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How well do you feel that you understand the issue of global warming?...Very well, somewhat well, not very well, not well at all?

Thinking about what is said in the news, in your view, is the seriousness of global warming generally exaggerated, generally correct, or is it generally underestimated?

Do you believe global warming is caused by normal climate patterns or by people's behavior such as driving and burning too much fossil fuel like coal and oil?

Do you think the severity of recent hurricanes is most likely the result of global climate change, or is it just the kind of severe weather events that happen from time to time?

Which of the following statements comes closest to your view: Scientists mostly agree that global warming is happening and that it will harm the environment. or There is a lot of disagreement between scientists about global warming and how serious its effects are on the environment.

From what you know about global climate change or global warming, which one of the following statements comes closest to your opinion? a. Global climate change has been established as a serious problem, and immediate action is necessary. b. There is enough evidence that climate change is taking place and some action should be taken. c. We don't know enough about global climate change, and more research is necessary before we take any actions. d. Concern about global climate change is unwarranted.

What do you think is more important: a. Attracting industrial employers and new jobs to the state - even if it means an increase in greenhouse gases that cause global warming; OR b. Reducing greenhouse gases – even if it means losing some industrial employers and jobs to other states.

Which of the following do you most agree with: To reduce global warming we will have to make major sacrifices OR can technology solve the problem without requiring major sacrifices?

For each of the following please tell me whether you favor or oppose it as a way for government to reduce global warming: Increase taxes on electricity so people use less of it.

For each of the following please tell me whether you favor or oppose it as a way for government to reduce global warming: Increase taxes on gasoline so people drive less or buy cars that use less gas.

For each of the following please tell me whether you favor or oppose it as a way for government to reduce global warming: Give companies tax breaks to build nuclear power plants.

For each of the following please tell me whether you favor or oppose it as a way for government to reduce global warming: Give companies tax breaks to produce more electricity from water, wind, and solar power.

For each of the following please tell me whether you favor or oppose it as a way for government to reduce global warming: Place restrictions on greenhouse emissions from cars and industrial facilities such as power plants and factories.

Would you say the government is pretty much run by a few big interests looking out for themselves or that it is run for the benefit of all the people?

How much attention do you feel the government pays to what the people think when it decides what to do -- a good deal, some, or not much?

Please indicate whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, neither agree nor disagree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree with the following statements: I am generally well informed about this show's topic.

Please indicate whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, neither agree nor disagree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree with the following statements: I understand why people would disagree with my perspective on this issue.

Please indicate whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, neither agree nor disagree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree with the following statements: Discussions - even those that involve serious disagreements - should be an important part of the political processes.

Please indicate whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, neither agree nor disagree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree with the following statements: Democracy requires hearing from all sides of a political issue, even those with unpopular views.

What is your political party affiliation?

The terms "liberal" and "conservative" may mean different things to people, depending on the kind of issue one is considering. In terms of ECONOMIC issues, would you say you are:

Now, thinking in terms of social issues and people's behavior, would you say you are:

What race or ethnicity do you consider yourself?

What is the highest level of education you have received?

What was your age on your last birthday?

What is your marital status?

What is your total 2005 household income before taxes? Please keep in mind this information is only for statistical purposes and will remain strictly confidential.

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