	1	75
White	40	30	28	2	70
AA	39	30	29	1	70
Latino	65	20	15	1	84

[750 Respondents]					
41 (SPLIT A) Home foreclosed.....	12	25	62	2	37
White	6	20	72	1	27
AA	17	29	52	2	46
Latino	23	35	39	2	59

[750 Respondents]					
42 (SPLIT B) Investments down 25 percent or more	53	17	25	5	70
White	62	19	16	3	81
AA	34	19	45	2	53
Latino	47	16	29	8	63

43 Lost health insurance coverage.....	26	22	50	2	47
White	19	25	54	2	44
AA	27	18	53	2	45
Latino	39	18	40	4	57

[750 Respondents]					
44 (SPLIT B) Delayed retirement	25	18	52	5	43
White	29	17	49	6	46
AA	14	22	62	2	36
Latino	28	15	49	7	44

[750 Respondents]					
45 (SPLIT A) Fallen behind on mortgage payments	18	27	52	3	46
White	11	28	58	3	39
AA	25	23	51	1	48
Latino	31	32	34	3	63

	Dir Impct	Indir Impct	No Impct	DK/ Ref	Total Impct
[750 Respondents]					
46 (SPLIT B) Delayed or cancelled doctor visit, filling a prescription or a medical procedure due to cost.....	28	14	55	3	42
White	23	15	60	3	37
AA	25	11	64	-	36
Latino	39	15	42	4	54

[750 Respondents]					
47 (SPLIT A) Delayed a major purchase such as a car, a TV or a kitchen appliance.....	41	19	38	3	60
White	42	19	37	2	61
AA	37	18	44	2	54
Latino	39	21	36	4	60

(ref:ECONIMPC)

Q.48 Now I'd like to ask you if you feel that the city of Los Angeles is currently running a budget surplus, if the city is currently 'on budget' meaning spending as much but not more than it has taken in, or if the city is running a budget deficit?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Running a surplus.....	3	0	2	8
On budget.....	4	4	3	5
Deficit: Serious problem.....	75	76	79	68
Deficit: Not so serious problem.....	7	9	4	6
(Don't know/refused).....	12	11	12	13

(ref:HOWSERBT)

Q.49 As you may know the city of Los Angeles is facing a 529 million dollar budget deficit in the coming fiscal year. In your own view, which TWO of the following are MOST responsible for Los Angeles' current budget deficit?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
State leaders have been wasteful and not spent wisely in recent years.....	40	40	44	39
City leaders have been wasteful and not spent wisely in recent years.....	39	37	39	42
The national recession.....	34	42	25	24
Corporations and the wealthy are not paying their fair share.....	21	20	28	22
City employees are overpaid.....	13	10	11	22
Lobbyists and special interests.....	12	14	7	9
Spending requirements imposed by the state.....	7	6	9	7
(All of the above).....	6	7	6	6
(None).....	1	1	1	0
(Other - record verbatim response).....	2	3	2	0
(Don't know/refused).....	4	2	5	6

(ref:ECNFAULT)

Q.50 Now I'd like to read you a list of different proposals people in Los Angeles city government are proposing to close the budget deficit. After I read each item, please tell me whether you FAVOR or OPPOSE that proposal.

	Strng Fav	Smwt Fav	Smwt Opp	Strng Opp	Dk/ Ref	Total Fav	Total Opp	Fav - Opp
[750 Respondents]								
50 (SPLIT A) Furloughs for city workers.....	25	29	16	18	12	54	34	20
White	21	35	18	15	11	56	33	23
AA	15	15	18	39	14	29	57	-28
Latino	42	23	10	14	12	65	24	41

[750 Respondents]								
51 (SPLIT B) Leasing out city-owned parking garages and parking meters to private companies to bring in more revenue	22	27	15	28	7	50	43	6
White	23	31	13	27	6	54	40	13
AA	28	22	13	30	8	50	42	8
Latino	20	25	16	32	6	45	48	-3

