

BOSTON GLOBE / WBZ POLL
BOSTON MAYORAL ELECTION

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**The Boston Globe / WBZ Poll – #4
Boston Mayoral Election**

**Conducted by the UNH Survey Center
October 2005**

Technical Report

Field Period: October 15 to October 20, 2005

Hours: 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Median Completion Time: 12 minutes

Sample Size: 513 randomly selected Boston voters (RDD)

Sampling Error: 4.4+/-%

Response Rate (AAPOR #4): 18.5%

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INTRO:

“This is the University of New Hampshire. My name is _____ and I’m calling for the Boston Globe Poll from the University of New Hampshire Survey Center. We are conducting a short, confidential study about politics and life in Boston, and we'd really appreciate your help and cooperation.”

1 CONTINUE

* 99 REFUSED

RESIDENT

“Just to confirm, what city do you live in?”

1 LIVE IN BOSTON OR BOSTON NEIGHBORHOOD:
ALLSTON BRIGHTON, CHARLESTOWN, DORCHESTER, EAST BOSTON, HYDE PARK,
JAMAICA PLAIN, MATTAPAN, NORTH END, ROSLINDALE, ROXBURY, SOUTH BOSTON,
SOUTH END, WEST ROXBURY

2 LIVE OUTSIDE BOSTON ~~SK~~ TERMINATE

* 99 NA / REFUSED ~~SK~~ TERMINATE

BIR1

“In order to determine who to interview, could you tell me, of the REGISTERED VOTERS who currently live in your household -- including yourself -- who had the most recent birthday? I don’t mean who is the youngest, but rather, who had the most recent birthday?”

1 INFORMANT ~~SK~~ SKIP TO SEX

2 SOMEONE ELSE (SPECIFY): _____ ~~SK~~ SKIP TO INT2

3 DON'T KNOW ALL BIRTHDAYS, ONLY SOME ~~SK~~ CONTINUE WITH BIR2 BELOW

4 DON'T KNOW ANY BIRTHDAYS OTHER THAN OWN ~~SK~~ SKIP TO SEX

5 NO REGISTERED VOTERS ~~SK~~ TERMINATE

* 99 REFUSED -- ENTER NON-RESPONSE INFORMATION

BIR2

“Of the ones that you do know, who had the most recent birthday?”

1 INFORMANT _____ ~~SK~~ SKIP TO SEX

2 SOMEONE ELSE (SPECIFY): _____ ~~SK~~ SKIP TO INT2

3 PERSON NOT AVAILABLE

* 99 REFUSED

INT2

ASK TO SPEAK TO THAT PERSON

“Hello, this is _____ calling from the University of New Hampshire for the Boston Globe. We are conducting a short, confidential study about politics and life in Boston, and we'd really appreciate your help and cooperation. You have been identified as the registered voter in your household who had the most recent birthday. Is this correct?”

- 1 YES
- 2 APPOINTMENT

* 99 REFUSAL

SEX

“Thank you very much for helping us with this important study. We really appreciate your help. Before we begin I want to assure you that all of your answers are strictly confidential. They will be combined with answers from other people from across Boston. Your telephone number was randomly selected from all families in Boston. This call may be monitored for quality assurance.”

“Participation is voluntary. If you decide to participate, you may decline to answer any question or end the interview at any time.”

IF ASKED: “This survey will take about ten minutes to complete.”

RECORD SEX OF RESPONDENT

- 1 MALE
- 2 FEMALE

* 99 NA

MIPMA

“First of all ... there are many problems facing the City of Boston today. In general, what do you think is the most IMPORTANT problem facing the City of Boston today?” (PROBE: “Could you be more SPECIFIC or give me an example?”)

RECORD VERBATIM PROBE FOR SPECIFIC RESPONSE

MAYAPP

“GENERALLY SPEAKING, do you approve or disapprove of the way Mayor Menino (men NEE noh) is handling his job as Mayor?”

(IF APPROVE): “Would you say that you STRONGLY approve of the way he is handling his job as Mayor, or that you approve only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF DISAPPROVE): “Would you say that you STRONGLY disapprove of the way he is handling his job as Mayor, or that you disapprove only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF NEITHER, NOT SURE, DK): “Would you say that you lean a little more toward APPROVING or DISAPPROVING of the way he is handling his job as Mayor?”

- 1 STRONGLY APPROVE
- 2 APPROVE SOMEWHAT
- 3 LEAN TOWARD APPROVING

- 4 NEITHER, NOT SURE, DK

- 5 LEAN TOWARD DISAPPROVING
- 6 DISAPPROVE SOMEWHAT
- 7 STRONGLY DISAPPROVE

* 99 NA

MOVE

“If you had the opportunity, would you choose to move out of the city of Boston or would you choose to stay and live in the city?”

- 1 MOVE OUT
- 2 STAY IN BOSTON

- 98 DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

FAV

“Next, I'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of this person -- or if you have never heard of him or her. First, ... how about ...

ROTATE FAV1 TO FAV2

FAV1

“Boston Mayor Tom Menino?”

- 1 FAVORABLE
- 2 NEITHER FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE - VOLUNTEERED
- 3 UNFAVORABLE

98 DK / NEVER HEARD OF / KNOW TOO LITTLE TO SAY
* 99 NA / REFUSED

FAV2 “Boston City Councilor Maura Hennigan?”

REGVOTE

“Let’s turn to politics for a minute. “ Are you registered to vote as a Democrat, Independent, Republican or something else?”

- 1 REGISTERED DEMOCRAT
- 2 REGISTERED INDEPENDENT / UNAFFILIATED
- 3 REGISTERED REPUBLICAN
- 4 REGISTERED - OTHER

- 98 NOT REGISTERED / DK (DO NOT PROBE) ~~SKIPTO DEBATE~~
- * 99 NA / REFUSED ~~SKIPTO DEBATE~~

VOTEINT

“As you know, the election for Mayor of Boston is being held on November 8th. How interested would you say you are in the Boston mayoral election ... extremely interested ... very interested ... somewhat interested ... or not very interested?”

- 1 EXTREMELY INTERESTED
- 2 VERY INTERESTED
- 3 SOMEWHAT INTERESTED
- 4 NOT VERY INTERESTED

- 98 DK (DO NOT PROBE)
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

LIKEVOTE

“Which of the following statements best describes you ... (READ NUMBERS 1 TO 5)

- 1 I will probably NOT vote in the Boston mayoral election, ~~SKIPTO DEBATE~~
- 2 I MAY vote in the mayoral election,
- 3 Unless some emergency comes up, I WILL vote in the mayoral election,
- 4 I will DEFINITELY vote in the mayoral election, or
- 5 I just don’t know at this time.” ~~SKIPTO DEBATE~~

- * 99 NA/REFUSED ~~SKIPTO DEBATE~~

MAYOR

“If the election for Boston Mayor were held today, which of the following would you vote for ... Tom Menino or Maura Hennigan?” (ROTATE CANDIDATES)

- 1 TOM MENINO
- 2 MAURA HENNIGAN
- 3 OTHER CANDIDATE - SPECIFY

- 97 WILL NOT VOTE
- 98 UNDCIDED / DK / NOT SURE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

ASK IF MAYOR = 98

LEAN

“Would you say you lean more toward voting for Mayor Tom Menino or Councilor Maura Hennigan?”

- 1 TOM MENINO
- 2 MAURA HENNIGAN
- 3 OTHER CANDIDATE - SPECIFY

- 97 WILL NOT VOTE
- 98 UNDCIDED / DK / NOT SURE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

DEBATE

“Mayor Menino has agreed to one televised debate and one radio debate with Councilor Hennigan. Do you think Mayor Menino should have agreed to more than two debates or do you think it does not matter in the election?”

- 1 SHOULD HAVE MORE THAN 2 DEBATES
- 2 MAKES NO DIFFERENCE IN ELECTION

- 98 DK / NOT SURE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

ISSUES

“I’d like to ask you about several issues that have been discussed during the race for Mayor of Boston. For each one, please tell me if you think this is a very important issue ... somewhat important ... not very important ... or not important at all?”

ROTATE ISSUE1 TO ISSUE10

ISSUE1

“How important is the issue of crime and safety in Boston?”

IF NECESSARY: “Would you say this is a very important issue ... somewhat important ... not very important ... or not important at all?”

- 1 VERY IMPORTANT ISSUE
- 2 SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT
- 3 NOT VERY IMPORTANT
- 4 NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL

98 DK / NOT SURE

* 99 NA / REFUSED

ISSUE2

“How important is the issue of improving the quality of education provided in Boston Public Schools?”

ISSUE3

“How important is the issue of maintaining and improving City parks?”

ISSUE4

“How important is the issue of keeping city streets clean?”

ISSUE5

“How important is the issue of keeping jobs in Boston?”

ISSUE6

“How important is the issue of after school programs for kids?”

ISSUE7

“How important is the issue of race and ethnic relations?”

ISSUE8

“How important is the issue of City tax rates?”

ISSUE9

“How important is the issue high housing costs?”

ISSUE10

“How important is the issue of rowdy crowds around colleges, bars, and sporting events?”

RATE

“Now I’d like to read the same list of issues. This time, please tell me your opinion of the job the Menino Administration is doing handling each of these issues. Is the Menino Administration doing an excellent job dealing with this issue ... a good job ... a fair job ... a poor job ... or a very poor job?”

RATE1

“How good a job has the Menino administration done with crime and safety in Boston?”

IF NECESSARY: “Would you say the Menino Administration has done an excellent job with this issue ... a good job ... a fair job ... a poor job ... or a very poor job?”

