MCLAUGHLIN & ASSOCIATES
WEST VIRGINIA STATEWIDE - GENERAL ELECTION
VOTERS NOVEMBER 19, 2018

1. THINKING AHEAD TO THE NOVEMBER 2020 GENERAL ELECTION FOR PRESIDENT, GOVERNOR AND STATE LEGISLATURE - HOW LIKELY IS IT YOU WILL VOTE? WOULD YOU SAY VERY LIKELY, ONLY SOMEWHAT LIKELY OR NOT LIKELY AT ALL? IF YOU ARE NOT REGISTERED, BUT INTEND TO REGISTER AND VOTE AT THIS ADDRESS, JUST SAY SO. IF YOU ARE NOT LIKELY TO VOTE AT ALL, JUST SAY SO.

	Total
	400
VERY LIKELY	96.0
SOMEWHAT LIKELY	2.5
NOT REG./INTEND TO	1.5

2. IF THE ELECTION FOR STATE LEGISLATURE IN YOUR DISTRICT WERE HELD TODAY, WOULD YOU BE MORE LIKELY TO VOTE FOR THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE OR THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE?

	Total
	400
DEMOCRATIC	42.0
Definitely	28.0
Probably	11.0
Lean	3.0
REPUBLICAN	46.2
Definitely	29.8
Probably	14.0
Lean	2.5
UNDECIDED	11.8
Net Diff.	4.2

3. OVERALL, DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB JIM JUSTICE IS DOING AS GOVERNOR?

	Total
	400
APPROVE	48.0
Strongly	14.0
Somewhat	34.0

DISAPPROVE 38.0
Somewhat 18.0
Strongly 20.0
DK/REFUSED 14.0
Net Diff. 10.0
Mean 2.49

4. FROM THE FOLLOWING LIST, WHICH ISSUE IS PERSONALLY MOST IMPORTANT TO YOU IN DECIDING YOUR VOTE FOR GOVERNOR AND STATE LEGISLATURE?

Total 400

ECONOMIC 38.8
Improving the Economy 16.5
Creating Jobs 12.0
Wstfl. Gov't Spending 7.0
Hold Line/State Taxes 3.2
SOCIAL 33.5
Affordable Healthcare 19.5
Improving K-12 Educ. 14.0
IMPROVE INFRASTRUCTURE 13.0
CONGRESSIONAL TRM LIMITS 6.8
KEEP WV SAFE FROM TERROR 3.2
DK/REFUSED 4.8

5. DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT THAT WILL PLACE TERM LIMITS ON MEMBERS OF CONGRESS?

Total 400

APPROVE 83.2
Strongly 67.5
Somewhat 15.8
DISAPPROVE 11.8
Somewhat 3.5
Strongly 8.2
DK/REFUSED 5.0
Net Diff. 71.5

6. IF THE STATE LEGISLATURES OF TWO-THIRDS OF THE STATES VOTE TO CALL AN AMENDMENT PROPOSING CONVENTION TO RECOMMEND AN AMENDMENT TO PLACE TERM LIMITS ON MEMBERS OF CONGRESS, WOULD YOU WANT YOUR STATE SENATOR AND STATE REPRESENTATIVE TO VOTE YES OR NO ON THIS BILL?

Total 400

YES 81.0

NO 12.5
UNDECIDED 6.5

7. AND WHY DO YOU SUPPORT THIS?

Total Answering 324

ABUSE OF POWER 15.4
NEW PEOPLE/FRESH IDEAS 14.8
GENERALLY SUPPORT 13.9
LIFETIME JOB 13.0
DON'T REPRESENT/PEOPLE 9.9
CORRUPTION 5.9
CAREER POLITICIANS 4.3
THEY GET TOO COMFORTABLE 3.1
NOT HONEST 2.8
OLD PPLE/OFFICE FOREVER 2.5
TOO COMPLACENT 2.2
TERM LIMITS FOR PRES. 1.5
VOTE/INTEREST OF PARTY 0.9
DK/REFUSED 9.9

8. AND WHY DO YOU OPPOSE THIS?

Total Answering 76

DOING GOOD JOB 17.1
GENERALLY AGAINST 10.5
EXPERIENCED 9.2
CAN VOTE THEM OUT 3.9
OTHER FACTORS/MORE IMPRT 2.6
SHOULDN'T CHANGE CONSTIT 2.6

DK/REFUSED 53.9
9. WOULD YOU BE MORE LIKELY OR LESS LIKELY TO VOTE FOR A CANDIDATE FOR STATE LEGISLATURE WHO SUPPORTS IMPLEMENTING TERM LIMITS FOR MEMBERS OF CONGRESS?

Total 400

MORE LIKELY 76.2
Much 48.2
Somewhat 28.0
LESS LIKELY 12.5
Somewhat 7.0

Much 5.5
NO DIFFERENCE 7.0
DK/REFUSED 4.2
Net Diff. 63.8
Mean 4.11

10. WOULD YOU BE MORE LIKELY OR LESS LIKELY TO VOTE FOR A CANDIDATE FOR STATE LEGISLATURE WHO OPPOSES IMPLEMENTING TERM LIMITS FOR MEMBERS OF CONGRESS?

