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Interviews: 500 adults in WA, 406 registered voters in WA
Margin of error: ± 4.4 for all WA adults, ± 4.9 registered voters in WA

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NOTE: all results shown are percentages unless otherwise labeled.

S1. Are you registered to vote at this address?

Yes.....	81
No	19
Refused/not sure	-

Q.1-Q.12b ASKED ONLY OF REGISTERED VOTERS.

2a. If the election for President and Vice President were held today and the candidates were George W. Bush for President and Dick Cheney for Vice President, the Republicans, and John Kerry for President and John Edwards for Vice President, the Democrats, and Ralph Nader for President and Peter Camejo for Vice President, the Independents, for whom would you vote? (IF UNDECIDED/ NONE/NOT SURE, ASK:) Do you lean more toward...?

	WA	Nation-wide
	9/17 - 20/04	9/7 - 9/04
Bush-Cheney, the Republicans	41	50
Undecided, lean Bush-Cheney	2	1
Kerry-Edwards, the Democrats.....	49	42
Undecided, lean Kerry-Edwards	2	1
Nader-Camejo, the Independents.....	2	2
Undecided, lean Nader-Camejo	1	-
(NOT READ) None/other candidate	3	2
Not sure	-	2
Total Would Vote/Lean Bush-Cheney	42	51
Total Would Vote/Lean Kerry-Edwards .	51	43
Total Would Vote/Lean Nader-Camejo...	3	2

(ASKED ONLY OF THOSE WHO SELECT A CANDIDATE IN Q.2a.)

2b-c. In November, will you definitely vote for those candidates, probably vote for those candidates, or do you think you could change your mind before the election in November?

	WA 9/17-20/04		Nationwide 9/7-9/04	
	Vote for Bush- <u>Cheney</u>	Vote for Kerry- <u>Edwards</u>	Vote for Bush- <u>Cheney</u>	Vote for Kerry- <u>Edwards</u>
Definitely will vote for candidates	84	83	74	72
Probably will vote for candidates	12	10	19	19
Could change mind	4	7	7	9
Not sure	-	-	-	-

<i>BUSH-CHENEY VS. KERRY-EDWARDS: HIERARCHICAL VOTE WITH "LEANERS"</i>		
	WA	Nation- wide
	9/17 - <u>20/04</u>	9/7 - <u>9/04</u>
Strong Bush-Cheney	34	37
Weak Bush-Cheney	8	14
TOTAL BUSH-CHENEY	42	51
Strong Kerry-Edwards	41	30
Weak Kerry-Edwards	10	13
TOTAL KERRY-EDWARDS	51	43
Nader-Camejo	3	2
Undecided/other	4	4

DEMOGRAPHICS

NOTE: Results for demographic questions represent all adults unless otherwise indicated.

D0a. Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent or none of these?

(IF "DEMOCRAT" TO Q.D0a, Q.D0b ASKED. IF "REPUBLICAN" TO Q.D0a, Q.D0c ASKED. IF "INDEPENDENT" or "NONE OF THESE" TO Q.D0a, Q.D0d ASKED. RESULTS SHOWN IN SUMMARY BELOW.)

D0b. Do you lean strongly or only moderately toward the Democratic Party?
D0c. Do you lean strongly or only moderately toward the Republican Party?
D0d. Do your beliefs tend to lean more toward the Democrats or the Republicans?

	REGISTERED VOTERS
Strongly Republican	22
Moderately Republican	20
Definitely Independent/neither.....	7
Moderately Democrat.....	28
Strongly Democrat	23
Refused/not sure	-
Total Republican	41
Total Democrat	50

D1a. In what year were you born?

D1b. Have you already had a birthday this year?

(IF RESPONDENT REFUSES Q.D1a OR Q.D1b, Q.D1c ASKED. RESULTS SHOWN IN SUMMARY BELOW.)

D1c. Are you:

18-34	21
35-49	30
50-64	32
65 and over	17
Refused/not sure	-

D2. What is the last year of school you completed?

Grade school or some high school.....	3
Completed high school	15
Some community college or university, but did not finish.....	27
Completed technical school or a community college	16
Completed a university or Bachelor's degree....	25
Completed a post-graduate degree such as a Master's or Ph.D.	14
Refused/not sure.....	-

D3. What religion are you? Protestant, Catholic, Mormon, Jewish, or some other religion?

Protestant	52
Catholic	16
Mormon	3
Jewish	-
Some other religion	10
(NOT READ) No religion	16
Refused/not sure	3

D4a. Are you of Hispanic ethnicity?

(Q.D4b ASKED ONLY OF THOSE WHO DO NOT SAY THEY ARE HISPANIC IN Q.D4a.)

D4b. Are you white, black, Asian, or some other race?

(RESULTS SHOWN IN SUMMARY BELOW.)

White	88
Black.....	2
Hispanic.....	4
Asian.....	3
American Indian.....	1
Other.....	1
Refused	1

D5. Are you:

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Refused/ Not Sure</u>
A gun owner	36	64	-
Someone who attends religious services once a week or more.....	35	64	1
An evangelical or born-again Christian.....	25	73	2
A military veteran or living in a household with a military veteran.....	34	66	-

D6. Could you please tell me your household income from all sources in 2003?

Under \$15,000.....	7
\$15,000 to less than \$20,000	6
\$20,000 to less than \$25,000	5
\$25,000 to less than \$30,000	4
\$30,000 to less than \$40,000	8
\$40,000 to less than \$50,000	9
\$50,000 to less than \$75,000	22
\$75,000 to less than \$100,000	11
\$100,000 or more	15
Refused/not sure	13

REGION:

Kings County	27
Urban Puget Sound	29
West	22
East	22

METROPOLITAN STATUS:

Urban	27
Suburban	58
Rural	15

GENDER:

Male	48
Female	52