- 1 EXCELLENT
- 2 GOOD
- 3 FAIR
- 4 POOR
- 5 VERY POOR

98 DK / NOT SURE

* 99 NA / REFUSED

RATE2

“How good a job has the Menino administration done improving the quality of education provided in Boston Public Schools?”

RATE3

“How good a job has the Menino administration done maintaining and improving City parks?”

RATE4

“How good a job has the Menino administration done keeping city streets clean?”

RATE5

“How good a job has the Menino administration done keeping jobs in Boston?”

RATE6

“How good a job has the Menino administration done in expanding after school programs for kids?”

RATE7

“How good a job has the Menino administration done with improving race and ethnic relations?”

RATE8

“How good a job has the Menino administration done with City tax rate?”

RATE9

“How good a job has the Menino administration done dealing with high housing costs?”

RATE10

“How good a job has the Menino administration done dealing with rowdy crowds around colleges, bars, and sporting events?”

LIVECOST

“How affordable do you think housing is in the City of Boston ... would you say housing is very affordable in Boston ... somewhat affordable ... not very affordable ... or not affordable at all?”

- 1 VERY AFFORDABLE
- 2 SOMEWHAT AFFORDABLE
- 3 NOT VERY AFFORDABLE
- 4 NOT AFFORDABLE AT ALL

- 98 DK / NOT SURE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

GENT

“Which of the following statements comes closest to your position about living in Boston? People from all social classes can live in Boston if they want to OR Boston has become a city where only wealthy people can afford to live.”

ROTATE OPTIONS

- 1 ALL SOCIAL CLASSES CAN LIVE IN BOSTON
- 2 ONLY WEALTHY CAN LIVE IN BOSTON

- 3 DEPENDS ON WHERE YOU WANT TO LIVE (VOLUNTEERED)

- 98 DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

ZIPC

“Now, a few final questions . . .”

“What is your zip code?” ENTER 5-DIGIT ZIPCODE

- 99998 DK - DO NOT PROBE
- * 99999 NA / REFUSED

D1

“What is the highest grade in school, or level of education that you’ve completed and got credit for ...” [READ RESPONSES]

- 1 “Eighth grade or less,
- 2 Some high school,
- 3 High school graduate, (INCLUDES G.E.D.)
- 4 Technical school,
- 5 Some college,
- 6 College graduate,
- 7 Or postgraduate work?”
- 98 DK (DO NOT PROBE)
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

D2

“GENERALLY SPEAKING, do you usually think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent or what?”

(IF REPUBLICAN): “Would you call yourself a STRONG Republican or a NOT VERY STRONG Republican?”

(IF DEMOCRAT): “Would you call yourself a STRONG Democrat or a NOT VERY STRONG Democrat?”

(IF INDEPENDENT, NO PREFERENCE, OR OTHER): “Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican or to the Democratic party?”

- 1 STRONG DEMOCRAT
- 2 NOT VERY STRONG DEMOCRAT
- 3 INDEPENDENT, BUT CLOSER TO DEMOCRATS
- 4 INDEPENDENT--CLOSER TO NEITHER
- 5 INDEPENDENT, BUT CLOSER TO REPUBLICANS
- 6 NOT VERY STRONG REPUBLICAN
- 7 STRONG REPUBLICAN
- 98 OTHER PARTY
- * 99 DK / NA / REFUSED

D3

“What is your current age?”

___ : ___ : (RECORD EXACT NUMBER OF YEARS OLD -- E.G., 45)
: ___ : ___ :

- 96 NINETY-SIX YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER
- * 97 REFUSED
- * 98 DK
- * 99 NA

D4

“Are you of Hispanic or Spanish origin?”

- 1 YES
- 2 NO
- 98 DON'T KNOW
- * 99 REFUSED

D5

“Which of the following best describes your race? Is it ...White ... African-American ... Asian ... Native-American ... or some other race?”

- 1 WHITE (CAUCASIAN)
- 2 BLACK (AFRICAN-AMERICAN)
- 3 HISPANIC
- 4 ASIAN
- 5 NATIVE AMERICAN
- 6 OTHER – SPECIFY: _____
- 98 DON'T KNOW
- * 99 NO ANSWER/REFUSED

D6

“Including yourself, how many adults CURRENTLY live in your household?”

- 1 ONE
- 2 TWO
- 3 THREE
- 4 FOUR
- 5 FIVE
- 6 SIX
- 7 SEVEN OR MORE
- 98 DK
- * 99 NA / REFUSED

D7

“How much TOTAL income did you and your family receive in 2004, not just from wages or salaries but from ALL sources -- that is, before taxes and other deductions were made? Was it . . . “ (READ CATEGORIES)

	<u>ANNUAL</u>	<u>MONTHLY EQUIVALENT</u>
1	Less than \$15,000,	LESS THAN \$1,250
2	\$15,000 - \$29,999,	\$1,250 - \$2,499
3	\$30,000 - \$44,999,	\$2,500 - \$3,749
4	\$45,000 - \$59,999,	\$3,750 - \$4,999
5	\$60,000 - \$74,999,	\$5,000 - \$6,249
6	\$75,000 - \$99,999, or	\$6,250 - \$8,333
7	\$100,000 and over?”	\$8,334 AND OVER
97	REFUSED	
98	DK	
* 99	NA	

D8

“Not counting business lines, extension phones, or cellular phones -- on how many different telephone NUMBERS can your household be reached?”

- 1 ONE
- 2 TWO
- 3 THREE
- 4 FOUR
- 5 FIVE
- 6 SIX
- 7 SEVEN OR MORE

98 DK

* 99 NA / REFUSED

D9

“Finally, would you be willing to be interviewed by a reporter to discuss your reactions to some of the topics we’ve been talking about?”

- 1 YES ~~✓~~ “Could I have just your first name in case a reporter wants to call you?” _____
- 2 NO / DK (DO NOT PROBE)

* 99 NA / REFUSED

“Thank you for your time and participation. Your input has been very valuable. Goodbye.”

Tabular Results

"First of all ... there are many problems facing the City of Boston today. In general, what do you think is the most IMPORTANT problem facing the City of Boston today?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Crime Violence</u> 26%	<u>Cost of Housing</u> 16%	<u>Qual Educ</u> 15%	<u>Roads/ Traffic</u> 10%	<u>Poverty Homeless</u> 5%	<u>High Taxes</u> 3%	<u>Racial Problems</u> 2%	<u>Other</u> 17%	<u>Don't Know</u> 4%
Democrat	22	17	17	10	6	3	3	19	4
Independent	44	13	15	10	0	1	2	10	6
Republican	30	11	12	17	7	5	0	15	2
Registered Democrat	22	18	17	9	5	3	3	18	5
Independent	35	14	15	11	4	3	2	15	1
Registered Republican	23	9	11	20	12	8	0	14	3
Male	25	13	16	13	5	4	2	18	4
Female	27	19	15	8	5	3	3	16	4
18 to 34	21	10	15	18	9	3	2	17	4
35 to 49	33	16	18	5	5	4	1	15	4
50 to 64	31	13	18	11	3	2	2	19	1
65 and over	21	26	8	9	3	4	5	15	10
White	24	17	18	10	4	4	2	17	4
African American	35	15	9	8	9	1	3	18	1
Hispanic	35	7	12	3	11	0	3	20	10
Other	16	16	23	32	0	0	0	12	0
High school or less	33	12	7	12	10	1	3	18	5
Some college	40	14	12	3	2	2	1	18	7
College graduate	21	18	18	16	4	6	1	14	2
Post-graduate	15	18	24	9	4	4	5	17	3
Less than \$30K	34	14	4	7	9	3	7	15	7
\$30K to \$60K	30	19	15	12	1	1	2	19	1
\$60K to \$75K	32	12	18	14	0	0	3	17	5
\$75K to \$100K	15	6	25	20	6	6	2	16	3
More than \$100K	21	16	30	13	4	3	1	11	2
CBD/E.B./CTown	34	12	13	17	6	5	1	10	2
Back Bay/Fenway	9	19	17	18	13	4	0	15	5
Allston-Brighton	9	14	24	19	1	2	1	20	9
Southwest	23	15	17	5	5	3	6	24	3
Southeast	35	18	13	8	4	3	1	13	4
Extremely interested	27	12	19	7	2	2	5	26	0
Very interested	28	22	16	11	6	3	2	9	3
Some/little interest	25	11	14	12	5	4	2	20	7
May vote in Mayoral race	21	12	9	31	4	5	0	12	6
Vote unless emergency	22	14	19	8	5	4	2	16	9
Definitely vote	30	17	18	8	2	2	4	18	2

"GENERALLY SPEAKING, do you approve or disapprove of the way Mayor Menino is handling his job as Mayor?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Approve</u> 72%	<u>Neutral</u> 7%	<u>Disapprove</u> 21%	<u>(N=)</u> 498
Democrat	75	7	18	332
Independent	52	12	36	50
Republican	77	3	20	73
Registered Democrat	79	7	14	281
Independent	61	8	31	174
Registered Republican	76	4	20	34
Male	70	6	24	233
Female	74	8	18	265
18 to 34	78	10	12	135
35 to 49	69	5	26	145
50 to 64	63	7	30	118
65 and over	75	10	16	67
White	67	9	24	267
African American	85	6	9	110
Hispanic	74	5	21	60
Other	74	3	22	30
High school or less	75	5	20	137
Some college	74	9	17	104
College graduate	67	8	24	108
Post-graduate	71	7	23	136
Less than \$30K	63	9	28	95
\$30K to \$60K	76	5	18	95
\$60K to \$75K	71	11	19	45
\$75K to \$100K	90	4	6	45
More than \$100K	68	3	28	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	66	8	27	58
Back Bay/Fenway	67	8	25	49
Allston-Brighton	73	10	17	49
Southwest	72	7	21	141
Southeast	75	5	19	201
Extremely interested	66	7	27	97
Very interested	74	4	22	173
Some/little interest	75	8	17	202
May vote in Mayoral race	73	12	15	46
Vote unless emergency	81	7	12	105
Definitely vote	70	6	24	258

