



## California 31st Congressional District Survey Results

**Q1** Do you approve or disapprove of the job Representative Gary Miller is doing in Congress?

*Approve* ..... 27%  
*Disapprove*..... 38%  
*Not sure* ..... 35%

**Q2** If the election for Congress were held today, would you vote to re-elect Republican Gary Miller, or would you vote for his Democratic opponent?

*Gary Miller* ..... 39%  
*Democratic opponent*..... 48%  
*Not sure* ..... 13%

**Q3** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the Tea Party?

*Favorable*..... 38%  
*Unfavorable* ..... 52%  
*Not sure* ..... 10%

**Q4** Do you support or oppose Congress shutting down major activities of the federal government as a way to stop the health care law from being put into place?

*Support* ..... 34%  
*Oppose* ..... 58%  
*Not sure* ..... 8%

**Q5** Do you support or oppose Congress holding back on increasing the nation's borrowing limit, which could result in a default, as a way to stop the health care law from being put into place?

*Support* ..... 32%  
*Oppose* ..... 54%  
*Not sure* ..... 14%

**Q6** Would you be less likely or more likely to support Congressman Miller if you knew he voted to support shutting down major activities of the federal government as a way to stop the health care law from being put into place, or does it not make a difference?

*Less likely* ..... 50%  
*More likely*..... 33%  
*No difference* ..... 11%  
*Not sure* ..... 5%

**Q7** Now that you know Congressman Miller supported the government shutdown, I'll ask you one more time: If the election for Congress were held today, would you vote for re-elect Republican Gary Miller, or would you vote for his Democratic opponent?

*Gary Miller* ..... 39%  
*Democratic opponent*..... 51%  
*Not sure* ..... 11%

**Q8** If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

*Woman* ..... 53%  
*Man*..... 47%

**Q9** If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If an independent or identify with another party, press 3.

*Democrat* ..... 42%  
*Republican*..... 38%  
*Independent/Other* ..... 20%

**Q10** If you are Hispanic or Latino, press 1. If white or Caucasian, press 2. If black or African-American, press 3. If other, press 4.

*Hispanic/Latino* ..... 24%  
*White/Caucasian*..... 55%  
*Black/African-American*..... 10%  
*Other*..... 11%



**Q11** If you are 18-29 years old, press 1. If 30-45, press 2. If 46-65, press 3. If older than 65, press 4.

|                            |     |
|----------------------------|-----|
| <i>18 to 29</i> .....      | 8%  |
| <i>30 to 45</i> .....      | 23% |
| <i>46 to 65</i> .....      | 38% |
| <i>Older than 65</i> ..... | 31% |



**Crosstabs**

|                        | Base | Gender |     |
|------------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                        |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Miller Approval</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Approve</b>         | 27%  | 23%    | 31% |
| <b>Disapprove</b>      | 38%  | 37%    | 38% |
| <b>Not sure</b>        | 35%  | 40%    | 30% |

|                                  | Base | Gender |     |
|----------------------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                                  |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Miller/Dem<br/>Opponent 1</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Gary Miller</b>               | 39%  | 34%    | 45% |
| <b>Democratic<br/>opponent</b>   | 48%  | 52%    | 44% |
| <b>Not sure</b>                  | 13%  | 14%    | 11% |

|                                   | Base | Gender |     |
|-----------------------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                                   |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Tea Party<br/>Favorability</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Favorable</b>                  | 38%  | 31%    | 45% |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>                | 52%  | 56%    | 49% |
| <b>Not sure</b>                   | 10%  | 13%    | 6%  |

|                                    | Base | Gender |     |
|------------------------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                                    |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Support/Oppose<br/>Shutdown</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Support</b>                     | 34%  | 27%    | 42% |
| <b>Oppose</b>                      | 58%  | 62%    | 54% |
| <b>Not sure</b>                    | 8%   | 11%    | 4%  |





**Crosstabs**

|   | Base | Gender |     |
|---|------|--------|-----|
|   |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Support/Oppose Not Increasing Debt Limit</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Support</b>                                  | 32%  | 26%    | 40% |
| <b>Oppose</b>                                   | 54%  | 58%    | 49% |
| <b>Not sure</b>                                 | 14%  | 17%    | 11% |

|   | Base | Gender |     |
|---|------|--------|-----|
|   |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Pro-Shutdown: More/Less Likely to Support Miller</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Less likely</b>                                      | 50%  | 53%    | 48% |
| <b>More likely</b>                                      | 33%  | 29%    | 38% |
| <b>No difference</b>                                    | 11%  | 10%    | 12% |
| <b>Not sure</b>   | 5%   | 7%     | 3%  |

|                              | Base | Gender |     |
|------------------------------|------|--------|-----|
|                              |      | Woman  | Man |
| <b>Miller/Dem Opponent 2</b> |      |        |     |
| <b>Gary Miller</b>           | 39%  | 35%    | 43% |
| <b>Democratic opponent</b>   | 51%  | 53%    | 48% |
| <b>Not sure</b>              | 11%  | 12%    | 9%  |

|                        | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|------------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                        |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Miller Approval</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Approve</b>         | 27%  | 16%      | 40%        | 25%               |
| <b>Disapprove</b>      | 38%  | 47%      | 21%        | 51%               |
| <b>Not sure</b>        | 35%  | 38%      | 39%        | 24%               |





