Clearpath Modeling Survey January 2021 Toptlines
Survey of n=3,000 National Registered Voters
Sampled from L2 national voter file
Conducted via live telephone interview, 50% via cell phone + 50% via landline
Field dates: January 11 - January 18, 2021

LANDSCAPE

1. [QPres2020] Did you vote in the 2020 presidential election?
   1. Yes 94%
   2. No 6%
   3. Unsure *

   (n=2846)
   1. Joe Biden 50%
   2. Donald Trump 37%
   3. Someone else 5%
   4. Unsure 9%

   1. Voted for the Republican candidate 33%
   2. Voted for the Democratic candidate 42%
   3. Voted for a third party candidate 2%
   4. There wasn't an election in my district 3%
   5. I did not vote in the race for U.S House of Representatives 11%
   6. DK/Refused 8%

CLEAN ENERGY

I want to focus on a specific issue, the issue of clean energy.

4. [QCLeanEnergyImport] How important is it to you that your Member of Congress supports policies that promote clean energy?
   EXTREMELY/FAIRLY IMPORTANT 78%
   NOT THAT/AT ALL IMPORTANT 20%
   1. Extremely important 43%
   2. Fairly important 35%
   3. Not that important 13%
   4. Not at all important 7%
   5. Unsure 2%
5. [QCleanEnergyFav] Please tell me if you agree or disagree with the statement. [FOLLOW WITH:] And would you say you STRONGLY agree/disagree or just SOMEWHAT agree/disagree?

I would feel more favorably toward my Member of Congress if he or she supported policies that promoted clean energy.

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6. [QClimate] Which of the following comes closest to your view? [RANDOMIZE 1-2]

1. Climate change is happening and is caused primarily by human activity 59%
2. Climate change is happening and is caused primarily by natural cycles in the Earth's environment 31%
3. Climate change is not happening 5%
4. Unsure 5%

7. [QCleanCredits] Some in Congress have proposed offering tax incentives for those in the private sector who successfully develop clean energy technologies in order to encourage more innovation. In general, would you support or oppose Congress making clean energy tax incentives available? [FOLLOW WITH:] And would you say you STRONGLY (support/oppose) or just SOMEWHAT (support/oppose)?

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8. [QParisAgreement] Have you seen, read, or heard anything recently about an international accord known as the Paris Climate Agreement? [IF YES, ASK:] Based on what you know, would you say you support or oppose the Paris Climate Agreement?

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9. [QParisAction] If the United States were to re-enter the Paris Climate Agreement, how should Congress work toward meeting the climate goals of Paris? [RANDOMIZE 1-2]
   1. Congress should encourage innovation by supporting free market options for clean energy production 37%
   2. Congress should implement new regulations to curb carbon emissions 27%
   3. Congress should not do anything regarding the Paris Climate Agreement 23%
   4. Unsure 13%

10. [QGreenNewDeal] Have you seen, read, or heard anything recently about an environmental agenda proposed by congressional Democrats called the “Green New Deal”? [IF YES, ASK:] Based on what you know, would you say you support or oppose the Green New Deal?
   1. Heard of, support 25%
   2. Heard of, oppose 28%
   3. Heard of, unsure 7%
   4. Have not heard of 38%
   5. Unsure 1%

11. [QRegVersusInn] Which of these statements comes closest to your view, even if neither of them is exactly right? [RANDOMIZE 1-2]
   1. Rather than more regulation, more innovation and better technology that lets us reduce carbon emissions is the best way to fight climate change 63%
   2. Stricter regulation on carbon emissions is the best way to fight climate change. 27%
   3. Unsure 10%

12. [QEnviroJustice1] Have you seen, read, or heard anything recently about a concept called “environmental justice”? [IF YES, ASK:] And would you say you've heard a lot about it or a little about it?
   1. Heard a lot about it 6%
   2. Heard a little about it 17%
   3. Have not really heard of 76%
   4. Unsure 1%

   Would you say you generally believe or do not believe the following statement? [READ AS INSTRUCTIONS FOR ALL QEJBELIEVE QUESTIONS] [RANDOMIZE ORDER QEJBELIEVE1 AND QEJBELIEVE2]

13. [QEJBelieve1] “People of color and those who are lower-income are more likely to be hurt by preventing and slowing down new clean energy projects from being built.”
   1. Believe 38%
   2. Do not believe 52%
   3. Unsure 9%
14. [QEJBelieve] “People of color and those who are lower-income are more likely to benefit from policies that promote clean air and water while making energy prices more affordable.”
   1. Believe 51%
   2. Do not believe 41%
   3. Unsure 8%

15. [QReduceEmissions] “We can reduce carbon emissions in the U.S. without having to impose new regulations on people and new restrictions on our economy.”
   1. Believe 51%
   2. Do not believe 43%
   3. Unsure 6%

16. [QPossible] “It is possible for the U.S. to develop cleaner energy sources that can also provide more affordable energy.”
   1. Believe 88%
   2. Do not believe 10%
   3. Unsure 2%

Finally, for each of the following, please tell me if you agree or disagree with the statement.