"If you had the opportunity, would you choose to move out of the city of Boston or would you choose to stay and live in the city?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Move Out</u> 26%	<u>Stay in City</u> 73%	<u>Don't Know</u> 1%	<u>(N=)</u> 512
Democrat	25	74	1	344
Independent	26	74	0	50
Republican	28	72	0	73
Registered Democrat	25	74	1	290
Independent	25	72	2	178
Registered Republican	33	67	0	34
Male	24	75	1	238
Female	27	72	1	274
18 to 34	34	65	1	145
35 to 49	28	72	0	147
50 to 64	17	83	0	118
65 and over	13	81	5	67
White	21	78	1	271
African American	30	69	2	110
Hispanic	29	71	0	60
Other	42	58	0	38
High school or less	27	73	0	137
Some college	34	66	0	105
College graduate	27	71	2	117
Post-graduate	17	81	1	138
Less than \$30K	33	65	2	96
\$30K to \$60K	29	71	0	101
\$60K to \$75K	18	82	0	45
\$75K to \$100K	22	78	0	46
More than \$100K	17	83	0	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	26	70	4	61
Back Bay/Fenway	15	85	0	50
Allston-Brighton	38	62	0	57
Southwest	21	78	1	142
Southeast	28	72	1	203
Extremely interested	20	78	1	98
Very interested	18	80	2	173
Some/little interest	32	68	0	210
May vote in Mayoral race	17	83	0	47
Vote unless emergency	31	69	0	108
Definitely vote	19	79	2	258

"Next, I'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of this person -- or if you have never heard of him or her. Boston Mayor Tom Menino?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Favorable</u> 70%	<u>Neutral</u> 10%	<u>Unfavorable</u> 17%	<u>DK</u> 3%	<u>(N=)</u> 508
Democrat	74	10	12	3	341
Independent	59	9	31	1	49
Republican	68	9	23	0	73
Registered Democrat	79	8	10	4	287
Independent	61	14	25	1	177
Registered Republican	57	17	26	0	34
Male	66	14	16	4	236
Female	73	8	18	1	272
18 to 34	67	17	11	5	144
35 to 49	70	7	22	0	147
50 to 64	65	11	22	2	117
65 and over	84	3	13	0	66
White	69	11	20	0	269
African American	87	5	9	0	108
Hispanic	62	15	12	11	60
Other	65	13	22	0	38
High school or less	68	10	21	1	135
Some college	72	7	14	6	104
College graduate	69	13	18	0	117
Post-graduate	71	11	16	2	137
Less than \$30K	71	7	20	2	95
\$30K to \$60K	61	18	20	1	101
\$60K to \$75K	73	10	17	0	44
\$75K to \$100K	91	4	5	0	46
More than \$100K	71	10	19	0	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	66	11	21	1	60
Back Bay/Fenway	70	10	19	2	50
Allston-Brighton	67	13	13	8	57
Southwest	68	9	20	3	140
Southeast	74	11	14	1	202
Extremely interested	75	3	23	0	94
Very interested	72	9	18	1	173
Some/little interest	71	11	14	4	209
May vote in Mayoral race	68	17	12	4	46
Vote unless emergency	74	11	11	4	108
Definitely vote	73	7	19	1	255

"Next, I'd like to get your overall opinion of some people in the news. As I read each name, please say if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of this person -- or if you have never heard of him or her. Boston City Councilor Maura Hennigan?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Favorable</u> 47%	<u>Neutral</u> 14%	<u>Unfavorable</u> 10%	<u>DK</u> 28%	<u>(N=)</u> 509
Democrat	51	14	8	27	343
Independent	48	16	6	30	49
Republican	37	16	25	22	73
Registered Democrat	51	14	10	26	288
Independent	41	15	9	35	176
Registered Republican	43	15	25	17	34
Male	51	10	12	27	236
Female	43	18	9	30	273
18 to 34	30	18	7	45	145
35 to 49	55	10	15	20	147
50 to 64	55	18	9	19	117
65 and over	57	10	10	24	67
White	54	16	12	18	269
African American	45	7	8	40	108
Hispanic	49	11	1	38	60
Other	20	20	13	46	38
High school or less	50	10	7	33	136
Some college	48	14	9	30	105
College graduate	35	16	12	36	117
Post-graduate	57	15	14	14	135
Less than \$30K	47	11	5	37	96
\$30K to \$60K	40	18	11	30	100
\$60K to \$75K	56	17	12	15	44
\$75K to \$100K	58	11	9	21	46
More than \$100K	52	11	16	21	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	45	10	8	36	61
Back Bay/Fenway	42	15	10	33	49
Allston-Brighton	29	22	11	37	57
Southwest	55	11	11	23	139
Southeast	48	16	11	26	202
Extremely interested	51	16	13	20	96
Very interested	55	11	14	19	173
Some/little interest	41	17	7	35	208
May vote in Mayoral race	35	15	5	45	47
Vote unless emergency	43	14	17	26	107
Definitely vote	55	14	11	20	255

"Let's turn to politics for a minute. Are you registered as a Democrat, Independent, Republican or something else?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Democrat</u> 58%	<u>Independent</u> 36%	<u>Republican</u> 7%	<u>(N=)</u> 503
Democrat	77	22	0	342
Independent	15	83	1	51
Republican	10	47	42	73
Male	56	38	6	235
Female	59	34	7	267
18 to 34	44	47	9	143
35 to 49	59	35	6	145
50 to 64	63	33	4	117
65 and over	67	25	8	67
White	53	38	8	270
African American	73	25	2	108
Hispanic	52	42	6	60
Other	57	39	4	38
High school or less	60	32	8	136
Some college	62	33	5	105
College graduate	51	45	4	115
Post-graduate	56	35	10	134
Less than \$30K	62	26	12	97
\$30K to \$60K	63	34	4	98
\$60K to \$75K	70	27	3	45
\$75K to \$100K	64	31	5	46
More than \$100K	42	44	14	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	49	42	9	60
Back Bay/Fenway	47	46	7	49
Allston-Brighton	57	36	8	56
Southwest	66	31	3	138
Southeast	57	34	9	200
Extremely interested	66	30	4	98
Very interested	60	33	7	174
Some/little interest	57	35	8	210
May vote in Mayoral race	35	59	6	47
Vote unless emergency	64	28	8	109
Definitely vote	66	28	6	258

"As you know, the election for Mayor of Boston is being held on November 8th. How interested would you say you are in the Boston Mayoral election ... extremely interested ... very interested ... somewhat interested ... or not very interested?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Extremely</u> 20%	<u>Very</u> 36%	<u>Some/Little</u> 44%	<u>(N=)</u> 482
Democrat	22	37	41	331
Independent	26	24	50	49
Republican	14	39	47	71
Registered Democrat	22	36	41	288
Independent	18	36	46	160
Registered Republican	11	36	53	33
Male	19	36	45	224
Female	21	36	43	257
18 to 34	8	21	72	127
35 to 49	24	39	37	142
50 to 64	30	46	24	116
65 and over	19	43	38	66
White	22	35	44	267
African American	23	41	35	98
Hispanic	17	23	60	56
Other	14	45	41	33
High school or less	26	34	40	125
Some college	17	34	48	101
College graduate	15	39	45	109
Post-graduate	21	38	41	132
Less than \$30K	22	27	50	95
\$30K to \$60K	14	40	46	92
\$60K to \$75K	21	30	49	45
\$75K to \$100K	15	37	48	46
More than \$100K	22	39	39	77
CBD/E.B./CTown	29	28	43	55
Back Bay/Fenway	15	32	53	47
Allston-Brighton	8	37	55	52
Southwest	24	33	44	137
Southeast	20	42	38	190
May vote in Mayoral race	4	15	81	47
Vote unless emergency	6	41	53	109
Definitely vote	33	44	23	256

"Which of the following statements best describes you ... (READ NUMBERS 1 TO 5) 1) I will probably NOT vote in the Boston mayoral election, 2) I MAY vote in the mayoral primary election, 3) Unless some emergency comes up, I WILL vote in the mayoral election, 4) I will DEFINITELY vote in the mayoral election, or 5) I just don't know at this time."

