

Hello, my name is _____ from HAI, a national research firm.

[IF LANDLINE] We're conducting a survey in Alaska to get people's opinions on important issues. This number was selected at random and according to the research procedure, I would like to speak to the **[ALTERNATE: YOUNGEST/OLDEST]** **[ALTERNATE: MAN/WOMAN]** at this address who is registered to vote.

[IF CELL PHONE] We're conducting a survey of cell phone users in Alaska to get people's opinions on important issues. Since you are on a cell phone, I can call you back if you are driving or doing anything else that requires your full attention. Can you talk safely and privately now? **[IF YES, CONTINUE. IF NO, SCHEDULE CALLBACK]**

RESUME ASKING ALL RESPONDENTS

QA. To make sure that we have a proper sample, would you please tell me the name of the borough you live in? **[COUNTY CODED]**

QB. Are you officially registered to vote in that borough in Alaska? **[IF YES]**
Regardless of how you might feel about the parties, at the present time are you officially registered as a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent, or in some other way?

YES: Democrat 16%
YES: Republican 29
YES: Independent 31
YES: Other 19
No/(Don't know) ----> **TERMINATE**

QC. As you may know, in November there will be an election for U.S. Senator, U.S. Congress, and other offices. There is no election for President this year so many people will not vote. What about you? Will you definitely vote, probably vote, are the chances 50-50, will you probably not vote, or will you definitely not vote?

Definitely vote 88%
Probably vote 12
All other responses----> **TERMINATE**

Q1. When it comes to politics, do you generally think of yourself as a Democrat, an Independent or a Republican?

Strong Democrat 14%
Weak Democrat 5
Independent 41
Weak Republican 10
Strong Republican 22
VOL: (Green Party) -
VOL: (Other/Don't know) 8

ASK IF DEMOCRAT/REPUBLICAN

Would you call yourself a strong **[DEMOCRAT/REPUBLICAN]** or a not very strong **[DEMOCRAT/REPUBLICAN]**?

TOTAL DEMOCRAT 19%
TOTAL INDEPENDENT 41
TOTAL REPUBLICAN 32

RESUME ASKING ALL RESPONDENTS

Q2. Now I'd like to ask your impressions of some people in public life. As I read each name, tell me whether your impression of that person is very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable, or very unfavorable. If you don't recognize a name, just say so. Here's the first one: **[READ ITEM]** Have you heard of that person? **[IF YES]** Is your impression of that person very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable, or very unfavorable?

ROTATE	FAVORABLE			UNFAVORABLE		(Can't rate)	Never heard	RECOGNITION		TOTAL	
	Very	Some	(Mixed)	Some	Very			Effective	Total	Fav	Unfav
• Dan Sullivan	23%	27	*	16	24	7	3	90%	97%	50%	40
• Mark Begich.....	23%	23	1	18	31	4	-	96%	100%	46%	49
• Barack Obama.....	18%	21	*	11	48	2	*	98%	100%	39%	58

Q3. Mark Begich is running for another term in the U.S. Senate this year. At this point, would you most likely vote for Begich to serve another term in the U.S. Senate, or would you most likely vote to replace him with a Republican? **[IF CHOICE]**
Do you strongly or only somewhat support **[RE-ELECTING BEGICH/REPLACING BEGICH WITH A REPUBLICAN]**?

Likely **Definite**
BEGICH: Strongly..... 31% 34%
BEGICH: Somewhat..... 9 9
REPUBLICAN: Somewhat 7 5
REPUBLICAN: Strongly 39 42
VOL: (Depends)..... 4 4
VOL: (Don't know) 9 7

TOTAL BEGICH 40% 42%
TOTAL REPUBLICAN..... 46 46

Q4. In particular, in the election for U.S. Senate, the candidates are [ROTATE]

- Mark Begich, the Democrat,
- Dan Sullivan, the Republican,
- Mark Fish, the Libertarian, **AND**
- Ted Gianoutsos, who is not affiliated with a political party.

If the election were held today, for whom would you vote? [IF UNDECIDED] Well, who would you lean toward supporting if the election were held today?

