



THE CENTER FOR ELECTION INNOVATION & RESEARCH: SURVEY OF LIKELY GEORGIA RUNOFF VOTERS

Hello, may I please speak with (NAME ON LIST)? My name is _____ from Georgia Opinion Surveys, a public opinion polling firm. We are conducting a survey about some issues that people have been talking about lately. We're not selling anything and I will not ask for a donation at any time. All responses will be anonymous and used only for research purposes. This call may be monitored for quality assurance. The survey will take only a few minutes.

(AT ANY POINT, IF ASKED LENGTH OF INTERVIEW): On average, it is taking about 6 minutes in total, but it might not take that long for everyone.

1. **(CELL SAMPLE ONLY)** Are you in a place where you can safely take this survey?

- Yes CONTINUE
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- No..... SCHEDULE CALL BACK

2. To start, are you at least 18 years old and registered to vote at your current address in Georgia?

- Yes 100%
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- No..... TERMINATE

3. First, I have a few questions for statistical purposes. Which of the following best describes your age? Just stop me when I read the right category.

- 18-34 18%
- 35-49 23
- 50-64 32
- 65+ 27
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- Under 18..... TERMINATE
- DK/NA/REF TERMINATE

4. What is your gender?

- Male..... 46%
- Female 54
- Other -
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- Prefer not to answer..... -

5. How would you describe your race? **(RANDOMIZE)**

- White or Caucasian..... 60%
- Black or African American 30
- Hispanic or Latino 2
- Asian or Pacific Islander..... 2
- Mixed race or multi-racial 2
- Something else 2
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- DK/NA/REF 2



6. What is the highest level of education you have fully completed?

Less than high school	2%
High school or GED	20
Some college or associate's degree.....	35
Bachelor's degree.....	23
Postgraduate or advanced degree	18
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DK/NA/REF	1

7. As you may know, there will be a runoff election on January 5th for U.S. Senate. Have you already voted in the runoff election, would you say you are definitely going to vote, you are probably going to vote, or you're not likely to vote?

Already voted.....	76%
Definitely will vote	21
Probably will vote.....	3
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Not likely to vote	TERMINATE
DK/NA/REF	TERMINATE

8. **(ASKED IF ALREADY VOTED)** And which of the following best describes how you voted?

In-person at a polling place	67%
By returning an absentee ballot.....	33
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DK/NA/REF	-

9. **(ASKED IF VOTED ABSENTEE)** And did you mail your absentee ballot in, or drop it off somewhere like a drop box or polling place?

Mailed it in	48%
Dropped off at drop box or polling place.....	51
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DK/NA/REF	1

10. **(ASKED IF ALREADY VOTED)** In just a few words, why would you say you voted early instead of on Election Day?

More convenient / easier / no line	70%
Unable to vote on Election Day	14
Worried about COVID	12
Very enthusiastic / motivated	7
Encouraged by a campaign or candidate	4
Other	1
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DK/NA/REF	1

11. **(ASKED IF NOT YET VOTED)** And which of the following best describes how you plan to vote? **(READ)**

In-person at a polling place on Election Day	80%
In-person at a polling place before Election Day	9
By returning an absentee ballot.....	8
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DK/NA/REF	3



12. **(ASKED OF THOSE PLANNING TO VOTE ABSENTEE)** And do you plan to mail your absentee ballot in, or drop it off somewhere like a drop box or polling place?

Mail it in 43%
Drop off at drop box or polling place..... 57
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DK/NA/REF -

13. **(QUESTION ORDER ROTATED)** How confident are you that YOUR vote in the January runoff election will be counted as you intended?

CONFIDENT **83%**
NOT CONFIDENT **15%**

Very confident..... 58%
Somewhat confident 25

Not too confident..... 9
Not confident at all 6
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DK/NA/REF 2

When someone votes by absentee ballot, do you think it is very likely, somewhat likely, somewhat unlikely, or very unlikely that...

RANDOMIZE		TOTAL LIKELY	TOTAL UNLIKELY	Very Likely	Smwt Likely	Smwt Unlikely	Very Unlikely	DK/ REF
14.	Their vote will be counted accurately	67%	28%	46%	21%	12%	16%	6%
15.	Their vote will be kept secret	62%	27%	43	20	10	17	10

When someone votes in-person at a polling place, do you think it is very likely, somewhat likely, somewhat unlikely, or very unlikely that...

RANDOMIZE		TOTAL LIKELY	TOTAL UNLIKELY	Very Likely	Smwt Likely	Smwt Unlikely	Very Unlikely	DK/ REF
16.	Their vote will be counted accurately	87%	11%	62%	24%	4%	7%	2%
17.	Their vote will be kept secret	79%	16%	56	23	8	9	4

18. **(QUESTION ORDER ROTATED)** How confident are you that GEORGIA'S votes in the November general election were counted as voters intended?

CONFIDENT **63%**
NOT CONFIDENT **37%**

Very confident..... 46%
Somewhat confident 17

Not too confident..... 10
Not confident at all 26
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DK/NA/REF 1



Thinking back to the general election in November, do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

	RANDOMIZE	AGREE	DISAGREE	Strongly Agree	Smwt Agree	Smwt Disagree	Strongly Disagree	DK/ REF
19.	Voting machines marked ballots and recorded votes accurately	68%	28%	49%	19%	9%	19%	4%
20.	Absentee signature matching was performed with integrity	58%	39%	45	13	10	30	3
21.	Only legally cast votes were counted	54%	43%	44	10	11	33	3

22. If you voted in the general election held in November of 2020, did you vote in-person at a polling place or by returning an absentee ballot?

In-person at a polling place	67%
By returning an absentee ballot.....	30
Voted, but don't remember how	-
Did NOT vote.....	3
Don't recall whether or not I voted.....	-
Prefer not to say	*

23. **(ASKED IF VOTED IN 2020 GENERAL)** In the 2020 election for president, did you vote for **(ROTATE)** Democrat Joe Biden or Republican Donald Trump?

Biden	41%
Trump	41
Someone else (DNR)	3
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DK/NA/REF	15

24. Finally, regardless of how you **(VOTED OR PLAN TO VOTE)**, in politics, as of today, do you consider yourself **(ROTATE:)** a Republican, a Democrat, or an independent?

DEMOCRAT	37%
REPUBLICAN	43%
Strong Democrat.....	24%
Not strong Democrat.....	1
Independent, lean Democratic	12
Independent.....	11
Independent, lean Republican.....	7
Not strong Republican	4
Strong Republican	31
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Something else	2
DK/NA/REF	8

That completes our survey. Thank you VERY MUCH for your time.



25. REGION

Atlanta Inner Core.....	23%
Atlanta Outer Metro.....	22
Augusta-Savannah	29
Rural West.....	26