[750 Respondents]								
52 (SPLIT A) Laying off city workers	8	15	25	48	4	23	73	-51
White	12	17	28	39	4	29	67	-37
AA	2	7	23	65	3	9	88	-79
Latino	3	14	23	57	3	17	80	-63

53 Raising fees for city services such as garbage collection, parks or libraries.....	10	22	18	47	2	33	65	-33
White	7	28	20	43	2	35	63	-28
AA	13	11	18	56	2	24	75	-51
Latino	17	18	14	49	2	34	63	-29

[750 Respondents]								
54 (SPLIT B) Stopping the planned hiring of new officers for the Los Angeles Police Department.....	14	17	23	42	5	31	65	-34
White	10	17	26	42	4	27	69	-41
AA	11	19	17	48	4	31	66	-35
Latino	23	14	18	39	6	37	57	-20

(ref:PROPOSAL)

[750 Respondents]

Q.55 (SPLIT A) Please tell me if you would support or oppose a ballot measure that would increase Los Angeles sales or property taxes to raise revenue to improve fire services.

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Support	33	34	32	35
Oppose	62	62	65	59
(Don't know/refused)	4	4	3	6
Support - Oppose	-29	-28	-34	-25
(ref:FIRETAX)				

[750 Respondents]

Q.56 (SPLIT B) Please tell me if you would support or oppose a ballot measure that would increase Los Angeles sales or property taxes to raise revenue to improve basic city services such as parks, libraries and street repairs.

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Support	37	35	42	40
Oppose	58	61	55	55
(Don't know/refused)	5	5	3	5
Support - Oppose	-20	-26	-12	-15
(ref:SRVTAX)				

Q.57 Do you think marriages between same-sex couples should or should not be recognized by the law as valid?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Yes, recognize by the law as valid.....	56	68	37	45
No, should not be recognized by the law as valid.....	37	27	54	46
(Don't know/refused)	7	6	10	8
Yes - No	19	41	-17	-1
(ref:GAYMARRG)				

[750 Respondents]

Q.58 (SPLIT B) In general, how would you rate the overall quality of education at your local public schools today: is it excellent, good, fair or poor?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Excellent	6	5	7	8
Good	17	18	15	20
Fair.....	33	29	35	40
Poor	36	38	33	27
(Don't know/refused)	8	9	10	4
Excellent/Good	23	23	22	28
Fair/Poor	69	68	68	68
(ref:SCHLQUAL)				

Q.59 Now I am going to read you different areas in which some people may say the Los Angeles public schools have improved over the past four years and for each I'd like you to tell me, in your opinion, if you feel the Los Angeles public schools have gotten better, gotten worse or stayed about the same in that area.

	Bttr	Worse	Same	DK/ Ref
[750 Respondents]				
59 (SPLIT A) Reducing the dropout rate to keep students in high school	16	36	30	19
White	11	39	26	24
AA	25	36	29	10
Latino	21	29	38	11

[750 Respondents]				
60 (SPLIT B) Preparing students for college	19	31	34	17
White	13	33	31	23
AA	20	30	41	10
Latino	29	22	36	13

[750 Respondents]				
61 (SPLIT A) Preparing students to get jobs after they graduate	14	36	33	18
White	8	37	32	23
AA	23	34	31	12
Latino	24	33	34	8

62 Teaching basic skills to all students	21	28	36	15
White	15	33	33	19
AA	23	25	40	12
Latino	35	19	37	10

[750 Respondents]				
63 (SPLIT B) Safety in schools.....	29	21	35	16
White	28	15	36	21
AA	26	27	37	10
Latino	34	25	29	11

(ref:EDBATT)

[750 Respondents]

Q.64 (SPLIT A) When it comes to the threat of crime, do you feel safer in your community than you did four years ago, do you feel less safe, or do you feel just about as safe in your community as you did four years ago?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Much safer	10	6	7	21
Somewhat safer	12	11	7	18
About as safe as four years ago	56	61	62	40
Somewhat less safe	12	13	10	12
Much less safe	8	6	12	8
(Don't know/refused)	2	2	2	0
Total Safer	22	17	14	39
Total Less safe	20	19	22	20