	<u>Likely</u>	<u>Definite</u>
Begich.....	39%	41%
(Lean Begich)	1	1
Sullivan.....	43	42
(Lean Sullivan).....	3	2
Fish.....	4	4
(Lean Fish)	*	-
Gianoutsos	1	1
(Lean Gianoutsos).....	-	-
VOL: (Don't know).....	9	8
TOTAL BEGICH	41%	42%
TOTAL SULLIVAN.....	46	45
TOTAL FISH.....	4	4
TOTAL GIANOUTSOS.....	1	1

Q5. In the election for Governor, the candidates are [ROTATE]

- Sean Parnell, the Republican,
- Carolyn Clift, the Libertarian,
- J.R. Myers, the Alaska Constitution Party candidate, **AND**
- Bill Walker, who is not affiliated with a political party.

If the election were held today, for whom would you vote? [IF UNDECIDED] Well, who would you lean toward supporting if the election were held today?

	<u>Likely</u>	<u>Definite</u>
Parnell	44%	43%
(Lean Parnell)	2	2
Walker	37	39
(Lean Walker)	1	1
Clift	4	3
(Lean Clift)	1	1
Myers.....	2	2
(Lean Myers)	-	-
VOL: (Don't know).....	10	10
TOTAL PARNELL.....	46%	45%
TOTAL WALKER.....	38	40
TOTAL CLIFT.....	4	4
TOTAL MYERS.....	2	2

Now for a few questions on other issues.

ROTATE ORDER OF ASKING Q6 and Q7/Q8

Q6. Do you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose expanding offshore oil and gas drilling in U.S. waters?

SUPPORT: Strongly	46%
SUPPORT: Somewhat.....	26
OPPOSE: Somewhat.....	10
OPPOSE: Strongly.....	12
VOL: (Don't know).....	5
TOTAL SUPPORT	72%
TOTAL OPPOSE	23

Q7. Do you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose allowing offshore oil and natural gas drilling north of Alaska, in U.S. waters inside the Arctic circle?

SUPPORT: Strongly	48%
SUPPORT: Somewhat.....	25
OPPOSE: Somewhat.....	9
OPPOSE: Strongly.....	13
VOL: (Don't know).....	5
TOTAL SUPPORT	73%
TOTAL OPPOSE	22

Q8. Over the past 10 years, the amount of oil the United States imports from Russia has increased while oil production in Alaska has decreased. Under President Putin, Russia has begun drilling for oil in Russian waters inside the Arctic Circle. Given these facts, which of the following is closest to your opinion? [ROTATE]

• The U.S. should allow oil and natural gas drilling in the Arctic to increase domestic oil production and reduce our dependence on Russian oil, OR	62%
• We should protect the Arctic, and should not allow oil and natural gas drilling in the U.S. waters of the Arctic, even if it means foreign oil imports to the U.S. continue to increase	25
VOL: (Neither)	3
VOL: (Both/Depends).....	1
VOL: (Don't know).....	10

Now I would like to ask you a few final questions for statistical purposes only.

D100. Sex. Male 49%
 Female 51

D101. What is your age? 18-24 6%
 25-29 4
 30-34 5
 35-39 8
 40-44 10
 45-49 8
 50-54 10
 55-59 11
 60-64 18
 65+ 19
VOL: (Refused) 1

D105. When it comes to politics, do you generally think of yourself as liberal, somewhat liberal, moderate, somewhat conservative or conservative? Liberal 12%
 Somewhat liberal 14
 Moderate 19
 Somewhat conservative 20
 Conservative 31
VOL: (Don't know) 4
 TOTAL LIBERAL 26%
 TOTAL CONSERVATIVE 51

D510. Do you have a landline telephone? Yes 87%
 No 13
VOL: (Don't know/Not sure) -

D511. Do you have a mobile telephone? Yes 87%
 No 11
VOL: (Don't know/Not sure) 2

D512. Would you say you mainly use your landline telephone, mainly use your mobile phone, or do you use both equally? Landline only 13%
 Landline mostly 16
 Both 29
 Cell mostly 29
 Cell only 13
VOL: (Don't know) 1
 TOTAL LANDLINE 57%
 TOTAL CELL 70

D112. How long have you lived in Alaska - all of your life, more than 20 years but not your whole life, between 10 and 20 years, or less than 10 years? Whole life 28%
 20+ years 55
 10-20 years 10
 Less than 10 years 5
VOL: (All other responses) 2

Thank you for taking the time to complete this interview.

