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Texas Statewide Survey**

Spring 2010 Instrument

N=800 Adults

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**Due to rounding, percentages may not sum to 100.*

Q5. How would you rate the job Barack Obama has done as president? Would you say that you...

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| 1. Approve strongly | 19% |
| 2. Approve somewhat | 16% |
| 3. Neither approve nor disapprove | 6% |
| 4. Disapprove somewhat | 8% |
| 5. Disapprove strongly | 50% |
| 6. Don't know | 1% |

Q6. How would you rate the job Rick Perry has done as governor? Would you say that you...

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| 1. Approve strongly | 13% |
| 2. Approve somewhat | 29% |
| 3. Neither approve nor disapprove | 16% |
| 4. Disapprove somewhat | 16% |
| 5. Disapprove strongly | 23% |
| 6. Don't know | 3% |

Horse-Race Questions

Now we'd like to ask some questions about upcoming elections.

Q11. If the election for Texas governor were held today, would you vote for: **[Randomize 1-2]**

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| 1. Rick Perry (Republican) | 44% |
| 2. Bill White (Democrat) | 35% |
| 3. Someone else | 7% |
| 4. Undecided | 15% |

Q12. If the election for Texas lieutenant governor were held today, would you vote for:
[Randomize 1-2]

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| 1. David Dewhurst (Republican) | 44% |
| 2. Linda Chavez-Thompson (Democrat) | 30% |
| 3. Someone else | 6% |
| 4. Undecided | 20% |

Q13. If the election for Texas Attorney General were held today, would you vote for:
[Randomize 1-2]

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| 1. Greg Abbott (Republican) | 47% |
| 2. Barbara Ann Radnofsky (Democrat) | 28% |
| 3. Someone else | 6% |
| 4. Undecided | 20% |

Q14. If the election for Texas State Land Commissioner were held today, would you vote for:
[Randomize 1-2]

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| 1. Jerry Patterson (Republican) | 39% |
| 2. Hector Uribe (Democrat) | 27% |
| 3. Someone else | 7% |
| 4. Undecided | 26% |

Q15. If the election for Texas State Agriculture Commissioner were held today, would you vote for: **[Randomize 1-2]**

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| 1. Todd Staples (Republican) | 39% |
| 2. Hank Gilbert (Democrat) | 28% |
| 3. Someone else | 6% |
| 4. Undecided | 27% |

Q16. If the election for Texas State Railroad Commissioner were held today, would you vote for:
[Randomize 1-2]

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| 1. David Porter (Republican) | 39% |
| 2. Jeff Weems (Democrat) | 27% |
| 3. Someone else | 6% |
| 4. Undecided | 29% |

Q17. If the 2010 election for U.S. Congress in your district were held today, would you vote for the Democratic candidate, the Republican candidate, or haven't you thought enough about it to have an opinion? **[Randomize 1-2]**

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| 1. Republican candidate | 46% |
| 2. Democratic candidate | 34% |
| 3. Someone else | 5% |
| 4. Don't know | 16% |

Q18. If the 2010 election for the Texas state legislature in your district were held today, would you vote for the Democratic candidate, the Republican candidate, or haven't you thought enough about it to have an opinion? **[Randomize 1-2]**

1. Republican candidate	44%
2. Democratic candidate	33%
3. Someone else	5%
4. Don't know	18%

Q19. Suppose the Tea Party movement organized itself as a political party. When thinking about the next election for Congress, would you vote for the Republican candidate from your district, the Democratic candidate from your district, or the Tea Party candidate from your district? **[Randomize 1-2]**

1. Republican candidate	19%
2. Democratic candidate	33%
3. Tea Party candidate	23%
4. Don't know	26%