CITYWIDE	<u>Probably Not</u> 4%	<u>May Vote</u> 10%	<u>Unless Emerg.</u> 23%	<u>Def. Vote</u> 53%	<u>DK</u> 10%	<u>(N=)</u> 483
Democrat	4	8	22	56	10	331
Independent	3	11	18	59	8	49
Republican	5	14	25	46	9	72
Registered Democrat	4	6	24	59	8	289
Independent	4	17	19	45	15	160
Registered Republican	9	8	26	44	12	34
Male	5	10	27	52	6	224
Female	3	10	18	55	14	259
18 to 34	6	23	25	31	16	126
35 to 49	4	4	28	53	10	142
50 to 64	2	7	12	74	5	117
65 and over	3	2	21	63	11	67
White	5	8	26	56	6	268
African American	3	5	17	63	12	99
Hispanic	3	16	21	32	28	56
Other	0	26	12	50	12	33
High school or less	7	11	8	53	21	126
Some college	3	9	28	55	5	102
College graduate	1	7	26	54	10	108
Post-graduate	4	10	27	55	3	133
Less than \$30K	5	10	17	51	17	95
\$30K to \$60K	1	10	19	60	10	92
\$60K to \$75K	6	14	9	61	9	45
\$75K to \$100K	6	9	40	45	1	46
More than \$100K	5	11	30	49	6	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	8	16	18	52	6	56
Back Bay/Fenway	3	10	33	36	16	47
Allston-Brighton	2	16	23	42	17	52
Southwest	3	8	18	60	10	136
Southeast	4	7	24	56	8	191
Extremely interested	1	2	6	87	4	97
Very interested	2	4	25	65	3	174
Some/little interest	7	18	28	28	19	210

"If the election for Boston Mayor were held today, which of the following would you vote for ... Tom Menino or Maura Hennigan?" (ROTATE)

CITYWIDE	<u>Menino</u> 66%	<u>Hennigan</u> 27%	<u>Other</u> 1%	<u>Undecided</u> 6%	<u>(N=)</u> 407
Democrat	67	27	1	5	277
Independent	50	39	1	10	44
Republican	74	21	0	5	61
Registered Democrat	73	21	0	6	250
Independent	53	39	2	6	130
Registered Republican	71	24	0	5	27
Male	65	30	1	4	196
Female	67	25	1	7	211
18 to 34	74	22	0	4	98
35 to 49	67	30	1	3	120
50 to 64	52	39	1	7	108
65 and over	78	13	0	8	56
White	58	34	1	7	236
African American	86	12	1	2	82
Hispanic	80	20	0	0	39
Other	65	35	0	0	29
High school or less	70	26	0	4	91
Some college	71	23	1	5	92
College graduate	69	26	1	4	94
Post-graduate	56	34	2	8	122
Less than \$30K	66	28	0	6	73
\$30K to \$60K	65	29	3	3	82
\$60K to \$75K	54	32	0	14	36
\$75K to \$100K	76	19	0	4	43
More than \$100K	57	39	0	4	69
CBD/E.B./CTown	66	25	0	9	46
Back Bay/Fenway	57	29	2	12	37
Allston-Brighton	68	29	0	3	42
Southwest	64	33	2	1	116
Southeast	69	23	0	8	165
Extremely interested	58	33	1	8	89
Very interested	65	30	1	4	164
Some/little interest	72	21	1	6	152
May vote in Mayoral race	71	26	0	3	45
Vote unless emergency	77	18	0	5	108
Definitely vote	61	31	1	7	254

"Mayor Menino has agreed to one televised debate and one radio debate with Councilor Hennigan. Do you think Mayor Menino should have agreed to more than two debates or do you think it does not matter in the election?"

CITYWIDE	<u>More Than 2</u> 42%	<u>Does Not Matter</u> 54%	<u>Don't Know</u> 4%	<u>(N=)</u> 505
Democrat	40	57	3	338
Independent	52	44	4	51
Republican	47	51	2	72
Registered Democrat	42	55	4	285
Independent	44	51	5	177
Registered Republican	37	62	1	34
Male	49	49	2	236
Female	36	59	5	269
18 to 34	32	64	4	144
35 to 49	53	44	3	145
50 to 64	48	48	4	115
65 and over	37	60	2	67
White	49	48	3	269
African American	39	57	4	107
Hispanic	26	64	10	60
Other	27	70	3	37
High school or less	31	65	4	135
Some college	45	50	5	104
College graduate	45	52	2	115
Post-graduate	49	47	3	137
Less than \$30K	42	52	6	96
\$30K to \$60K	50	48	2	98
\$60K to \$75K	45	49	6	45
\$75K to \$100K	37	63	0	46
More than \$100K	54	45	1	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	38	56	7	60
Back Bay/Fenway	44	48	8	50
Allston-Brighton	44	53	3	56
Southwest	44	52	4	139
Southeast	40	58	2	200
Extremely interested	41	57	2	94
Very interested	50	46	4	174
Some/little interest	35	61	4	207
May vote in Mayoral race	24	64	12	46
Vote unless emergency	38	58	4	108
Definitely vote	49	49	2	254

"I'd like to ask you about several issues that have been discussed during the race for Mayor of Boston. For each one, please tell me if you think this is a very important issue ... somewhat important ... not very important ... or not important at all?" "How important is the issue of crime and safety in Boston?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Very</u>	<u>Somewhat</u>	<u>Not Very</u>	<u>Not Important</u>	<u>Don't</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
	<u>Important</u>	<u>Important</u>	<u>Important</u>	<u>At All</u>	<u>Know</u>	
	88%	10%	1%	1%	1%	511
Democrat	88	10	1	1	0	344
Independent	93	7	0	0	0	51
Republican	87	11	0	0	2	73
Registered Democrat	87	11	1	1	0	288
Independent	89	10	1	0	1	179
Registered Republican	86	9	0	0	5	34
Male	84	13	0	2	1	239
Female	91	8	1	0	0	272
18 to 34	83	14	0	3	0	145
35 to 49	93	7	0	0	0	147
50 to 64	89	7	2	0	1	118
65 and over	85	12	0	0	3	67
White	86	13	1	0	0	272
African American	93	4	1	0	2	109
Hispanic	85	8	0	7	0	60
Other	86	14	0	0	0	38
High school or less	92	6	1	0	1	136
Some college	93	3	0	4	0	105
College graduate	87	12	0	0	1	118
Post-graduate	80	18	1	0	0	138
Less than \$30K	92	8	0	0	0	97
\$30K to \$60K	91	8	0	0	0	101
\$60K to \$75K	88	12	0	0	0	45
\$75K to \$100K	77	21	3	0	0	46
More than \$100K	83	15	1	0	2	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	84	16	0	0	0	60
Back Bay/Fenway	70	30	1	0	0	50
Allston-Brighton	83	9	0	8	0	57
Southwest	88	8	2	0	1	142
Southeast	94	5	0	0	1	203
Extremely interested	85	14	1	0	0	98
Very interested	92	6	0	0	2	174
Some/little interest	84	13	1	2	0	209
May vote in Mayoral race	89	11	0	0	0	46
Vote unless emergency	83	12	0	4	1	109
Definitely vote	87	11	1	0	1	258

"How important is the issue of improving the quality of education in Boston Public Schools?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Very Important</u> 88%	<u>Somewhat Important</u> 7%	<u>Not Very Important</u> 0%	<u>At All</u> 2%	<u>Don't Know</u> 3#	<u>(N=)</u> 512
Democrat	89	7	0	2	2	343
Independent	89	5	0	1	5	51
Republican	86	9	2	2	2	73
Registered Democrat	88	7	0	3	2	289
Independent	88	8	1	0	3	179
Registered Republican	95	4	0	0	1	34
Male	84	11	1	4	1	238
Female	92	4	0	0	4	274
18 to 34	92	4	0	3	2	145
35 to 49	88	7	1	2	3	147
50 to 64	86	10	0	2	2	118
65 and over	86	9	0	1	4	67
White	84	11	0	2	2	271
African American	96	1	0	0	3	109
Hispanic	86	0	0	7	6	60
Other	96	4	0	0	0	38
High school or less	92	3	0	2	3	136
Some college	80	10	1	4	5	105
College graduate	88	8	0	1	3	117
Post-graduate	93	7	0	0	0	138
Less than \$30K	85	6	0	3	6	97
\$30K to \$60K	92	6	0	2	1	101
\$60K to \$75K	96	4	0	0	0	45
\$75K to \$100K	89	8	0	0	3	46
More than \$100K	89	7	2	0	2	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	90	5	0	4	1	61
Back Bay/Fenway	79	19	0	0	1	50
Allston-Brighton	80	9	0	8	4	57
Southwest	91	4	1	1	4	142
Southeast	91	6	0	1	2	203
Extremely interested	93	6	0	1	1	97
Very interested	88	8	0	1	2	174
Some/little interest	86	7	1	3	3	210
May vote in Mayoral race	96	4	0	0	0	47
Vote unless emergency	81	10	1	4	4	109
Definitely vote	91	6	0	1	3	258

"How important is the issue of maintaining and improving City parks?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Very Important</u> 48%	<u>Somewhat Important</u> 45%	<u>Not Very Important</u> 5%	<u>At All</u> 2%	<u>Don't Know</u> 0%	<u>(N=)</u> 327
Democrat	48	47	4	1	0	339
Independent	31	65	4	0	0	51
Republican	38	48	14	1	0	73
Registered Democrat	49	46	3	1	0	284
Independent	40	53	5	2	0	179
Registered Republican	47	36	17	0	0	34
Male	42	48	8	2	0	234
Female	49	48	2	0	1	274
18 to 34	40	52	7	1	0	140
35 to 49	46	45	7	2	0	147
50 to 64	44	51	4	1	0	118
65 and over	51	44	1	2	2	67
White	35	56	7	2	0	271
African American	65	33	1	1	1	109
Hispanic	67	30	3	0	0	56
Other	42	51	8	0	0	38
High school or less	61	35	1	2	1	136
Some college	51	42	6	1	0	100
College graduate	35	60	4	1	0	117
Post-graduate	35	54	9	2	0	138
Less than \$30K	58	37	2	2	0	97
\$30K to \$60K	43	50	5	1	0	101
\$60K to \$75K	40	50	10	0	0	45
\$75K to \$100K	40	52	8	0	0	46
More than \$100K	33	59	6	2	0	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	39	44	9	6	1	61
Back Bay/Fenway	47	41	10	2	0	50
Allston-Brighton	38	53	9	0	0	53
Southwest	52	45	1	0	1	142
Southeast	45	51	4	0	0	203
Extremely interested	55	36	6	3	0	97
Very interested	47	49	2	2	0	174
Some/little interest	39	54	7	0	1	206
May vote in Mayoral race	38	57	5	0	0	47
Vote unless emergency	29	61	8	2	1	104
Definitely vote	50	44	5	1	0	258

"How important is the issue of keeping city streets clean?"