Personal popularity of U.S. Senate candidates

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Mark Begich</u>				<u>Dan Sullivan</u>				<u>Total recognition</u>		<u>Effective recognition</u>	
		<u>Total Fav</u>	<u>Total Unfav</u>	<u>CR/ NH</u>	<u>Net Fav</u>	<u>Total Fav</u>	<u>Total Unfav</u>	<u>CR/ NH</u>	<u>Net Fav</u>	<u>Mark Begich</u>	<u>Dan Sullivan</u>	<u>Mark Begich</u>	<u>Dan Sullivan</u>
TOTAL	400	46%	49	4	-4	50%	40	10	10	100%	96%	97%	90%
Definite voters	351	46%	49	3	-3	50%	40	10	9	100%	97%	97%	90%
REGION													
Anchorage County	164	47%	49	3	-2	52%	39	9	14	100%	97%	97%	91%
Anchorage Other	93	42%	57	1	-15	55%	38	7	18	100%	99%	97%	93%
Anchorage Total	257	45%	52	2	-7	53%	38	8	15	100%	98%	97%	92%
Juneau	50	59%	36	5	23	31%	51	18	-20	100%	95%	92%	82%
Fairbanks	64	34%	53	8	-19	59%	30	11	29	100%	92%	100%	89%
PARTY REGISTRATION													
Democrat	63	90%	6	4	84	15%	74	11	-59	100%	96%	96%	89%
Republican	117	17%	78	2	-61	79%	13	8	66	100%	98%	96%	92%
Other	220	48%	47	5	2	44%	45	11	0	100%	95%	97%	89%
AGE													
18-39	94	48%	44	8	4	44%	40	16	4	100%	92%	97%	84%
40-59	157	43%	53	3	-9	51%	40	8	11	100%	97%	99%	92%
60+	148	47%	49	2	-2	51%	39	9	12	100%	98%	95%	91%
SEX													
Men	197	40%	56	3	-16	53%	37	9	16	100%	97%	97%	91%
Women	203	51%	43	5	8	46%	42	11	3	100%	95%	96%	89%
SEX & AGE													
Men 18-49	95	38%	56	6	-18	54%	34	12	19	100%	94%	97%	88%
Women 18-49	72	60%	36	4	25	41%	47	13	-6	100%	96%	99%	87%
Men 50+	102	43%	56	1	-13	53%	40	7	13	100%	99%	98%	93%
Women 50+	131	46%	47	5	-1	49%	40	10	9	100%	95%	95%	90%
SEX & PARTY REGISTRATION													
Republican men	61	19%	79	2	-60	77%	14	8	63	100%	98%	97%	92%
Republican women	56	14%	76	3	-62	80%	11	8	69	100%	97%	96%	92%
Other men	136	50%	46	4	4	43%	48	10	-5	100%	96%	98%	90%
Other women	147	65%	30	5	35	33%	54	12	-21	100%	95%	97%	88%
POPULARITY													
BEGICH: Rate favorably	183	100%	0	0	100	23%	68	9	-45	100%	100%	95%	91%
BEGICH: Not rate favorably	201	0%	98	0	-98	77%	17	5	60	100%	100%	99%	95%
SULLIVAN: Rate favorably	199	21%	76	1	-55	100%	0	0	100	100%	99%	100%	100%
SULLIVAN: Not rate favorably	161	77%	22	1	55	0%	99	0	-99	100%	99%	100%	100%
Can rate both	357	47%	52	0	-6	55%	44	0	11	100%	100%	100%	100%
RE-ELECT													
Begich	162	94%	6	1	88	14%	78	9	-64	100%	99%	96%	91%
Republican	184	9%	89	1	-80	86%	8	5	78	100%	99%	99%	95%
Depends/Don't know	54	28%	46	24	-18	33%	35	31	-2	100%	76%	95%	69%
CURRENT VOTE													
Begich	162	94%	4	2	90	10%	79	11	-69	100%	98%	96%	89%
Sullivan	182	10%	87	2	-77	89%	6	4	83	100%	98%	99%	96%
Other/Don't know	56	21%	59	18	-38	35%	35	30	1	100%	82%	91%	70%
DRILL OFFSHORE													
Support	289	36%	60	3	-24	61%	31	8	30	100%	97%	98%	92%
Oppose	91	78%	20	1	58	17%	73	10	-56	100%	99%	96%	90%
ARCTIC DRILLING													
CURRENT: Support	292	35%	61	3	-27	62%	31	7	31	100%	97%	99%	93%
CURRENT: Oppose	88	83%	17	0	66	17%	74	9	-57	100%	100%	95%	91%
INFORMED: Support	249	33%	63	2	-31	65%	29	6	36	100%	98%	99%	94%
INFORMED: Oppose	99	73%	24	3	49	24%	64	12	-40	100%	97%	96%	88%
INFORMED: Don't know	52	57%	30	13	27	26%	47	27	-21	100%	87%	92%	73%

