

1. Are you registered to vote in Ohio?

1. Yes                      2. No                      3. Not sure

2. How likely are you to vote in the upcoming Republican primary for Congress?

1. Very likely            2. Somewhat likely            3. Not likely            4. Not sure

3. In which party are you either registered to vote or do you consider yourself to be a member of – Democratic, Republican, Independent/Minor party, or Libertarian?

1. Democratic            2. Republican            3. Independent/Minor            4. Libertarian            5. Not sure

4. In the 2004 presidential election, did you vote for Republican George W. Bush, Democrat John F. Kerry, another candidate, or did you not vote?

1. Bush            2. Kerry            3. Someone else            4. Did not vote            5. Not sure

5. In the special congressional election in the second district last August, did you vote?

1. Yes                      2. No                      3. Not sure

6. If the Republican primary election for Congress were held today, and the candidates were Jean Schmidt and Bob McEwen, for whom would you vote?

1. Schmidt            2. McEwen            3. Someone else            4. Not sure

Please tell me if your overall opinion of each of the following people is very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable, or very unfavorable, or you are not familiar enough to form an opinion?

7. Jean Schmidt

1. Very favorable            2. Somewhat favorable            3. Somewhat unfavorable            4. Very unfavorable            5. Not familiar            6. Not sure

8. Bob McEwen

1. Very favorable            2. Somewhat favorable            3. Somewhat unfavorable            4. Very unfavorable            5. Not familiar            6. Not sure

9. Thinking about incumbent Jean Schmidt's work as your representative in Congress, how would you rate the job she is doing?

1. Excellent                      2. Good                      3. Fair                      4. Poor                      5. Not sure

10. Are you proud of Jean Schmidtas your congressional representative, or are you embarrassed because of her?

1. Proud                      2. Embarrassed                      3. Not sure

11. In deciding for whom to vote in the Republican primary in the second congressional district, what issue is most important in helping you make up your mind?

1. Taxes  
2. Jobs and the economy

3. Education

4. Health care/insurance/ Prescription drugs

5. Crime/drugs/violence

6. War on terrorism/Security

7. State deficit/spending

8. Senior issues/Social Security

9. Environment

10. Morality/Values

11. Ethics in government

12. War in Iraq

13. Character of the candidates

14. Other (**please specify**\_\_\_\_\_)

15. Not sure/none

12. It has been reported that Jean Schmidt has misstated facts about her college education and about endorsements for her re-election campaign. Do you believe that these were simple mistakes for which there are logical explanations, or do you think that she has lied in an effort to help her re-election campaign.

1. Simple mistakes with a logical explanation

2. She lied to help with her reelection

3. Neither/not sure

13. Would it make you much more likely, somewhat more likely, somewhat less likely, or much less likely to vote for Jean Schmidt if you knew that she had wrongly stated that she had won political endorsements from individuals or groups when those people and groups had actually never endorsed her?

1. Much more likely    2. Somewhat more likely    3. Somewhat less likely    4. Much less likely    5. No difference    6. Not sure

14. Would it make you much more likely, somewhat more likely, somewhat less likely, or much less likely to vote for Jean Schmidt if you knew that she had wrongly stated that she had earned two college degrees when she had actually earned only one?

1. Much more likely    2. Somewhat more likely    3. Somewhat less likely    4. Much less likely    5. No difference    6. Not sure

15. Last fall in a speech in Congress, Jean Schmidt had harsh words for fellow congressman and decorated Vietnam veteran John Murtha's opposition to the Iraq war, saying "Cowards run, Marines never do." She has been criticized and ridiculed by national media outlets for her comments. Does this incident make you much more likely, somewhat more likely, somewhat less likely, or much less likely to vote for Jean Schmidt?

1. Much more likely    2. Somewhat more likely    3. Somewhat less likely    4. Much less likely    5. No difference    6. Not sure

16. In deciding for whom to vote in the Republican primary election in the second congressional district, which is more important to you – the issues in the race or the character of the candidates?

1. Issues                      2. Candidate's character                      3. Not sure

17. In which county do you live?

- 1. Adams
- 2. Brown
- 3. Clermont
- 4. Hamilton
- 5. Pike
- 6. Scioto
- 7. Warren
- 8. Not sure

701. What is your age? \_\_\_\_\_

904. Which of the following best represents your race or ethnic group?

- 1. White, non-Hispanic
- 2. Hispanic
- 3. African American
- 4. Asian/Pacific
- 5. Other/mixed
- 0. Refuse

906. Which description best represents your political ideology?

- 1. Progressive/very liberal
- 2. Liberal
- 3. Moderate
- 4. Conservative
- 5. Very conservative
- 6. Libertarian

7. Not sure

0. Refuse

907. Which of the following best represents your religious affiliation?

1. Roman Catholic

2. Protestant/other non-denominational Christian

3. Jewish

4. Muslim

5. Other/no affiliation

0. Refuse

908. Do you consider yourself to be a born-again, evangelical, or fundamentalist Christian?

1. Yes

2. No

3. Not sure

0. Refuse

909. Are you or is anyone in your household a member of a union?

1. Yes

2. No

3. Not sure

0. Refuse

921. Which of the following best represents your household income last year before taxes?

1. Less than \$15,000

2. \$15,000-24,999

3. \$25,000-34,999

4. \$35,000-49,999

5. \$50,000-74,999

6. \$75,000 or more

0. Refuse

922. Gender

1. Male

2. Female