



## Pennsylvania Statewide Survey Top Lines

Conducted: February 27-28, 2013

Respondents: 622

Margin of Error: +/-3.93%

### Results:

(Democrats only)

**Q:** If the Democratic primary election for Governor were held today, who would you vote for:  
John Hanger, Rob McCord, Tom Knox, Allyson Schwartz, Joe Sestak or Tom Wolf?

Hanger	1%
McCord	7%
Knox	3%
Schwartz	19%
Sestak	20%
Wolf	1%
Not sure	50%
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Total	100%

(Republicans only)

**Q:** If the Republican primary election for Governor were held today, who would you vote for:  
Bruce Castor or Tom Corbett?

Castor	21%
Corbett	49%
Not Sure	30%
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Total	100%

**Q:** Do you agree or disagree with the Attorney General’s decision to stop the privatization of the state lottery system which would have added \$50 million in funding this year for programs benefiting Pennsylvania seniors?

Agree	39%
Disagree	39%
Not sure	22%
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Total	100%

**Q:** Do you agree or disagree that the state of Pennsylvania should expand Medicaid coverage for low-income individuals as mandated under President Obama’s new health care law?

Agree	49%
Disagree	39%
Not sure	13%
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Total	100%

**Q:** Which of the following statements comes closest to your opinion regarding the prosecution of Jerry Sandusky: Critics of the prosecution argue that the 2-year investigation of Sandusky did not proceed quickly enough and politics may have been the reason why, or Supporters of the prosecution argue that it takes time to build a case that resulted in the conviction of Sandusky on 45 counts and put him in prison for life?

Prosecution slowed by politics	38%
Takes time to build a successful prosecution	38%
Not sure	23%
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Total	100%

**Q:** Which of the following comes closest to your opinion about production of Marcellus Shale in Pennsylvania: The extraction of shale has serious environmental consequences and threatens water safety, or The production of shale is creating jobs and generating revenue for communities across the state?

Environmental concerns	36%
Economic benefits	46%
Not sure	17%
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Total	100%

**Q:** Which former Pennsylvania politicians do you most respect: Bob Casey Sr., Ed Rendell, Tom Ridge, Rick Santorum, or Arlen Specter?

Bob Casey Sr	18%
Ed Rendell	22%
Tom Ridge	24%
Rick Santorum	21%
Arlen Specter	15%
Total	100%

**Demographics:**

<b>Region</b>	
Allentown / Lehigh Valley	5%
Erie / North West	5%
Harrisburg / South Central	19%
Philadelphia / Southeast	30%
Pittsburgh / South West	28%
Scranton / Northeast	7%
State College / North Central	6%
Total	100%

<b>Gender</b>	
Female	52%
Male	48%
Total	100%

<b>Age</b>	
18-35	12%
36-45	13%
46-55	18%
56-65	28%
66 and older	29%
Total	100%

<b>Party Registration</b>	
Republican	44%
Democrat	47%
Other	9%
Total	100%

**Ideology**

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Very Conservative	20%
Somewhat Conservative	29%
Moderate	32%
Liberal	16%
Not sure	3%
Total	100%