(ref:SAFER)

Q.65 Generally speaking, do you think the Los Angeles Police Department is tougher on blacks, tougher on Latinos, tougher on Asians, tougher on whites, or do you think the police treat all groups the same way?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Tougher on Blacks	32	30	53	23
Tougher on Latinos	16	10	8	33
Tougher on Asians	1	1	0	1
Tougher on Whites	1	1	-	2
Treat all groups the same way	34	37	24	33
(Don't know/refused)	16	20	14	8

(ref:LAPDMINR)

Q.66 As you may know Mayor Villaraigosa and Police Chief Bratton have been going through with a plan to increase the size of the police force by 1,000 officers. I'd like to read you two statements that some people are making about that idea and after I read both statements I'd like you to tell me whether the FIRST or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own view, even if neither is exactly right.

(Some/other) people say that with crime down and the city facing a 529 million dollar budget deficit, continuing to hire another thousand police officers over the next few years does not make sense right now.

(Some/Other) people say that crime is still a significant issue facing the city and that the Los Angeles Police Department needs to be larger, so we need to complete the plan to increase the force by 1,000 officers to keep our city safe.

	Total	White	AA	Latino
First statement strongly	24	20	32	27
First statement not so strongly	14	15	12	12
Second statement not so strongly	16	21	7	13
Second statement strongly	41	40	45	41
(Both)	1	1	-	2
(Neither)	1	1	3	2
(Don't know/refused)	2	3	2	2
Total 1st statement	38	35	44	39
Total 2nd statement	57	61	52	55
1st - 2nd	-20	-26	-8	-15

(ref:NEWOFFCR)

Q.67 Finally, I would like to ask you a few questions for statistical purposes. What is the last year of schooling that you have completed?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
1 - 11th grade.....	11	2	8	32
High School graduate	15	9	25	23
Non-college post H.S.	2	1	3	3
Some college	26	26	31	21
College graduate.....	28	37	23	11
Post-graduate school.....	17	25	9	7
(Don't know/Refused)	1	0	1	2
(ref:EDUC)				

Q.68 Are you a member of a labor union?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Yes: Respondent belongs.....	10	9	13	8
Household member.....	7	7	6	5
No member belongs.....	70	73	71	67
(Don't know/refused).....	5	2	2	13
Yes: Private Sector	4	6	2	3
Yes: Public Sector.....	4	4	7	3
Union household.....	25	26	27	20
(ref:UNION)				

Q.69 Are you married, single, separated, divorced, or widowed?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Married.....	47	52	28	50
Single	35	32	43	36
Separated/divorced.....	10	9	17	8
Widowed	7	7	11	6
(Don't know/Refused)	1	0	1	1
(ref:MARITAL)				

Q.70 Do you have any children that attend a Los Angeles public school?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Yes.....	20	13	26	30
No	80	87	74	69
(Don't know/refused).....	1	0	-	1
(ref:KIDSSCHL)				

Q.71 Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat or what?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Strong Democrat.....	45	39	69	46
Weak Democrat	18	14	21	24
Lean Democrat	10	12	6	8
Independent.....	7	7	2	7
Lean Republican	4	6	0	3
Weak Republican.....	8	11	1	6
Strong Republican	7	11	0	4
(Don't know/Refused)	1	0	2	2
(ref:PTYID1)				

Q.74 Thinking in political terms, would you say that you are Conservative, Moderate or Liberal?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Liberal	34	40	27	29
Moderate.....	36	36	39	34
Conservative	26	22	28	33
(Don't know/refused).....	4	2	5	5
(ref:IDEO1)				

[210 Respondents]

Q.75 [ASK IN CELL SAMPLE ONLY] Now, thinking about your telephone use, is there at least one telephone INSIDE your home that is currently working and is not a cell phone?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Yes.....	35	31	35	44
No	64	67	65	56
(DK/Refused)	1	2	-	-
(ref:LANDLINE)				

[1290 Respondents]

Q.76 [ASK IN LANDLINE SAMPLE ONLY] Now thinking about your telephone use, do you have a working cell phone?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Yes.....	78	88	70	66
No	20	11	30	31
(DK/Refused)	1	1	-	2
(ref:CELLLINE)				

[1086 Respondents]

Q.77 [DO NOT ASK IF NO IN LANDLINE] [DO NOT ASK IF NO OR DK/REF IN CELLLINE] Of all the personal telephone calls that you receive, do you get.