Total 400

MORE LIKELY 21.5
Much 10.8
Somewhat 10.8
LESS LIKELY 66.0
Somewhat 26.2
Much 39.8
NO DIFFERENCE 7.2
DK/REFUSED 5.2
Net Diff. -44.5
Mean 2.22

11. AT PRESENT THE WEST VIRGINIA STATE LEGISLATURE DOES NOT HAVE TERM LIMITS ON ITSELF. HOWEVER, IF YOUR STATE LEGISLATOR VOTED TO PLACE TERM LIMITS ON CONGRESS THROUGH AN AMENDMENT PROPOSING CONVENTION, IN THE NEXT STATEWIDE ELECTION, WOULD THAT MAKE YOU MORE LIKELY OR LESS LIKELY TO VOTE FOR YOUR STATE LEGISLATOR?

Total 400

MORE LIKELY 73.8
Much 46.8
Somewhat 27.0
LESS LIKELY 13.2
Somewhat 6.8
Much 6.5
NO DIFFERENCE 7.0
DK/REFUSED 6.0
Net Diff. 60.5
Mean 4.07

12. WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING SOCIAL NETWORKS DO YOU USE REGULARLY?

Total 400

USE SOCIAL NETWORK 64.2
 FACEBOOK 52.5
 INSTAGRAM 11.5
 TWITTER 8.8
LINKED-IN 8.5
 SNAPCHAT 5.2
 OTHER 3.5
WHAT'S APP 1.0
 DON'T USE SOCIAL NETWORK 25.0
 DON'T USE INTERNET 10.2
DK/REFUSED 0.5

13. WITH WHICH POLITICAL PARTY ARE YOU REGISTERED?

 Total 400

 REPUBLICAN 33.5
 DEMOCRAT 42.8
INDEPENDENT/OTHER 20.5
REFUSED 1.8

14. IF YOU WERE TO LABEL YOURSELF, WOULD YOU SAY YOU ARE A LIBERAL, A MODERATE, OR A CONSERVATIVE IN YOUR POLITICAL BELIEFS?

 Total 400

LIBERAL 20.8
 VERY 9.2
 SOMEWHAT 11.5
 MODERATE 33.8
 SOMEWHAT 14.8
 VERY 25.8
 CONSERVATIVE 40.5
 DK/REFUSED 5.0
 Mean 3.51

15. DO YOU AGREE OR DISAGREE WITH THE ISSUES AND PRIORITIES OF THE TEA PARTY MOVEMENT?

 Total 400

AGREE 30.0
 STRONGLY 9.0

SOMEWHAT 21.0
DISAGREE 41.0
SOMEWHAT 15.0
STRONGLY 26.0
DK/REFUSED 29.0
Net Diff. -11.0

16. WHEN THERE IS A GENERAL ELECTION, HOW DO YOU USUALLY VOTE?

Total 400

DEMOCRAT 34.8
ALWAYS 12.0
USUALLY 22.8
TICKET-SPLITTER 19.5
USUALLY 26.0
ALWAYS 12.5
REPUBLICAN 38.5
DK/REFUSED 7.2

17. WHAT IS YOUR RELIGION?

Total 400

PROTESTANT 63.2
CATHOLIC 9.0
JEWISH 0.2
MUSLIM/ISLAMIC 0.5
MORMON/LDS 1.0
ATHEIST/AGNOSTIC 10.0
OTHER 5.8
DK/REFUSED 10.2 18.

DO YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF TO BE AN EVANGELICAL, OR BORN AGAIN

CHRISTIAN?

Total Answering 276

YES 66.7 NO 27.9
DK/REFUSED 5.4

19. WHAT IS YOUR RACE?

Total 400

WHITE 91.0
AFRICAN-AMERICAN/BLACK 4.8
HISPANIC 1.5
ASIAN-AMERICAN -
OTHER 0.8 REFUSED 2.0

20. WHAT IS YOUR AGE?

Total 400

18-29 15.8
30-40 17.0 41-55 24.0
56-65 18.0
OVER 65 24.0 REFUSED 1.2
Mean 49.97

21. GENDER:

Total 400

MALE 47.0 FEMALE 53.0

22. MEDIA MARKET

Total 400

CHARLESTON-HUNTINGTON 35.8
Kanawha 11.5
Rest of CH 24.2
BLUEFIELD-BECKLEY 16.0
WASHINGTON D.C. 14.5
CLARKSBURG-WESTON 13.8
WHEELING-STEUBENVILLE 7.2

PITTSBURGH 7.0
PARKERSBURGH 5.0
REST OF STATE 0.8

23. INTERVIEW:

Total 400

LANDLINE PHONE 60.0
CELL PHONE 40.0