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not Very Important	Not At All	Don't Know	(N=)
CITYWIDE	59%	37%	3%	2%	0%	511
Democrat	60	34	3	2	0	344
Independent	58	39	2	1	0	51
Republican	51	45	1	2	0	73
Registered Democrat	61	33	3	3	0	289
Independent	57	41	2	0	0	179
Registered Republican	62	36	2	0	0	34
Male	51	42	4	3	0	239
Female	66	32	2	0	0	273
18 to 34	47	46	4	3	0	145
35 to 49	56	39	4	1	0	147
50 to 64	69	29	2	1	0	118
65 and over	70	25	0	3	2	67
White	47	49	3	0	0	272
African American	82	15	1	2	1	109
Hispanic	79	14	0	7	0	60
Other	43	46	11	0	0	38
High school or less	84	16	0	0	0	136
Some college	69	25	1	5	0	105
College graduate	48	47	6	0	0	118
Post-graduate	35	58	4	2	1	138
Less than \$30K	71	25	1	2	0	97
\$30K to \$60K	58	37	3	1	1	101
\$60K to \$75K	64	34	2	0	0	45
\$75K to \$100K	47	41	12	0	0	46
More than \$100K	40	57	3	0	0	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	56	40	3	0	1	61
Back Bay/Fenway	54	38	8	0	0	50
Allston-Brighton	38	47	6	9	0	57
Southwest	61	35	2	2	0	141
Southeast	65	33	1	0	0	203
Extremely interested	67	31	1	1	0	98
Very interested	62	36	1	1	0	174
Some/little interest	54	38	5	2	1	210
May vote in Mayoral race	66	30	4	0	0	47
Vote unless emergency	36	51	6	6	1	109
Definitely vote	64	34	2	1	0	258

"How important is the issue of keeping jobs in Boston?"

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not Very Important	Not At All	Don't Know	(N=)
CITYWIDE	86%	12%	1%	0%	0%	508
Democrat	85	14	1	0	0	342
Independent	89	7	2	0	2	51
Republican	88	12	0	0	0	73
Registered Democrat	85	13	1	0	0	286
Independent	88	10	1	0	1	179
Registered Republican	85	15	1	0	0	33
Male	80	17	2	0	0	238
Female	91	8	1	0	0	270
18 to 34	81	16	3	0	0	145
35 to 49	88	11	1	0	0	147
50 to 64	86	14	0	0	0	117
65 and over	92	4	2	1	2	67
White	82	15	2	0	0	271
African American	96	4	0	0	0	109
Hispanic	82	16	2	0	0	60
Other	90	10	0	0	0	38
High school or less	91	8	1	0	0	135
Some college	89	11	0	0	0	105
College graduate	89	10	0	0	1	117
Post-graduate	77	20	4	0	0	138
Less than \$30K	87	10	1	0	1	97
\$30K to \$60K	96	4	0	0	0	101
\$60K to \$75K	79	21	0	0	0	45
\$75K to \$100K	82	17	2	0	0	46
More than \$100K	81	15	4	0	0	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	80	16	3	0	0	60
Back Bay/Fenway	80	17	3	0	0	50
Allston-Brighton	77	22	1	0	0	57
Southwest	87	12	2	0	0	140
Southeast	91	8	0	0	0	203
Extremely interested	87	12	1	0	0	96
Very interested	89	10	1	0	0	173
Some/little interest	83	14	2	0	0	209
May vote in Mayoral race	88	9	3	0	0	46
Vote unless emergency	79	20	1	0	0	108
Definitely vote	88	10	2	0	0	257

"How important is the issue of after school programs for kids?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Very Important</u> 74%	<u>Somewhat Important</u> 20%	<u>Not Very Important</u> 2%	<u>Not At All</u> 2%	<u>Don't Know</u> 2%	(N=) 506
Democrat	75	19	2	2	2	338
Independent	72	22	5	0	1	51
Republican	65	31	1	3	0	73
Registered Democrat	78	15	2	2	3	283
Independent	70	25	3	2	0	179
Registered Republican	61	34	2	4	0	34
Male	61	32	2	3	2	234
Female	85	10	3	1	2	272
18 to 34	73	23	2	0	2	140
35 to 49	70	26	1	1	2	147
50 to 64	77	12	4	5	2	118
65 and over	77	16	5	0	2	66
White	66	28	3	1	2	271
African American	94	4	0	1	1	109
Hispanic	79	17	0	0	4	56
Other	75	14	11	0	0	38
High school or less	84	7	4	1	3	136
Some college	76	17	3	1	3	100
College graduate	70	27	1	1	1	117
Post-graduate	64	30	2	4	0	138
Less than \$30K	83	11	1	2	4	96
\$30K to \$60K	83	13	4	1	0	101
\$60K to \$75K	82	18	0	0	0	45
\$75K to \$100K	64	29	2	3	3	46
More than \$100K	60	37	3	0	0	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	84	14	2	0	0	59
Back Bay/Fenway	66	29	3	1	1	50
Allston-Brighton	56	29	9	2	3	53
Southwest	77	18	0	3	2	142
Southeast	75	19	2	2	3	203
Extremely interested	79	15	2	2	2	97
Very interested	71	22	4	2	1	173
Some/little interest	75	19	1	2	2	204
May vote in Mayoral race	51	40	9	0	0	46
Vote unless emergency	66	28	2	0	3	104
Definitely vote	79	15	1	2	2	257

"How important is the issue of race and ethnic relations?"

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not Very Important	Not At All	Don't Know	(N=)
CITYWIDE	64%	23%	6%	4%	3%	509
Democrat	70	19	7	2	2	342
Independent	43	43	3	5	6	51
Republican	46	36	10	8	0	73
Registered Democrat	68	20	7	3	2	287
Independent	60	27	6	4	3	179
Registered Republican	56	35	5	4	0	34
Male	61	27	6	4	1	239
Female	66	20	7	3	4	271
18 to 34	64	28	6	2	0	144
35 to 49	61	29	6	3	1	147
50 to 64	68	13	9	8	3	118
65 and over	60	26	5	1	8	66
White	58	31	6	5	1	272
African American	81	8	4	2	4	109
Hispanic	69	23	2	4	1	59
Other	66	16	18	0	0	38
High school or less	67	16	7	5	4	136
Some college	61	30	4	4	1	103
College graduate	62	30	4	1	2	118
Post-graduate	65	20	10	3	0	138
Less than \$30K	64	22	5	8	0	95
\$30K to \$60K	67	23	6	1	3	101
\$60K to \$75K	74	21	2	2	0	45
\$75K to \$100K	44	39	8	9	0	46
More than \$100K	69	20	10	1	0	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	62	22	10	6	0	61
Back Bay/Fenway	77	15	5	3	1	50
Allston-Brighton	49	30	14	6	1	57
Southwest	67	23	3	4	3	140
Southeast	64	25	6	1	4	202
Extremely interested	68	22	5	4	1	98
Very interested	68	18	9	3	2	173
Some/little interest	57	31	6	3	3	208
May vote in Mayoral race	39	44	17	0	0	45
Vote unless emergency	58	31	7	2	2	108
Definitely vote	68	21	6	3	3	258

"How important is the issue of City tax rates?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Very Important</u> 64%	<u>Somewhat Important</u> 25%	<u>Not Very Important</u> 7%	<u>Not At All</u> 2%	<u>Don't Know</u> 2%	<u>(N=)</u> 506
Democrat	62	28	6	2	2	338
Independent	69	17	9	0	6	51
Republican	70	21	4	3	2	73
Registered Democrat	62	26	7	3	2	284
Independent	67	22	7	0	3	179
Registered Republican	74	24	1	1	0	34
Male	60	24	11	3	2	234
Female	68	25	3	1	3	272
18 to 34	57	31	9	0	3	140
35 to 49	67	21	9	2	2	147
50 to 64	69	23	5	3	1	118
65 and over	61	23	5	5	6	66
White	57	32	6	2	3	271
African American	70	18	7	4	2	109
Hispanic	74	21	2	0	3	56
Other	75	6	17	0	3	38
High school or less	67	19	7	4	2	136
Some college	83	14	2	0	2	100
College graduate	60	28	7	1	5	117
Post-graduate	50	37	10	2	1	138
Less than \$30K	69	18	1	5	7	96
\$30K to \$60K	63	24	11	2	0	101
\$60K to \$75K	70	22	3	0	6	45
\$75K to \$100K	57	27	16	0	0	46
More than \$100K	53	36	9	2	0	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	64	19	9	4	5	60
Back Bay/Fenway	54	31	9	1	5	50
Allston-Brighton	60	27	9	3	1	53
Southwest	59	29	8	2	3	141
Southeast	72	22	4	1	1	203
Extremely interested	67	23	8	0	2	97
Very interested	68	21	6	3	2	173
Some/little interest	61	29	5	2	2	206
May vote in Mayoral race	70	27	3	0	0	47
Vote unless emergency	61	27	7	3	1	104
Definitely vote	63	26	8	1	2	257

