

**WVWVAF**  
**Virginia Statewide Post Election Survey**

**November 6-7, 2017**  
**800 Voters (600 weighted)**  
**467 Total Rising American Electorate (303 weighted)**  
 - 187 Millennials (112 weighted)  
 - 257 Voters of Color (163 weighted)  
 - 206 Unmarried Women (124 weighted)

Q.10 Thinking about the election for Governor, did you vote for Democrat Ralph Northam, Republican Ed Gillespie, or Libertarian Clifford Hyra?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>RAE</b>	<b>Mille- nnials</b>	<b>Voters of Color</b>	<b>Unmar Women</b>
Northam.....	54	67	58	79	69
Gillespie .....	45	31	40	19	31
Hyra.....	1	1	1	2	-
(Other).....	0	-	-	-	-
(Und/Ref) .....	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Northam - Gillespie.....</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>39</b>
(ref:GOVVOTE)					

Q.12 And thinking about the election for Lieutenant Governor, did you vote for Democrat Justin Fairfax or Republican Jill Vogel?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>RAE</b>	<b>Mille- nnials</b>	<b>Voters of Color</b>	<b>Unmar Women</b>
Fairfax .....	53	66	55	81	68
Vogel.....	47	34	45	19	32
(Other).....	0	0	-	-	0
(Und/Ref) .....	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Fairfax - Vogel.....</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>36</b>
(ref:LGVOTE)					

Q.14 And thinking about the election for Attorney General, did you vote for Democrat Mark Herring or Republican John Adams?

	Total	RAE	Mille- nnials	Voters of Color	Unmar Women
Herring .....	53	66	57	77	68
Adams.....	47	34	42	23	32
(Other).....	0	.	0	-	-
(Und/Ref) .....	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Herring - Adams.....</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>35</b>
(ref:AGVOTE)					

Q.16 Now, thinking about the election for Virginia House of Delegates, did you vote for the Democratic candidate or the Republican candidate?

	Total	RAE	Mille- nnials	Voters of Color	Unmar Women
Dem .....	52	67	57	81	69
Total Rep .....	45	32	41	18	29
Total (Other).....	2	1	2	0	2
(Und/Ref) .....	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Dem - Rep.....</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>39</b>
(ref:LEGVOTE)					

Q.18 Now I'm going to read you a list of issues in Virginia. Please tell me which ONE or TWO of these was the most important in your deciding who to vote for in the election for Governor.

	Total	RAE	Mille- nnials	Voters of Color	Unmar Women
The economy and jobs.....	35	31	28	32	27
Healthcare.....	29	30	25	28	39
Education.....	24	27	31	27	30
Guns .....	17	15	17	13	15
Taxes .....	16	14	18	13	11
Immigration.....	14	12	14	11	13
Abortion .....	12	11	17	8	11
Worsening racial tensions .....	12	17	15	22	17
The environment and climate change.....	10	11	14	11	11
Crime and gangs.....	9	11	10	13	6
(Other).....	3	3	1	4	2
(No second choice).....	7	6	3	7	5
(Don't know/refused).....	6	6	4	5	6
(ref:ISSUES)					

**[303 Respondents]**

Q.19 (NORTHAM VOTERS) Thinking about everything you heard during the campaign, which ONE of the following was the most persuasive reason to vote FOR Ralph Northam, for you personally?

	Total	RAE	Mille- nnials	Voters of Color	Unmar Women
He opposes Donald Trump.....	27	27	24	27	26
He would fight to expand affordable healthcare .....	24	25	26	24	25
He would stand up for women's rights .....	15	14	26	13	19
He would fight to protect Virginia's public schools.....	11	10	9	11	6
He is in favor of commonsense gun safety laws.....	7	9	4	8	11
His background as army doctor and pediatrician.....	6	6	7	8	3
He would work with businesses and create more vocational training.....	2	1	0	1	1
(Other).....	3	3	3	3	4
(Don't know/refused).....	4	5	2	5	5

(ref:RNPOS)

**[303 Respondents]**

Q.20 (NORTHAM VOTERS) And thinking about everything you heard during the campaign, which ONE of the following was the most persuasive reason to vote AGAINST Ed Gillespie, for you personally?

	Total	RAE	Mille- nnials	Voters of Color	Unmar Women
He supports Donald Trump .....	36	37	36	35	37
His campaign has inflamed racial tensions .....	17	15	17	15	11
He wants to end a woman's right to choose .....	15	15	14	16	19
He would take millions of dollars away from public schools.....	11	13	14	14	11
He was as an Enron lobbyist .....	8	7	8	6	7
He would roll back environmental protections .....	5	5	5	5	3
(Other).....	3	3	2	5	3
(Don't know/refused).....	5	5	4	3	8

(ref:EGNEG)

**[247 Respondents]**

Q.21 (GILLESPIE VOTERS) Thinking about everything you heard during the campaign, which ONE of the following was the most persuasive reason to vote FOR Ed Gillespie, for you personally?

