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LIKELY VOTERS
MAY 13-15, 2008
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SAMPLE:

n=802 Likely Voters MoE=3.46%

NO CODE/ASK ALL QUESTIONS

INTRODUCTION: Good evening. My name is \_\_\_\_\_\_ and I'm calling from Wilson Research Strategies, a national public opinion firm. This evening we're conducting a short scientific study and we'd like to get your opinions. We're not selling anything and your responses will be completely confidential.

- 1. Are you registered at this address?
  - 1. Yes ......100%
  - 2. No/All other .....TERMINATE
- 2. And how likely would you say you are to vote in the November 2008 general elections for President, U.S. Congress and various state and local offices? Would you say you will...ROTATE TOP-TO-BOTTOM, BOTTOM-TO-TOP
  - 1. Definitely vote ...... 90%
  - 2. Probably vote ...... 10%
  - 3. Probably not vote......TERMINATE ...or...
  - 4. Definitely not vote......TERMINATE
  - 5. DK/Refused .....TERMINATE



3. Congress is considering legislation to place strict caps on the amount of greenhouse gases that power plants, fuel refiners and producers, chemical producers and other manufacturers may release into the atmosphere. The proposal – often referred to as "cap-and-trade" – would also establish an emissions trading system permitting companies to sell their unused emissions allowances. Economic studies suggest that the proposal would increase the cost of energy and consumer prices while slowing the economy and costing jobs.

How much extra would you be willing to pay for gasoline in the near term (with more increases to come later) – on top of increases that would occur anyway – in an effort to reduce U.S. greenhouse gas emissions?

1.	Nothing more	65%
2.	Up to 5% more	13%
3.	Up to 6% more	5%
4.	Up to 13% more	4%
5.	Up to 29% more	3%
6.	Up to 50% more	3%
7.	Undecided DNR	3%
8.	DK/Refused DNR	4%

Now, still thinking about global warming and the Congressional proposal to cap greenhouse gas emissions...

4. How much more would you be willing to pay in the near term (with more to come later) –on top of price increases that would occur for other reasons – for your home electricity...

1.	Nothing more	71%
2.	Up to 12% more	16%
3.	Up to 14% more	3%
4.	Up to 18% more	2%
5.	Up to 55% more	3%
6.	Undecided DNR	1%
7.	DK/Refused DNR	4%



Now, I have just a few more questions for demographic purposes only....

5. In politics today, do you usually think of yourself as a ROTATE Republican, Independent, or Democrat?

# IF REPUBLICAN/DEMOCRAT, ASK:

Do you think of yourself as a STRONG (Republican/Democrat) or NOT-SO-STRONG (Republican/Democrat)?

	TOTAL REPUBLICAN	29%
	TOTAL DEMOCRAT	37%
1.	Strong Republican	19%
2.	Not-So-Strong Republican	10%
3.	Independent/Something Else	30%
4.	Not-So-Strong Democrat	11%
5.	Strong Democrat	26%
6.	DK/Refused DNR	4%

6. And, would you say you are a ROTATE Conservative, a Moderate, or a Liberal in your political beliefs?

## IF CONSERVATIVE/LIBERAL, ASK:

TOTAL CONSERVATIVE

And, would you say you are VERY (conservative/liberal) or just SOMEWHAT (conservative/liberal)?

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	TOTAL CONSLITATIVE	40%
	TOTAL LIBERAL	19%
1.	Very Conservative	20%
2.	Somewhat Conservative	20%
3.	Moderate	37%
4.	Somewhat Liberal	11%
5.	Very Liberal	8%
6.	DK/Refused DNR	4%

7. What is the highest level of formal education you have completed?

1.	Less than high school graduate	2%
2.	High school graduate	20%
3.	Some College	25%
4.	College graduate	33%
5.	Post graduate	19%
6.	DK/Refused DNR	2%



#### 8. What is your race?

1.	White	77%
2.	Hispanic, Mexican, Latino, Spanish	8%
3.	African-American	11%
4.	Asian	1%
5.	Other (specify)	1%
6.	Refused DNR	2%

# 9. What year were you born in? RECORD EXACT NUMERIC FOUR DIGIT RESPONSE

1.	18-24	2%	
2.	25-34	8%	
3.	35-44	19%	
4.	45-54	23%	
5.	55-64	25%	
6.	65-74	12%	
7.	75 or over	9%	
8.	Refused DNR	2%	

## 10. Sex: BY OBSERVATION

1.	Male	48%
2.	Female	52%

# 11. Urban/Suburban/Rural: PRE-CODE

1.	Urban	26%
2.	Suburban	52%
3.	Rural	22%

## 12. Area: PRE-CODE

1.	New England	5%
2.	Mid-Atlantic	17%
3.	Great Lakes	17%
4.	Farm Belt	5%
5.	Deep South	16%
6.	Outer South	18%
7.	Mountain	7%
8.	Pacific	15%