U.S. Senate vote preference

	Q3. Re-elect Begich					Q4. Current vote				
	Total	Re-elect	Replace	Dep /DK	Net re-elect	Begich	Sullivan	Other	DK	Net Begich
TOTAL	400	40%	46	14	-5	41%	46	5	9	-5
Definite voters	351	42%	46	11	-4	42%	45	5	8	-3
REGION										
Anchorage County	164	43%	48	9	-5	43%	46	4	7	-3
Anchorage Other	93	35%	56	10	-21	31%	52	9	8	-21
Anchorage Total	257	40%	51	9	-11	39%	49	6	7	-10
Juneau	50	54%	26	21	28	55%	31	4	10	24
Fairbanks	64	26%	49	25	-23	31%	50	6	13	-19
PARTY REGISTRATION										
Democrat	63	88%	3	9	85	94%	3	1	2	91
Republican	117	7%	84	9	-76	9%	80	5	6	-71
Other	220	45%	38	17	6	42%	39	6	12	2
AGE										
18-39	94	47%	41	12	6	39%	41	11	9	-2
40-59	157	36%	46	18	-10	39%	45	4	11	-6
60+	148	41%	49	9	-8	43%	49	2	6	-5
SEX										
Men	197	37%	47	16	-10	37%	45	8	9	-8
Women	203	44%	45	11	-1	44%	46	3	8	-2
SEX & AGE										
Men 18-49	95	34%	45	21	-11	33%	43	10	13	-10
Women 18-49	72	52%	39	8	13	51%	40	4	6	11
Men 50+	102	39%	49	12	-10	41%	48	5	6	-6
Women 50+	131	40%	48	12	-8	40%	49	2	10	-9
SEX & PARTY REGISTRATION										
Republican men	61	9%	78	12	-69	12%	76	9	4	-64
Republican women	56	5%	89	6	-84	6%	84	0	9	-78
Other men	136	49%	33	18	16	49%	32	7	12	17
Other women	147	59%	28	13	31	58%	31	3	8	27
POPULARITY										
BEGICH: Rate favorably	183	83%	9	8	75	84%	10	2	4	74
BEGICH: Not rate favorably	201	5%	83	13	-78	3%	80	8	9	-77
SULLIVAN: Rate favorably	199	11%	80	9	-69	8%	82	3	7	-73
SULLIVAN: Not rate favorably	161	78%	9	12	69	80%	8	7	5	72
Can rate both	357	41%	48	10	-7	41%	49	4	6	-8
RE-ELECT										
Begich	162	100%	0	0	100	91%	6	3	1	85
Republican	184	0%	100	0	-100	2%	87	6	6	-85
Depends/Don't know	54	0%	0	100	0	21%	22	11	45	-1
CURRENT VOTE										
Begich	162	91%	2	7	89	100%	0	0	0	100
Sullivan	182	5%	88	7	-83	0%	100	0	0	-100
Other/Don't know	56	9%	37	54	-28	0%	0	37	63	0
DRILL OFFSHORE										
Support	289	29%	57	14	-29	30%	57	5	8	-28
Oppose	91	78%	11	11	67	76%	10	7	6	66
ARCTIC DRILLING										
CURRENT: Support	292	28%	57	15	-29	29%	58	5	9	-29
CURRENT: Oppose	88	81%	14	5	67	80%	9	8	4	71
INFORMED: Support	249	27%	60	13	-33	25%	61	6	8	-35
INFORMED: Oppose	99	67%	20	13	47	69%	18	4	9	51
INFORMED: Don't know	52	55%	29	16	26	58%	26	4	12	32

