



North Carolina Survey Results

- Q1** Are you the owner of a small business?
 Yes.....100%
 No..... 0%
- Q2** What kind of industry do you work in?
 Service..... 31%
 Retail / wholesale trade..... 14%
 Finance / insurance / real estate..... 8%
 Construction / minerals..... 7%
 Manufacturing..... 5%
 Transportation / communication / utilities..... 4%
 Education..... 4%
 Health care..... 3%
 Technology..... 4%
 Other..... 22%
- Q3** Generally speaking, how would you rate the job Gov. McCrory has done protecting the state's water, air, and overall environment: excellent, good, fair, or poor?
 Excellent..... 23%
 Good..... 22%
 Fair..... 14%
 Poor..... 39%
 Not sure..... 2%
- Q4** Generally speaking, how would you rate the job the North Carolina General Assembly has done protecting the state's water, air, and overall environment: excellent, good, fair, or poor?
 Excellent..... 16%
 Good..... 24%
 Fair..... 19%
 Poor..... 39%
 Not sure..... 2%
- Q5** Do you believe protecting North Carolina's good environment and quality of life is important to our state's economic growth, or not?
 Think it is..... 86%
 Think it is not..... 7%
 Not sure..... 6%
- Q6** Do you think it is important to safeguard the state's clean water, clean air, and environment in order to attract and grow businesses in North Carolina, or not?
 Think it is..... 84%
 Think it is not..... 10%
 Not sure..... 6%
- Q7** Do you think it's important for the state to continue to support energy efficiency programs and policies that save money for homeowners and building owners and also help reduce pollution, or not?
 Think it is..... 75%
 Think it is not..... 16%
 Not sure..... 9%
- Q8** Do you think it is important for the state's economy to expand our renewable energy sources, such as solar and wind, or not?
 Think it is..... 67%
 Think it is not..... 28%
 Not sure..... 5%
- Q9** Do you support or oppose attempts in the General Assembly of our state to end North Carolina's clean energy standard, which requires utilities to get a small portion of their energy from renewable sources?
 Support..... 31%
 Oppose..... 52%
 Not sure..... 17%





Q10 Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of fracking, a process of extracting oil and gas by pumping chemicals and water into the ground?

Favorable..... 35%
Unfavorable 50%
Not sure 15%

Q11 Do you approve or disapprove of attempts by Gov. McCrory and the General Assembly to allow fracking in North Carolina by out-of-state oil and gas companies?

Approve 35%
Disapprove..... 53%
Not sure 12%

Q12 Do you think exposing the state to fracking is worth the potential negative economic impacts to tourism and business recruitment to the state?

Think it is..... 35%
Think it is not..... 46%
Not sure 19%

Q13 Do you think North Carolina is feeling the effects of climate change?

Yes..... 53%
No 42%
Not sure 5%

Q14 Do you believe it is important for NC lawmakers to take steps to address climate change in order to protect our environment and our economy in North Carolina?

Think it is..... 55%
Think it is not..... 40%
Not sure 5%

Q15 Do you think reducing industrial carbon pollution from fossil fuels while increasing our use of renewable energy would be good or bad for North Carolina's economy, or would it not make a difference?

Good..... 54%
Bad 18%
Wouldn't make a difference..... 24%
Not sure 4%

Q16 Thinking of the recent coal ash spill, how much do you think that has hurt our state's economy: a lot, some, a little, or not at all?

A lot..... 27%
Some 32%
A little..... 21%
Not at all..... 19%
Not sure 2%

Q17 When thinking about prospective businesses who might want to relocate to NC, how much do you think the coal ash spill, and the handling of it, has negatively impacted their perception of our state: a lot, some, a little, or not at all?

A lot..... 24%
Some 30%
A little..... 21%
Not at all..... 24%
Not sure 1%

Q18 If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

Woman 53%
Man..... 47%

Q19 If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If you are an independent or identify with another party, press 3.

Democrat 39%
Republican..... 37%
Independent / Other..... 24%





Q20 If you are white, press 1. If African-American, press 2. If other, press 3.

<i>White</i>	85%
<i>African-American</i>	7%
<i>Other</i>	8%

Q21 If you are 18 to 29 years old, press 1. If 30 to 45, press 2. If 46 to 65, press 3. If you are 65 or older, press 4.

<i>18 to 29</i>	4%
<i>30 to 45</i>	6%
<i>46 to 65</i>	51%
<i>Older than 65</i>	39%