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|                              | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|------------------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                              |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Miller/Dem Opponent 1</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Gary Miller</b>           | 39%  | 15%      | 66%        | 37%               |
| <b>Democratic opponent</b>   | 48%  | 75%      | 18%        | 50%               |
| <b>Not sure</b>              | 13%  | 10%      | 16%        | 12%               |

|                               | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|-------------------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                               |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Tea Party Favorability</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Favorable</b>              | 38%  | 15%      | 62%        | 40%               |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>            | 52%  | 75%      | 27%        | 52%               |
| <b>Not sure</b>               | 10%  | 10%      | 11%        | 8%                |

|                                | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|--------------------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                                |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Support/Oppose Shutdown</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Support</b>                 | 34%  | 21%      | 49%        | 31%               |
| <b>Oppose</b>                  | 58%  | 75%      | 40%        | 59%               |
| <b>Not sure</b>                | 8%   | 5%       | 11%        | 9%                |

|   | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|---|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|   |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Support/Oppose Not Increasing Debt Limit</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Support</b>                                  | 32%  | 19%      | 43%        | 38%               |
| <b>Oppose</b>                                   | 54%  | 70%      | 39%        | 47%               |
| <b>Not sure</b>                                 | 14%  | 10%      | 18%        | 15%               |





**Crosstabs**

|   | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|---|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|   |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Pro-Shutdown:<br/>More/Less Likely to<br/>Support Miller</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Less likely</b>  | 50%  | 67%      | 35%        | 45%               |
| <b>More likely</b>  | 33%  | 20%      | 44%        | 41%               |
| <b>No difference</b>  | 11%  | 7%       | 15%        | 10%               |
| <b>Not sure</b>   | 5%   | 6%       | 5%         | 4%                |

|                                  | Base | Party    |            |                   |
|----------------------------------|------|----------|------------|-------------------|
|                                  |      | Democrat | Republican | Independent/Other |
| <b>Miller/Dem<br/>Opponent 2</b> |      |          |            |                   |
| <b>Gary Miller</b>               | 39%  | 16%      | 64%        | 38%               |
| <b>Democratic<br/>opponent</b>   | 51%  | 79%      | 19%        | 52%               |
| <b>Not sure</b>                  | 11%  | 5%       | 18%        | 10%               |

|                        | Base | Race            |                 |                            |       |
|------------------------|------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-------|
|                        |      | Hispanic/Latino | White/Caucasian | Black/African-<br>American | Other |
| <b>Miller Approval</b> |      |                 |                 |                            |       |
| <b>Approve</b>         | 27%  | 31%             | 27%             | 10%                        | 29%   |
| <b>Disapprove</b>      | 38%  | 40%             | 38%             | 46%                        | 24%   |
| <b>Not sure</b>        | 35%  | 28%             | 35%             | 44%                        | 47%   |

|                                  | Base | Race            |                 |                            |       |
|----------------------------------|------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-------|
|                                  |      | Hispanic/Latino | White/Caucasian | Black/African-<br>American | Other |
| <b>Miller/Dem<br/>Opponent 1</b> |      |                 |                 |                            |       |
| <b>Gary Miller</b>               | 39%  | 32%             | 45%             | 7%                         | 54%   |
| <b>Democratic<br/>opponent</b>   | 48%  | 59%             | 43%             | 69%                        | 31%   |
| <b>Not sure</b>                  | 13%  | 9%              | 12%             | 24%                        | 16%   |





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|                               | Base | Race            |                 |                        |       |
|-------------------------------|------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------|-------|
|                               |      | Hispanic/Latino | White/Caucasian | Black/African-American | Other |
| <b>Tea Party Favorability</b> |      |                 |                 |                        |       |
| <b>Favorable</b>              | 38%  | 29%             | 41%             | 21%                    | 57%   |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>            | 52%  | 62%             | 50%             | 61%                    | 35%   |
| <b>Not sure</b>               | 10%  | 8%              | 9%              | 18%                    | 8%    |

|                                | Base | Race            |                 |                        |       |
|--------------------------------|------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------|-------|
|                                |      | Hispanic/Latino | White/Caucasian | Black/African-American | Other |
| <b>Support/Oppose Shutdown</b> |      |                 |                 |                        |       |
| <b>Support</b>                 | 34%  | 29%             | 37%             | 15%                    | 46%   |
| <b>Oppose</b>                  | 58%  | 61%             | 58%             | 79%                    | 39%   |
| <b>Not sure</b>                | 8%   | 10%             | 6%              | 6%                     | 15%   |

