Poll on Gov. Blagojevich

Conducted the evening of July 12, 2007

Total participants: 2,568

Client: Confidential Final Report





Date of calls: July 12, 2007 Sample size: 2,568 Margin of Error: ±1.93% Sample makeup: Likely voters

Poll type: Automated

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In general, do you APPROVE or DISAPPROVE of the job Gov. Blagojevich is doing right now?

	Percentage
Approve	25.27%
Disapprove	64.41%
Unsure	10.32%

As you may know, the Illinois General Assembly and Governor Rod Blagojevich have not reached agreement on a new state budget and they have been in an overtime session for more than a month. Governor Blagojevich wants to raise taxes by billions of dollars to pay for new spending on schools, universal health care, and to fund pensions for state employees. In an attempt to get his new spending approved, the governor has been calling the legislature daily into special sessions, which costs taxpayers \$40,000 per day. Considering everything you may know about this situation, has your opinion of the governor gotten better, worse or stayed about the same since this expensive overtime session began?

	Percentage
Better	8.76%
Worse	62.75%
Same	28.49%

CROSS-TABS

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Cross-Tabulation between REGION & APPROVE/DISAPPROVE

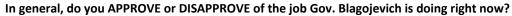
	APPROVE/DISAP	APPROVE/DISAPPROVE ON JOB PERFORMANCE			
REGION	Approve	Disapprove	Unsure	Total	
Chicago	48.57%	38.86%	12.57%	100.00%	
Cook	32.86%	56.97%	10.17%	100.00%	
Collar	23.93%	64.11%	11.96%	100.00%	
Downstate	16.68%	74.33%	8.99%	100.00%	
Total	25.27%	64.41%	10.32%	100.00%	
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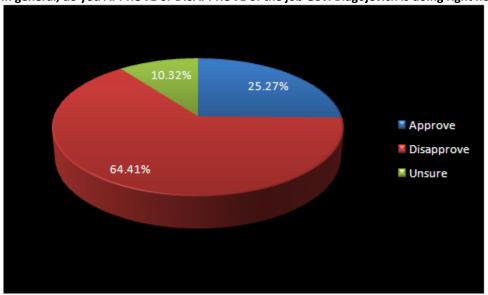
Cross-Tabulation between REGION & CHANGE IN OPINION DUE TO CURRENT CIRCUMSTANCES

BETTER OR WORSE OPINION						
REGION	Better	Worse	Same	Total		
Chicago	19.84%	40.08%	40.08%	100.00%		
Cook	10.50%	56.85%	32.65%	100.00%		
Collar	9.62%	59.83%	30.56%	100.00%		
Downstate	5.07%	71.58%	23.35%	100.00%		
Total	8.76%	62.75%	28.49%	100.00%		
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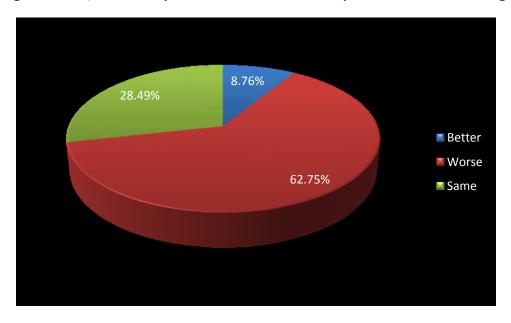
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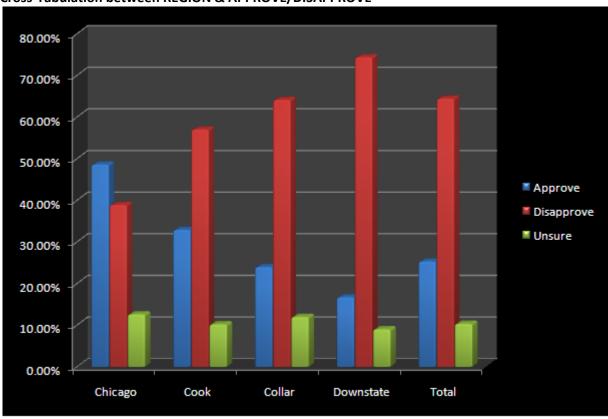




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