	Total	RAE	Mille- nnials	Voters of Color	Unmar Women
He would cut taxes on all Virginians .....	17	14	17	13	12
He is a strong conservative.....	16	18	17	9	24
He opposes sanctuary cities.....	16	13	9	11	14
He supports Donald Trump.....	16	19	22	22	13
He would work with police to keep our communities safe.....	10	12	10	26	6
He supports keeping Virginia's confederate monuments .....	7	6	13	-	-
His background as a businessman.....	4	1	1	-	1
(Other) .....	5	7	4	7	12
(Don't know/refused).....	8	11	7	11	17

(ref:EGPOS)

**[247 Respondents]**

Q.22 (GILLESPIE VOTERS) And thinking about everything you heard during the campaign, which ONE of the following was the most persuasive reason to vote AGAINST Ralph Northam, for you personally?

	Total	RAE	Mille- nnials	Voters of Color	Unmar Women
He won't crack down on illegal immigration and supports sanctuary cities.....	23	21	15	24	25
He opposes Donald Trump.....	14	16	12	20	16
He won't protect our Second Amendment rights.....	13	18	21	16	15
His campaign has inflamed racial tensions .....	13	14	17	18	9
He voted to restore rights to felons .....	12	9	11	6	9
He supports billion-dollar tax increases .....	7	7	6	11	2
He's a career politician .....	4	5	9	1	6
(Other) .....	6	1	0	2	2
(Don't know/refused).....	8	9	8	2	16

(ref:RNNEG)

Q.2 Respondent's gender

	Total	RAE	Mille- nnials	Voters of Color	Unmar Women
Male.....	47	38	52	46	-
Female .....	53	62	48	54	100

(ref:GENDER)

Q.4 In what year were you born?

	Total	RAE	Mille- nnials	Voters of Color	Unmar Women
18 - 24.....	7	15	40	8	15
25 - 29.....	4	7	20	4	4
30 - 34.....	8	15	41	10	7
35 - 39.....	5	4	-	6	4
40 - 44.....	7	6	-	8	5
45 - 49.....	10	8	-	13	8
50 - 54.....	9	8	-	12	7
55 - 59.....	11	7	-	11	6
60 - 64.....	12	11	-	12	12
Over 64.....	28	19	-	17	32
(No answer).....	-	-	-	-	-
(ref:AGE)					

Q.5 What is the last year of schooling that you have completed?

	Total	RAE	Mille- nnials	Voters of Color	Unmar Women
1 - 11th grade.....	3	2	1	2	2
High School graduate.....	18	18	13	19	21
Non-college post H.S. ....	1	1	2	1	-
Some college.....	24	29	34	28	27
College graduate.....	29	27	30	24	27
Post-graduate school.....	23	19	16	21	18
(Don't know/refused).....	3	4	4	5	3
(ref:EDUC)					

Q.6 Are you married, single, separated, divorced, or widowed?

	Total	RAE	Mille- nnials	Voters of Color	Unmar Women
Married.....	66	44	43	60	-
Single.....	16	27	45	23	40
Living with a partner.....	3	4	4	4	9
Separated.....	1	1	-	1	3
Divorced.....	8	13	5	5	28
Widowed.....	5	9	1	5	20
(Don't know/refused).....	1	2	2	2	-
(ref:MARITAL)					

Q.7 What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>RAE</b>	<b>Mille- nnials</b>	<b>Voters of Color</b>	<b>Unmar Women</b>
White/Caucasian.....	72	46	68	-	69
Black/African-American .....	15	29	14	54	22
Hispanic/Latino .....	6	11	10	21	5
Native American/American Indian/Alaskan Native .....	1	1	0	3	0
Asian/Pacific Islander .....	4	7	4	13	2
(Other).....	3	5	3	9	1
(Don't know/refused).....	0	-	-	-	-

(ref:RACETHN)

Q.9 Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Democrat, a Republican or an Independent?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>RAE</b>	<b>Mille- nnials</b>	<b>Voters of Color</b>	<b>Unmar Women</b>
Democrat .....	36	47	39	57	52
Independent .....	31	30	30	30	25
Republican.....	28	19	28	8	20
(Other).....	2	3	2	4	2
(Don't know/refused).....	3	2	2	2	2

(ref:PTYID1)