|   | Base | Race            |                 |                        |       |
|---|------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------|-------|
|   |      | Hispanic/Latino | White/Caucasian | Black/African-American | Other |
| <b>Support/Oppose Not Increasing Debt Limit</b> |      |                 |                 |                        |       |
| <b>Support</b>                                  | 32%  | 29%             | 34%             | 19%                    | 41%   |
| <b>Oppose</b>                                   | 54%  | 55%             | 53%             | 73%                    | 38%   |
| <b>Not sure</b>                                 | 14%  | 15%             | 13%             | 8%                     | 21%   |

|   | Base | Race            |                 |                        |       |
|---|------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------|-------|
|   |      | Hispanic/Latino | White/Caucasian | Black/African-American | Other |
| <b>Pro-Shutdown: More/Less Likely to Support Miller</b> |      |                 |                 |                        |       |
| <b>Less likely</b>                                      | 50%  | 51%             | 50%             | 69%                    | 36%   |
| <b>More likely</b>                                      | 33%  | 36%             | 32%             | 20%                    | 47%   |
| <b>No difference</b>                                    | 11%  | 6%              | 15%             | 2%                     | 10%   |
| <b>Not sure</b>   | 5%   | 7%              | 3%              | 9%                     | 6%    |





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|                              | Base | Race            |                 |                        |       |
|------------------------------|------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------|-------|
|                              |      | Hispanic/Latino | White/Caucasian | Black/African-American | Other |
| <b>Miller/Dem Opponent 2</b> |      |                 |                 |                        |       |
| <b>Gary Miller</b>           | 39%  | 33%             | 42%             | 12%                    | 58%   |
| <b>Democratic opponent</b>   | 51%  | 62%             | 45%             | 71%                    | 32%   |
| <b>Not sure</b>              | 11%  | 4%              | 13%             | 17%                    | 10%   |

|                        | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                        |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Miller Approval</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| <b>Approve</b>         | 27%  | 25%      | 25%      | 29%      | 25%           |
| <b>Disapprove</b>      | 38%  | 38%      | 39%      | 34%      | 41%           |
| <b>Not sure</b>        | 35%  | 38%      | 36%      | 36%      | 34%           |

|                              | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|------------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                              |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Miller/Dem Opponent 1</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| <b>Gary Miller</b>           | 39%  | 29%      | 42%      | 41%      | 37%           |
| <b>Democratic opponent</b>   | 48%  | 47%      | 47%      | 47%      | 51%           |
| <b>Not sure</b>              | 13%  | 24%      | 11%      | 12%      | 12%           |

|                               | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|-------------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                               |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Tea Party Favorability</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| <b>Favorable</b>              | 38%  | 35%      | 39%      | 40%      | 34%           |
| <b>Unfavorable</b>            | 52%  | 47%      | 56%      | 49%      | 55%           |
| <b>Not sure</b>               | 10%  | 18%      | 6%       | 11%      | 10%           |







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|                                | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|--------------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                                |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Support/Oppose Shutdown</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| <b>Support</b>                 | 34%  | 47%      | 39%      | 33%      | 28%           |
| <b>Oppose</b>                  | 58%  | 53%      | 56%      | 58%      | 62%           |
| <b>Not sure</b>                | 8%   | -        | 6%       | 9%       | 10%           |

|   | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|---|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|   |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Support/Oppose Not Increasing Debt Limit</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| <b>Support</b>                                  | 32%  | 47%      | 39%      | 29%      | 27%           |
| <b>Oppose</b>                                   | 54%  | 47%      | 56%      | 52%      | 57%           |
| <b>Not sure</b>                                 | 14%  | 6%       | 6%       | 19%      | 16%           |

|   | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|---|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|   |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Pro-Shutdown: More/Less Likely to Support Miller</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| <b>Less likely</b>                                      | 50%  | 59%      | 50%      | 50%      | 49%           |
| <b>More likely</b>                                      | 33%  | 35%      | 33%      | 34%      | 33%           |
| <b>No difference</b>                                    | 11%  | 6%       | 14%      | 11%      | 10%           |
| <b>Not sure</b>   | 5%   | -        | 3%       | 6%       | 8%            |

|                              | Base | Age      |          |          |               |
|------------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
|                              |      | 18 to 29 | 30 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| <b>Miller/Dem Opponent 2</b> |      |          |          |          |               |
| <b>Gary Miller</b>           | 39%  | 47%      | 39%      | 39%      | 36%           |
| <b>Democratic opponent</b>   | 51%  | 47%      | 47%      | 50%      | 54%           |
| <b>Not sure</b>              | 11%  | 6%       | 14%      | 10%      | 10%           |

