



**Iowa Political Issues**  
N=671 Active Voters Ages 55+  
Conducted 09/07/14

**REGISTERED:** Are you currently registered to vote in Iowa?

Yes, Registered	100%
No, Not Registered	-

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**SEX:** And now for your sex.

Male	48%
Female	52

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**AGE:** Are you 55 years old or older?

Yes	100%
No	-

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**QRACE:** How would you describe your racial or ethnic heritage?

Hispanic	2%
Black	2
White	91
Asian	2
Other	3

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**INCOME:** Are you on a fixed income?

Yes	65%
No	35

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**ENERGYBILLS:** How much of your income is spent on home heating and cooling energy bills?

Less than 25%	54%
25-30%	19
30-35%	5
35-40%	2
More than 40%	2
Unsure	19

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**GOVOTER:** How likely do you think it is that you will vote in the Governor, US Senate, Congress or other local elections coming up this November?

Definitely voting	89%
Probably voting	8
Probably not voting	3

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**POLICYCHOICE:** Turning to our national energy policy, do you think President Obama and the U.S. Congress should be focusing attention on creating new regulations for power plants in order to combat climate change or focusing attention on keeping energy prices low?

New regulations	29%
Low prices	59
Unsure	12

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**EPA:** The Obama Administration recently introduced new regulations for power plants to combat climate change. The Environmental Protection Agency predicts that new power plant regulations will increase consumer electricity bills. How concerned are you about your electricity bills going up?

Extremely concerned	22%
Very concerned	20
Somewhat concerned	24
Not very concerned	18
Not at all concerned	12
Not sure	4

**COLLAPSED**

Concerned	66%
Not Concerned	30%

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**NEWREG:** Do you support or oppose the new regulations to limit greenhouse gas emissions from power plants that the Obama Administration recently announced?

Support	37%
Oppose	40
Unsure	23

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**CANDIDATESUPPORT:** Thinking about the upcoming elections, are you more likely to support or oppose candidates that support the new power plant regulations?

Support	33%
Oppose	35
Unsure	32

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**PARTY:** Which party do you most closely identify with?

Republican	32%
Democrat	35
Independent/Something else	33

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**METHODOLOGY:**

*The sample size for the survey is 671 active voters ages 55 and older taken from a listed sample of registered voters who voted in the 2010 or 2012 general election or registered since the 2012 general election. The margin of error is +/- 4.0%. 671 interviews were completed using automated telephone technology. All interviews were conducted September 7, 2014 by Vox Populi Polling. The total percentages for responses may not equal 100% due to rounding.*