17. [QGOPShouldCare] Clean energy is an issue that Republicans in Congress SHOULD care about. [FOLLOW WITH:] And would you say you STRONGLY (agree/disagree) or just SOMEWHAT (agree/disagree)?
   STRONGLY/SOMEWHAT AGREE 84%
   STRONGLY/SOMEWHAT DISAGREE 13%
   1. Strongly agree 61%
   2. Somewhat agree 24%
   3. Somewhat disagree 6%
   4. Strongly disagree 7%
   5. Unsure 3%

18. [QGOPDoesCare] Clean energy is an issue that Republicans in Congress DO care about. [FOLLOW WITH:] And would you say you STRONGLY (agree/disagree) or just SOMEWHAT (agree/disagree)?
   STRONGLY/SOMEWHAT AGREE 44%
   STRONGLY/SOMEWHAT DISAGREE 48%
   1. Strongly agree 15%
   2. Somewhat agree 29%
   3. Somewhat disagree 20%
   4. Strongly disagree 28%
   5. Unsure 8%
19. [QParty] Regardless of how you typically vote, would you say you consider yourself a … ?
TOTAL REPUBLICAN 29%
TOTAL DEMOCRAT 37%
1. Strong Republican 20%
2. Not very strong Republican 9%
3. Independent 25%
4. Not very strong Democrat 10%
5. Strong Democrat 27%
6. A member of another party 5%
7. Unsure 4%

20. [QPartyLean] Which of the following statements would you say best describes you?
[RANDOMIZE SCALE] (n=900)
TOTAL LEAN REPUBLICAN 22%
TOTAL LEAN DEMOCRAT 29%
1. I almost always vote for Republican candidates 8%
2. I vote for Republicans more often than I vote for Democrats 14%
3. I vote for Democrats more often than I vote for Republicans 19%
4. I almost always vote for Democratic candidates 11%
5. I vote equally for Democrats and Republicans 35%
6. Unsure 14%

21. [QIdeology] Regardless of how you typically vote, would you say you consider yourself to be…? [RANDOMIZE SCALE CONSERVATIVE>LIBERAL, LIBERAL>CONSERVATIVE]
VERY/SOMEWHAUT CONSERVATIVE 40%
VERY/SOMEWHAUT LIBERAL 30%
1. Very conservative 18%
2. Somewhat conservative 22%
3. Moderate 26%
4. Somewhat liberal 17%
5. Very liberal 13%
6. Unsure 5%

22. [QGender] What is your gender? [RANDOMIZE 1-2]
1. Male 47%
2. Female 53%

23. [QRace] What is your race? [SELECT MULTIPLE] [RANDOMIZE 1-6]
1. Black 13%
2. White 74%
3. Hispanic/Latino 10%
4. Asian 4%
5. Native American 1%
6. Something else 1%
24. [QEducation] What is the highest level of education you have completed?
1. High school or less 24%
2. Some college 26%
3. Associate’s degree 11%
4. Bachelor’s degree 22%
5. Graduate degree 17%
6. Prefer not to say 1%

25. [QAge] What is your age?
1. 18-29 17%
2. 30-39 16%
3. 40-49 16%
4. 50-64 28%
5. 65+ 24%
6. Refused *%

26. [QIncome] Which range includes your annual household income?
1. Less than $30,000 per year 15%
2. $30,000 to $49,999 per year 17%
3. $50,000 to $74,999 per year 20%
4. $75,000 to $125,000 per year 20%
5. More than $125,000 per year 17%
6. Prefer not to say 11%

27. [QUrbanRural] How would you describe the area in which you live?
1. City 25%
2. Suburb near city 32%
3. Small town not near a city 17%
4. Rural or country area 23%
5. Don’t Know 2%

28. [QMarital] What is your current marital status?
1. Single, never married 26%
2. Married 56%
3. Separated 1%
4. Divorced 8%
5. Widowed 6%
6. Prefer not to say 2%

29. [QKids] Do you currently have children under the age of 18 in your home?
1. Yes 27%
2. No 70%
3. Prefer not to say 2%
30. [QConsentPhone] Hello, I’m calling on behalf of Echelon, an opinion research company. We are conducting a survey on current issues facing the country and would appreciate the chance to get your opinions. You will not be sold anything at any point in this survey, and will never be contacted by us for political or marketing reasons. Your responses will be kept confidential and are only used for research purposes. Would you like to participate in the survey?
   1. Yes 77%
   2. No 23%
   3. Unsure -

31. [QVoterName] Am I speaking with [NAME ON FILE]?
   1. Yes 63%
   2. No 37%
   3. Unsure -

32. [QVoterMatch] That’s ok, I’d just like to ask a few questions to see if you qualify for the survey. Could I please continue and get your answers?
   1. Yes 100%
   2. No -
   3. Unsure -

33. [QRegVote] Are you at least 18 years old and registered to vote?
   1. Yes 100%
   2. No -
   3. Unsure -

34. [QIndustryPhone] Do you or does anyone in your household work in journalism, the news media, market research or public relations?
   1. Yes 63%
   2. No 37%
   3. Unsure -