	Total	White	AA	Latino
All or almost all calls on a cell phone	31	25	35	44
Some on a cell phone and some on a regular home phone.....	38	43	33	25
All or almost all calls on a regular home phone	30	32	31	30
(DK/Refused)	1	0	1	2
(ref:DUALUSE)				

[1498 Respondents]

Combined Phone Use

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Cell only	9	10	8	8
Cell mostly	23	20	23	28
Dual users.....	27	35	22	16
Landline mostly	22	25	21	19
Landline only.....	17	10	26	27
Landline unknown	2	1	1	3
(ref:PHONE USE)				

Q.78 What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
White.....	49	100	-	-
African-American or Black	14	-	100	-
Hispanic or Latino	26	-	-	100
Native American.....	1	-	-	-
Asian.....	5	-	-	-
(Other).....	2	-	-	-
(Don't know/Refused)	4	-	-	-

(ref:RACETHN)

Q.80 In the last couple of years have you seriously thought about moving out of Los Angeles to another town or city?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Yes.....	40	43	43	30
No	59	56	55	69
(Don't know/refused)	2	1	2	2

(ref:LEAVELA)

[598 Respondents]

Q.81 (ASK ONLY IF YES IN LEAVELA) Please tell me which TWO, if any, of the following caused you to most think about leaving Los Angeles?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Cost of housing	46	44	50	44
Traffic.....	29	38	13	18
Crime	22	17	26	38
The public schools	16	16	15	13
Loss of a job.....	16	12	23	21
(Other).....	17	24	11	6
(All of the above).....	4	2	5	6
(None).....	6	6	4	5
(Don't know/refused)	1	-	3	3

(ref:WHYLEAVE)

Q.82 Last year, that is in 2007, what was your total family income from all sources, before taxes? Just stop me when I get to the right category.

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Less than \$10,000	7	3	11	12
\$10,000 to under \$20,000.....	8	5	14	13
\$20,000 to under \$30,000.....	9	6	13	16
\$30,000 to under \$50,000.....	14	13	15	17
\$50,000 to under \$75,000.....	12	12	11	13
\$75,000 to under \$100,000.....	11	14	12	5
\$100,000 or more.....	21	30	9	8
(Refused)	10	12	4	7
(Don't know)	7	4	10	9

(ref:INCOME)

Q.83 It is possible that a reporter for the Los Angeles Times may do a news story based on some of these topics and may want to ask a few follow-up questions of some of the people we spoke to tonight. Would you be willing to allow a reporter to have your responses on the questions and then possibly call you for a brief interview?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Yes.....	57	62	57	54
No	43	38	43	46

(ref:LATFLW)

Q.2 What language do you feel most comfortable speaking, Spanish or English?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
English/ingles.....	86	98	98	53
Spanish/espanol	14	2	2	47

(ref:LANGDUMMY)

Q.5 In what year were you born?

	Total	White	AA	Latino
18-24.....	14	9	12	23
25-29.....	7	6	7	9
30-34.....	8	7	8	10
35-39.....	8	9	7	7
40-44.....	9	10	11	6
45-49.....	9	9	9	9
50-54.....	11	12	11	10
55-59.....	7	7	6	8
60-64.....	6	8	5	5
Over 64	17	20	22	10
(No answer)	4	3	2	4

(ref:AGE)

Q.3 Sex of respondent

	Total	White	AA	Latino
Male	46	48	43	43
Female	54	52	57	57

(ref:GENDER)