

VERMONT STATEWIDE

A SURVEY OF LIKELY VOTERS

April 25, 2014

Sample Size Total: 600

Gender	Total
Men	47%
Women	53%

1. I know it's still a ways off, but what are the chances of your voting in the General Election for U.S. Congress, Governor, and other local offices this November-- are you almost certain to vote, will you likely vote, or do you think you will not vote?

	Total
Almost certain	87%
Likely	13%

2. Thinking about the direction Vermont is headed, generally speaking, are you very satisfied, satisfied, dissatisfied, or very dissatisfied with the direction in which the state is headed?

	Total
Very satisfied	6%
Satisfied	52%
Dissatisfied	25%
Very dissatisfied	13%
(Don't know/ refused)	3%

Methodology: 600 interviews among registered voters were conducted from April 22-24, 2014 by landline and cell phone. The margin of error is ± 3.96 at the 95% confidence level.

3. Do you support or oppose requiring all gun buyers to pass a criminal background check for all gun sales, no matter where they buy the gun and no matter whom they buy it from?

	Total
Strongly support	67%
Moderately support	14%
Moderately oppose	6%
Strongly oppose	10%
(Don't know/refused)	3%

4. Would you be more or less likely to vote for a political candidate who supports criminal background checks on all gun sales?

	Total
More likely	67%
Less likely	15%
No effect on my vote	17%
(Don't know/refused)	2%

5. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? [IF CHOICE] And is that strongly or moderately agree/disagree?

Support for Second Amendment rights goes hand-in-hand with keeping guns out of the hands of criminals.

	Total
Strongly agree	46%
Moderately agree	23%
Moderately disagree	9%
Strongly disagree	10%
(Don't know/refused)	13%

The last few questions are for statistical purposes only.

6. Politically speaking, would you say you are very conservative, somewhat conservative, moderate, somewhat liberal, or very liberal?

	Total
Very conservative	12%
Somewhat conservative	25%
Moderate	25%
Somewhat liberal	21%
Very liberal	11%
(Don't know/refused)	5%

7. What is the last year of schooling that you have completed?

	Total
1 – 11 th grade	3%
High school graduate	25%
Non-college post H.S.	1%
Some college	19%
College graduate	30%
Post-graduate school	21%
(Don't know/ refused)	1%

8. Are you married, unmarried living with partner, single, separated, divorced or widowed?

	Total
Married	61%
Unmarried with partner	5%
Single	10%
Separated/divorced	9%
Widowed	12%
(Don't know/refused)	2%

9. Do you or someone in your household own a gun?

	Total
Yes, self	24%
Yes, household	16%
Yes, both	12%
No	44%
(Don't know/refused)	4%

10. Are you or is someone in your household a member of the National Rifle Association?

	Total
Yes, self	7%
Yes, household	4%
Yes, both	2%
No	84%
(Don't know/refused)	4%

11. In what year were you born?

	Total
Under 45	16%
45-59	32%
60+	46%
(Don't know/ refused)	5%

12. And finally, would you consider yourself a:

	Total
Democrat	32%
Republican	20%
Independent	39%
(Other)	5%
(Don't know/ refused)	4%