Offshore and Arctic drilling

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Q6. Offshore drilling</u>			<u>Q7. Arctic drilling</u>			<u>Q8. Arctic drilling - informed</u>		
		<u>Support</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>Don't know</u>	<u>Support</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>Don't know</u>	<u>Allow</u>	<u>Not allow</u>	<u>Depends/Don't know</u>
TOTAL	400	72%	23	5	73%	22	5	62%	25	13
Definite voters	351	73%	22	5	73%	22	5	64%	24	12
REGION										
Anchorage County	164	76%	19	5	73%	22	5	61%	25	14
Anchorage Other	93	75%	23	2	75%	22	3	69%	21	10
Anchorage Total	257	76%	20	4	74%	22	4	64%	24	12
Juneau	50	56%	36	9	62%	30	8	61%	32	7
Fairbanks	64	74%	20	5	79%	17	4	66%	24	10
PARTY REGISTRATION										
Democrat	63	46%	47	7	46%	47	7	32%	50	18
Republican	117	91%	3	5	92%	4	4	82%	8	10
Other	220	70%	26	4	71%	25	5	60%	26	13
AGE										
18-39	94	65%	27	9	70%	23	7	58%	27	14
40-59	157	77%	21	2	79%	19	2	66%	22	12
60+	148	72%	23	6	68%	25	7	61%	26	13
SEX										
Men	197	80%	17	2	83%	15	2	68%	17	15
Women	203	64%	28	8	64%	29	8	56%	33	11
SEX & AGE										
Men 18-49	95	82%	17	1	86%	12	2	67%	19	14
Women 18-49	72	52%	38	10	53%	38	9	48%	41	11
Men 50+	102	79%	18	3	80%	18	2	69%	15	16
Women 50+	131	71%	22	7	69%	24	7	61%	28	12
SEX & PARTY REGISTRATION										
Republican men	61	97%	3	0	96%	3	1	87%	5	8
Republican women	56	85%	3	11	88%	5	7	76%	11	13
Other men	136	73%	24	3	77%	21	2	60%	22	18
Other women	147	56%	37	7	54%	37	8	49%	41	11
POPULARITY										
BEGICH: Rate favorably	183	56%	39	5	55%	40	5	44%	39	16
BEGICH: Not rate favorably	201	88%	9	3	91%	8	1	81%	12	8
SULLIVAN: Rate favorably	199	88%	8	4	91%	8	2	81%	12	7
SULLIVAN: Not rate favorably	161	55%	41	3	56%	41	3	46%	39	15
Can rate both	357	73%	23	4	75%	22	2	65%	24	11
RE-ELECT										
Begich	162	51%	44	5	50%	44	6	42%	41	18
Republican	184	90%	6	4	91%	7	2	81%	11	8
Depends/Don't know	54	73%	18	9	80%	9	12	60%	24	15
CURRENT VOTE										
Begich	162	53%	43	4	51%	43	5	39%	42	19
Sullivan	182	91%	5	4	93%	4	3	83%	10	7
Other/Don't know	56	68%	21	10	71%	18	12	63%	22	15
DRILL OFFSHORE										
Support	289	100%	0	0	94%	5	1	80%	10	9
Oppose	91	0%	100	0	16%	81	4	13%	71	15
ARCTIC DRILLING										
CURRENT: Support	292	93%	5	2	100%	0	0	79%	12	9
CURRENT: Oppose	88	15%	83	2	0%	100	0	16%	69	14
INFORMED: Support	249	93%	5	2	93%	6	1	100%	0	0
INFORMED: Oppose	99	30%	66	4	36%	62	3	0%	100	0
INFORMED: Don't know	52	52%	27	22	49%	24	26	0%	0	100