"How important is the issue of high housing costs?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Very Important</u> 78%	<u>Somewhat Important</u> 15%	<u>Not Very Important</u> 4%	<u>At All</u> 1%	<u>Don't Know</u> 2%	(N=) 508
Democrat	81	14	2	1	2	342
Independent	76	20	0	0	4	51
Republican	71	21	5	2	2	73
Registered Democrat	83	11	2	2	3	285
Independent	73	20	7	1	0	179
Registered Republican	78	15	2	1	4	34
Male	71	18	7	2	2	236
Female	85	13	1	1	1	272
18 to 34	77	15	8	0	0	145
35 to 49	75	18	2	3	2	147
50 to 64	79	16	3	1	1	117
65 and over	86	7	0	2	5	67
White	74	17	5	2	2	271
African American	87	8	3	1	2	109
Hispanic	85	9	4	0	2	60
Other	67	33	0	0	0	38
High school or less	81	11	5	2	2	136
Some college	84	11	1	2	1	105
College graduate	77	15	5	0	3	118
Post-graduate	71	24	3	1	1	136
Less than \$30K	87	6	1	2	4	97
\$30K to \$60K	80	13	6	1	0	101
\$60K to \$75K	85	12	3	0	0	45
\$75K to \$100K	82	10	3	2	3	46
More than \$100K	63	29	6	1	2	77
CBD/E.B./CTown	60	27	5	6	2	60
Back Bay/Fenway	69	21	6	2	2	50
Allston-Brighton	64	23	9	1	3	57
Southwest	81	13	4	0	1	139
Southeast	88	9	1	0	1	203
Extremely interested	85	11	1	1	1	98
Very interested	78	15	4	2	1	172
Some/little interest	78	16	4	0	2	207
May vote in Mayoral race	76	16	8	0	0	46
Vote unless emergency	79	17	2	1	0	109
Definitely vote	80	13	3	1	3	256

"How important is the issue of rowdy crowds around colleges, bars, and sporting events?"

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not Very Important	Not At All	Don't Know	(N=)
CITYWIDE	39%	35%	14%	9%	3%	507
Democrat	36	34	15	11	3	340
Independent	34	38	17	6	5	51
Republican	49	39	7	2	2	73
Registered Democrat	39	32	14	11	4	284
Independent	35	39	17	7	2	179
Registered Republican	49	46	3	0	1	34
Male	31	35	19	14	1	236
Female	46	35	11	5	5	271
18 to 34	22	41	18	17	2	145
35 to 49	38	36	15	10	2	146
50 to 64	47	28	14	5	6	117
65 and over	55	34	8	0	3	67
White	28	41	21	8	2	271
African American	54	31	6	7	2	106
Hispanic	38	30	11	17	4	60
Other	55	15	6	11	13	38
High school or less	54	26	3	13	5	133
Some college	47	28	14	7	4	105
College graduate	32	36	22	8	2	117
Post-graduate	21	49	21	9	0	138
Less than \$30K	55	20	11	11	3	95
\$30K to \$60K	41	35	11	8	5	100
\$60K to \$75K	34	44	22	1	0	45
\$75K to \$100K	21	35	20	21	3	46
More than \$100K	18	49	23	10	0	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	38	35	17	8	1	60
Back Bay/Fenway	17	49	11	21	2	50
Allston-Brighton	44	18	18	8	12	57
Southwest	39	32	16	9	4	140
Southeast	42	38	12	7	0	201
Extremely interested	44	30	15	10	2	94
Very interested	43	34	14	5	3	174
Some/little interest	33	37	15	12	2	209
May vote in Mayoral race	29	31	22	6	13	46
Vote unless emergency	28	45	13	14	0	109
Definitely vote	42	32	17	6	2	254

"Now I'd like to read the same list of issues. This time, please tell me your opinion of the job the Menino Administration is doing handling each of these issues. Is the Menino Administration doing an excellent job with this issue ... a good job ... a fair job ... a poor job ... or a very poor job?" ROTATE QUESTIONS

"How good a job has the Menino administration done with crime and safety in Boston?"

	<u>Excellent</u> 9%	<u>Good</u> 35%	<u>Fair</u> 32%	<u>Poor</u> 14%	<u>Very Poor</u> 6%	<u>Don't Know</u> 5%	<u>(N=)</u> 500
CITYWIDE							
Democrat	8	37	34	11	4	6	342
Independent	5	27	33	19	16	0	51
Republican	14	38	26	11	9	1	73
Registered Democrat	9	39	35	8	5	4	280
Independent	5	30	30	24	6	5	179
Registered Republican	25	33	16	9	12	5	33
Male	7	38	29	16	5	5	235
Female	10	32	35	11	7	5	265
18 to 34	6	36	27	17	4	10	145
35 to 49	11	32	30	18	6	4	147
50 to 64	11	37	36	7	8	1	118
65 and over	6	36	39	8	7	4	67
White	7	37	34	13	4	3	271
African American	10	32	36	11	9	2	109
Hispanic	8	35	19	13	10	15	60
Other	17	29	28	19	0	7	38
High school or less	10	33	25	18	10	4	136
Some college	9	23	37	12	9	10	105
College graduate	7	35	35	16	3	4	118
Post-graduate	8	46	32	8	3	3	138
Less than \$30K	13	22	32	12	21	1	97
\$30K to \$60K	7	30	43	12	6	2	101
\$60K to \$75K	6	47	36	8	0	3	45
\$75K to \$100K	3	56	31	6	0	5	46
More than \$100K	10	36	31	19	3	1	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	7	40	28	12	10	3	59
Back Bay/Fenway	5	45	35	4	0	10	49
Allston-Brighton	7	34	33	12	4	10	57
Southwest	11	32	29	10	12	5	137
Southeast	9	33	35	19	2	2	199
Extremely interested	19	34	22	14	9	2	97
Very interested	8	38	36	11	6	1	171
Some/little interest	5	35	35	11	5	8	203
May vote in Mayoral race	0	35	38	7	8	11	45
Vote unless emergency	9	39	27	14	3	7	104
Definitely vote	10	36	35	11	6	2	256

"How good a job has the Menino administration done improving the quality of education provided in Boston Public Schools Boston?"

	<u>Excellent</u> 6%	<u>Good</u> 28%	<u>Fair</u> 31%	<u>Poor</u> 13%	<u>Very Poor</u> 8%	<u>Don't Know</u> 14%	<u>(N=)</u> 499
CITYWIDE							
Democrat	7	31	31	12	7	12	342
Independent	1	14	31	16	15	23	51
Republican	7	32	23	9	10	18	73
Registered Democrat	8	32	29	12	6	13	279
Independent	2	23	33	15	10	17	179
Registered Republican	11	32	23	9	10	14	33
Male	5	27	33	11	9	16	234
Female	7	30	28	14	7	13	265
18 to 34	3	28	31	15	3	21	145
35 to 49	7	27	24	13	12	17	147
50 to 64	6	34	36	9	10	6	118
65 and over	10	24	29	15	11	11	66
White	2	27	33	13	9	16	270
African American	13	30	35	11	6	5	109
Hispanic	6	39	17	10	11	18	60
Other	11	14	25	19	3	28	38
High school or less	12	34	31	11	7	6	136
Some college	5	27	23	17	9	20	104
College graduate	2	20	28	13	11	25	118
Post-graduate	3	31	38	11	6	9	138
Less than \$30K	9	24	35	8	13	12	96
\$30K to \$60K	4	31	34	17	7	7	101
\$60K to \$75K	2	41	23	14	7	13	45
\$75K to \$100K	5	24	40	8	3	20	46
More than \$100K	1	29	31	16	11	13	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	5	33	26	9	12	15	58
Back Bay/Fenway	0	21	22	16	3	38	49
Allston-Brighton	0	29	35	14	2	19	57
Southwest	7	21	38	11	11	12	137
Southeast	9	34	28	14	8	8	198
Extremely interested	13	26	31	8	15	8	95
Very interested	7	35	30	10	8	11	171
Some/little interest	2	27	29	17	6	19	203
May vote in Mayoral race	4	30	26	11	5	24	45
Vote unless emergency	3	38	22	16	2	19	104
Definitely vote	9	26	34	11	11	10	254

"How good a job has the Menino administration done maintaining and improving City parks?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Excellent</u> 14%	<u>Good</u> 48%	<u>Fair</u> 21%	<u>Poor</u> 5%	<u>Very Poor</u> 3%	<u>Don't Know</u> 9%	(N=) 494
Democrat	14	49	20	5	3	8	338
Independent	6	46	32	3	4	9	51
Republican	19	48	17	5	3	7	72
Registered Democrat	16	50	20	4	3	6	276
Independent	8	46	25	7	1	13	178
Registered Republican	33	40	11	4	7	6	32
Male	16	47	20	6	2	9	230
Female	12	49	22	5	3	9	264
18 to 34	13	49	18	7	1	11	141
35 to 49	19	48	20	5	2	6	147
50 to 64	9	52	22	5	5	8	117
65 and over	16	37	27	3	5	13	67
White	13	49	21	4	2	9	269
African American	15	44	28	4	3	6	109
Hispanic	13	50	14	6	6	11	56
Other	17	51	9	10	3	10	38
High school or less	15	49	23	4	5	4	136
Some college	18	44	18	4	5	12	99
College graduate	8	50	20	9	0	13	118
Post-graduate	16	48	23	4	1	9	138
Less than \$30K	17	38	21	5	11	8	95
\$30K to \$60K	10	54	23	6	0	7	101
\$60K to \$75K	10	53	27	5	3	3	45
\$75K to \$100K	15	47	24	5	0	9	46
More than \$100K	19	52	23	4	0	2	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	20	53	12	3	4	8	59
Back Bay/Fenway	5	53	20	7	0	15	49
Allston-Brighton	13	48	16	13	0	9	51
Southwest	12	35	31	4	6	11	137
Southeast	16	54	18	4	2	6	198
Extremely interested	25	44	20	2	6	3	95
Very interested	13	50	25	2	3	7	170
Some/little interest	12	49	19	6	1	13	199
May vote in Mayoral race	7	56	20	5	0	11	45
Vote unless emergency	21	50	15	5	0	9	100
Definitely vote	14	47	24	3	3	8	255

"How good a job has the Menino administration done keeping city streets clean?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Excellent</u> 11%	<u>Good</u> 35%	<u>Fair</u> 31%	<u>Poor</u> 13%	<u>Very Poor</u> 5%	<u>Don't Know</u> 5%	<u>(N=)</u> 498
Democrat	10	35	33	12	5	5	341
Independent	6	39	29	23	2	1	51
Republican	15	41	27	7	10	0	73
Registered Democrat	12	36	33	10	5	4	279
Independent	6	32	30	21	4	6	178
Registered Republican	23	41	22	1	12	0	33
Male	12	33	30	16	5	5	235
Female	10	37	33	11	6	4	263
18 to 34	8	35	28	10	9	10	145
35 to 49	14	32	31	18	2	2	146
50 to 64	8	36	37	14	5	2	118
65 and over	14	33	33	9	8	3	67
White	10	39	30	14	3	3	270
African American	13	29	36	16	3	2	109
Hispanic	7	32	29	10	7	15	60
Other	14	24	34	0	24	4	38
High school or less	14	26	39	15	4	2	136
Some college	12	36	24	11	8	10	105
College graduate	5	35	31	16	9	4	117
Post-graduate	12	42	31	11	2	3	138
Less than \$30K	6	34	32	14	14	1	97
\$30K to \$60K	7	37	34	14	7	1	100
\$60K to \$75K	4	40	42	12	0	3	45
\$75K to \$100K	19	31	35	10	1	5	46
More than \$100K	13	41	31	15	0	0	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	9	40	25	19	4	3	59
Back Bay/Fenway	6	41	32	9	2	10	49
Allston-Brighton	13	27	25	6	18	10	57
Southwest	11	29	33	16	6	6	137
Southeast	12	38	34	13	2	1	197
Extremely interested	14	42	27	12	4	1	97
Very interested	11	33	39	13	4	1	170
Some/little interest	9	36	29	12	5	8	203
May vote in Mayoral race	7	33	36	9	4	11	45
Vote unless emergency	15	39	28	8	3	8	103
Definitely vote	11	38	32	15	3	1	256

"How good a job has the Menino administration done keeping jobs in Boston?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Excellent</u> 6%	<u>Good</u> 27%	<u>Fair</u> 33%	<u>Poor</u> 13%	<u>Very Poor</u> 5%	<u>Don't Know</u> 16%	(N=) 497
Democrat	5	31	34	11	4	16	342
Independent	5	24	29	20	5	16	51
Republican	11	17	36	19	9	7	71
Registered Democrat	4	32	34	9	5	16	279
Independent	5	22	32	21	5	16	177
Registered Republican	23	15	37	8	10	7	33
Male	3	25	36	15	6	16	234
Female	8	29	30	12	5	16	263
18 to 34	4	22	38	16	0	19	145
35 to 49	6	26	36	14	6	12	147
50 to 64	7	27	27	13	10	17	116
65 and over	5	35	31	9	6	15	67
White	4	30	32	12	5	17	270
African American	6	25	41	16	4	8	109
Hispanic	8	31	27	5	7	22	60
Other	14	14	27	29	3	13	38
High school or less	8	31	30	18	6	7	136
Some college	3	21	41	7	8	20	105
College graduate	5	24	38	13	4	16	117
Post-graduate	5	31	27	15	2	20	136
Less than \$30K	5	26	32	15	12	11	96
\$30K to \$60K	5	33	41	12	3	7	101
\$60K to \$75K	6	25	37	10	4	17	45
\$75K to \$100K	0	24	46	6	7	17	46
More than \$100K	7	24	39	19	1	11	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	7	30	27	18	9	9	59
Back Bay/Fenway	2	21	28	15	1	33	49
Allston-Brighton	3	21	36	16	3	21	57
Southwest	5	31	29	10	8	17	137
Southeast	8	27	38	13	4	11	195
Extremely interested	16	34	24	8	10	7	95
Very interested	4	28	36	12	4	16	170
Some/little interest	3	26	35	14	4	19	203
May vote in Mayoral race	0	34	35	18	0	14	45
Vote unless emergency	3	31	34	9	1	23	104
Definitely vote	7	31	30	12	7	13	253

"How good a job has the Menino administration done in expanding after school programs for kids?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Excellent</u> 8%	<u>Good</u> 21%	<u>Fair</u> 24%	<u>Poor</u> 9%	<u>Very Poor</u> 5%	<u>Don't Know</u> 33%	<u>(N=)</u> 489
Democrat	9	18	28	9	4	31	337
Independent	5	17	22	15	2	39	51
Republican	8	36	13	7	5	31	68
Registered Democrat	9	21	27	9	5	28	276
Independent	5	21	21	10	4	40	174
Registered Republican	11	31	18	0	9	31	32
Male	5	22	22	8	5	37	229
Female	10	21	25	10	5	30	260
18 to 34	7	26	24	6	1	37	139
35 to 49	9	18	24	9	9	31	147
50 to 64	8	18	26	11	3	34	115
65 and over	5	19	24	8	8	35	66
White	2	21	20	8	3	45	267
African American	17	23	35	13	5	8	109
Hispanic	13	28	26	5	8	20	56
Other	14	11	18	12	12	34	38
High school or less	18	26	26	7	9	14	136
Some college	8	17	27	9	6	32	97
College graduate	2	16	21	10	3	48	118
Post-graduate	1	24	23	9	1	41	135
Less than \$30K	5	24	23	10	11	26	95
\$30K to \$60K	5	22	30	12	3	28	101
\$60K to \$75K	12	19	34	6	1	28	45
\$75K to \$100K	7	13	35	10	0	35	45
More than \$100K	1	31	22	6	3	37	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	7	34	21	7	7	24	58
Back Bay/Fenway	0	15	20	10	1	54	49
Allston-Brighton	6	13	28	3	0	49	50
Southwest	9	15	22	10	7	37	137
Southeast	9	25	27	10	5	25	196
Extremely interested	17	25	16	12	7	23	95
Very interested	7	16	26	12	5	34	166
Some/little interest	4	24	28	6	4	35	199
May vote in Mayoral race	4	31	32	1	0	32	45
Vote unless emergency	1	25	23	11	0	40	99
Definitely vote	10	19	24	10	6	31	251

"How good a job has the Menino administration done with improving race and ethnic relations?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Excellent</u> 9%	<u>Good</u> 33%	<u>Fair</u> 30%	<u>Poor</u> 8%	<u>Very Poor</u> 5%	<u>Don't Know</u> 15%	(N=) 491
Democrat	9	35	30	8	4	14	339
Independent	6	24	36	14	0	20	51
Republican	12	38	24	6	6	15	69
Registered Democrat	10	38	30	5	4	14	277
Independent	6	26	33	13	5	16	176
Registered Republican	21	30	15	7	7	21	30
Male	6	41	28	7	5	13	232
Female	11	26	32	9	4	17	260
18 to 34	5	34	27	12	1	22	144
35 to 49	9	24	39	7	7	15	146
50 to 64	13	33	31	8	3	12	114
65 and over	12	41	21	3	10	12	66
White	7	36	33	7	3	14	266
African American	10	37	31	6	6	11	109
Hispanic	11	22	23	10	9	25	59
Other	17	24	17	19	12	11	38
High school or less	10	33	27	8	6	16	136
Some college	17	26	25	8	6	18	102
College graduate	4	33	37	11	1	14	116
Post-graduate	6	38	33	6	5	13	134
Less than \$30K	6	35	23	9	13	14	94
\$30K to \$60K	8	29	39	13	1	11	100
\$60K to \$75K	14	29	38	2	1	15	45
\$75K to \$100K	3	33	34	4	3	23	44
More than \$100K	9	40	32	7	3	8	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	11	34	31	7	6	12	59
Back Bay/Fenway	8	29	36	3	0	24	49
Allston-Brighton	0	36	25	15	0	24	53
Southwest	7	29	32	8	7	16	135
Southeast	12	35	29	9	5	10	196
Extremely interested	24	32	24	10	3	8	95
Very interested	7	29	39	6	7	12	166
Some/little interest	5	38	27	5	4	22	202
May vote in Mayoral race	2	26	36	0	5	30	43
Vote unless emergency	5	40	24	5	3	23	104
Definitely vote	12	34	32	8	5	9	250

"How good a job has the Menino administration done with the City tax rate?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Excellent</u> 4%	<u>Good</u> 22%	<u>Fair</u> 33%	<u>Poor</u> 14%	<u>Very Poor</u> 9%	<u>Don't Know</u> 18%	(N=) 499
Democrat	4	23	36	11	6	20	342
Independent	3	17	32	23	15	12	51
Republican	4	20	28	23	17	8	73
Registered Democrat	3	24	37	10	7	19	280
Independent	3	17	31	18	12	19	177
Registered Republican	5	23	25	30	12	5	33
Male	2	27	33	13	8	17	235
Female	5	17	34	16	9	20	263
18 to 34	2	23	30	13	3	30	145
35 to 49	1	18	42	17	6	16	147
50 to 64	6	20	32	17	17	8	118
65 and over	8	23	26	11	15	16	66
White	2	22	33	15	9	19	270
African American	4	20	50	11	4	10	109
Hispanic	10	19	24	17	6	23	60
Other	3	30	11	18	9	29	38
High school or less	7	16	37	17	7	16	136
Some college	3	15	37	10	14	21	104
College graduate	2	23	30	17	5	24	118
Post-graduate	2	31	31	13	9	14	138
Less than \$30K	3	14	24	20	17	22	96
\$30K to \$60K	1	16	55	9	6	13	101
\$60K to \$75K	2	22	36	19	4	17	45
\$75K to \$100K	0	31	27	15	8	19	46
More than \$100K	3	34	35	15	2	10	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	5	35	24	10	14	13	58
Back Bay/Fenway	0	28	36	12	4	20	49
Allston-Brighton	3	8	31	18	7	34	57
Southwest	2	23	29	14	11	21	137
Southeast	5	19	40	15	8	13	198
Extremely interested	9	28	32	11	11	9	97
Very interested	2	22	35	15	11	15	170
Some/little interest	2	20	33	14	6	24	203
May vote in Mayoral race	0	17	34	20	4	25	45
Vote unless emergency	3	30	26	11	4	26	104
Definitely vote	3	23	37	13	11	12	256

"How good a job has the Menino administration done dealing with high housing costs?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Excellent</u> 5%	<u>Good</u> 14%	<u>Fair</u> 28%	<u>Poor</u> 28%	<u>Very Poor</u> 14%	<u>Don't Know</u> 11%	(N=) 491
Democrat	5	15	27	28	14	11	337
Independent	4	4	39	34	9	10	51
Republican	4	17	26	23	19	10	71
Registered Democrat	5	14	30	29	12	9	273
Independent	5	14	23	27	15	15	177
Registered Republican	5	11	32	26	19	7	33
Male	3	16	27	29	14	11	229
Female	7	12	28	28	14	11	262
18 to 34	1	13	27	30	15	14	141
35 to 49	5	11	34	27	13	10	146
50 to 64	8	14	25	29	16	9	116
65 and over	5	22	20	26	13	14	67
White	3	13	29	30	12	13	269
African American	7	15	24	31	17	6	109
Hispanic	7	10	29	20	16	18	56
Other	8	23	33	16	13	7	38
High school or less	11	12	22	35	12	8	136
Some college	5	14	25	20	19	17	100
College graduate	0	10	33	30	15	12	117
Post-graduate	4	20	31	27	11	8	135
Less than \$30K	4	10	22	30	26	7	96
\$30K to \$60K	2	10	42	31	9	7	101
\$60K to \$75K	5	21	34	30	8	4	45
\$75K to \$100K	4	8	30	32	11	15	46
More than \$100K	6	23	27	31	6	9	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	3	20	21	32	13	10	59
Back Bay/Fenway	0	10	39	28	1	22	48
Allston-Brighton	0	4	37	19	20	20	53
Southwest	7	15	24	30	17	7	137
Southeast	7	15	27	29	14	9	195
Extremely interested	14	11	26	28	11	10	95
Very interested	4	17	29	30	12	9	169
Some/little interest	2	14	28	28	15	13	198
May vote in Mayoral race	0	15	31	16	24	13	45
Vote unless emergency	3	16	27	32	5	17	100
Definitely vote	6	15	28	29	13	9	251

"How good a job has the Menino administration done dealing with rowdy crowds around colleges, bars, and sporting events?"

CITYWIDE	<u>Excellent</u> 8%	<u>Good</u> 27%	<u>Fair</u> 31%	<u>Poor</u> 17%	<u>Very Poor</u> 5%	<u>Don't Know</u> 12%	(N=) 495
Democrat	8	29	30	16	4	12	338
Independent	5	18	37	21	10	9	51
Republican	12	23	33	18	7	7	72
Registered Democrat	8	31	28	16	5	12	277
Independent	7	23	35	19	6	11	178
Registered Republican	16	16	34	17	7	10	32
Male	7	25	34	17	5	11	231
Female	9	28	29	16	5	12	264
18 to 34	7	20	36	19	3	16	142
35 to 49	10	22	33	16	9	10	147
50 to 64	8	31	27	20	4	11	117
65 and over	13	38	22	9	6	11	66
White	7	28	29	21	5	9	269
African American	9	32	33	13	4	9	108
Hispanic	12	17	33	9	6	24	60
Other	15	17	26	18	3	21	36
High school or less	13	23	28	15	5	16	136
Some college	8	23	27	18	10	14	103
College graduate	8	26	32	22	4	8	115
Post-graduate	5	32	37	14	3	9	137
Less than \$30K	9	28	23	15	10	14	95
\$30K to \$60K	5	31	31	23	0	10	101
\$60K to \$75K	4	25	43	23	1	5	45
\$75K to \$100K	14	23	32	12	10	8	43
More than \$100K	3	26	39	19	5	8	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	9	22	32	17	9	11	59
Back Bay/Fenway	2	30	34	23	1	9	46
Allston-Brighton	8	18	31	21	1	20	56
Southwest	8	33	26	13	8	12	136
Southeast	10	26	34	17	4	10	199
Extremely interested	19	36	15	15	7	8	95
Very interested	8	29	31	17	6	10	171
Some/little interest	5	23	35	18	4	14	200
May vote in Mayoral race	5	10	41	14	4	26	45
Vote unless emergency	10	22	31	19	4	15	101
Definitely vote	10	34	27	15	5	8	254

"How affordable do you think housing is in the City of Boston ... would you say housing is very affordable in Boston ... somewhat affordable ... not very affordable ... or not affordable at all?"

	<u>Very Affordable</u> 4%	<u>Somewhat Affordable</u> 13%	<u>Not Very Affordable</u> 46%	<u>Not At All</u> 35%	<u>Don't Know</u> 2%	<u>(N=)</u> 499
CITYWIDE						
Democrat	3	12	46	36	2	344
Independent	0	20	43	33	4	51
Republican	8	10	53	29	1	73
Registered Democrat	4	11	41	41	2	280
Independent	0	17	55	26	2	178
Registered Republican	15	10	41	32	1	33
Male	4	17	45	31	3	234
Female	4	10	47	38	1	265
18 to 34	3	17	43	35	2	145
35 to 49	6	11	44	38	0	147
50 to 64	1	11	54	34	0	118
65 and over	2	16	41	31	10	67
White	2	10	52	34	2	272
African American	4	18	38	39	2	110
Hispanic	8	15	39	32	6	60
Other	4	16	51	29	0	38
High school or less	11	19	39	31	2	137
Some college	1	12	35	45	7	105
College graduate	2	9	53	35	1	118
Post-graduate	1	12	57	30	0	137
Less than \$30K	12	13	32	41	3	97
\$30K to \$60K	4	11	52	30	2	101
\$60K to \$75K	0	9	54	37	0	45
\$75K to \$100K	2	11	36	51	0	46
More than \$100K	0	18	54	28	0	78
CBD/E.B./CTown	4	13	46	36	1	60
Back Bay/Fenway	4	8	62	25	0	50
Allston-Brighton	5	13	49	30	3	57
Southwest	5	22	38	33	2	136
Southeast	2	9	47	39	3	197
Extremely interested	3	15	50	30	1	96
Very interested	5	15	43	34	3	170
Some/little interest	3	10	46	39	2	204
May vote in Mayoral race	0	17	56	21	5	46
Vote unless emergency	1	8	42	45	3	104
Definitely vote	4	14	45	36	1	254

"Which of the following statements comes closest to your position about living in Boston? People from all social classes can live in Boston if they want to OR Boston has become a city where only wealthy people can afford to live?"

	<u>All Social Classes Can Afford Boston</u>	<u>Only Wealthy Can Live in Boston</u>	<u>Depends Where You Want to Live</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>(N=)</u>
CITYWIDE	42%	45%	8%	5%	491
Democrat	42	44	8	6	338
Independent	37	48	9	6	51
Republican	47	43	9	1	72
Registered Democrat	43	46	6	5	278
Independent	37	46	11	6	173
Registered Republican	52	35	11	1	33
Male	45	42	8	5	231
Female	39	47	9	5	260
18 to 34	38	48	12	2	144
35 to 49	45	40	9	6	145
50 to 64	39	53	4	4	114
65 and over	50	35	7	9	67
White	41	43	10	6	267
African American	42	53	5	0	108
Hispanic	38	44	7	11	60
Other	56	28	10	6	38
High school or less	47	42	9	2	137
Some college	42	45	7	6	104
College graduate	39	46	11	4	117
Post-graduate	40	45	6	9	132
Less than \$30K	43	44	9	4	95
\$30K to \$60K	43	45	7	5	101
\$60K to \$75K	23	63	14	0	45
\$75K to \$100K	46	48	3	3	45
More than \$100K	47	41	6	6	75
CBD/E.B./CTown	47	45	4	4	59
Back Bay/Fenway	40	47	6	8	49
Allston-Brighton	57	24	14	5	56
Southwest	41	44	9	6	133
Southeast	38	51	8	4	194
Extremely interested	44	46	7	3	93
Very interested	42	48	4	6	170
Some/little interest	43	43	9	5	200
May vote in Mayoral race	44	42	9	5	46
Vote unless emergency	42	43	7	9	104
Definitely vote	41	48	6	4	251