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TTC/Transit/Transportation	93	45	48	40	23	30	12	33	20	27	9	60	10	2	1
	18%	18%	18%	28%	11%	18%	18%	18%	12%	30%	8%	27%	14%	5%	20%
City budget/debt/deficit				D						H		J			
	46	29	17	6	13	27	6	15	15	10	18	19	6	0	0
	9%	12%	6%	4%	7%	16%	9%	8%	9%	11%	16%	9%	9%	1%	-
High taxes/lower taxes						CD									
	61	25	37	19	24	18	5	33	14	8	7	33	11	4	0
	12%	10%	14%	13%	12%	11%	8%	18%	9%	9%	6%	15%	16%	12%	-
Economy/jobs															
	39	15	24	6	26	7	0	14	19	6	2	22	7	5	0
	8%	6%	9%	4%	13%	4%	-	8%	12%	6%	2%	10%	10%	17%	6%
Spending/waste at City Hall				C								J	J		
	55	36	19	3	22	29	6	26	18	5	24	14	5	5	0
	11%	15%	7%	2%	11%	18%	10%	14%	11%	5%	22%	6%	6%	15%	-
Crime				B		C					KL				
	11	4	7	2	7	2	0	4	3	3	3	1	1	3	1
	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	1%	-	2%	2%	3%	3%	0	2%	8%	21%
Road construction/repair															
	21	11	11	3	7	11	2	11	7	2	10	4	2	0	0
	4%	4%	4%	2%	3%	7%	3%	6%	4%	2%	10%	2%	3%	-	7%
Traffic/congestion											K				
	12	10	2	6	5	2	4	0	4	4	2	8	1	0	0
	2%	4%	1%	4%	2%	1%	6%	-	3%	4%	2%	4%	2%	1%	-
Education										G					
	10	4	6	7	0	3	0	2	7	1	2	5	2	1	0
	2%	1%	2%	5%	-	2%	-	1%	4%	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%	-
Social Services/poor/homeless				D											
	37	14	24	9	22	6	7	13	10	7	3	12	12	4	0
	7%	6%	9%	7%	11%	4%	10%	7%	6%	8%	3%	5%	16%	12%	-
Environment/Water/Air													JK		
	11	3	7	8	2	1	0	3	6	2	0	2	3	6	0
	2%	1%	3%	6%	1%	0	-	2%	3%	2%	-	1%	4%	19%	-
Commercial/Business Development				DE											
	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
	0	-	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	1%	-	0	-	-	-
Child care															
	7	1	7	4	3	0	2	0	4	2	1	4	0	0	0
	1%	0	2%	3%	2%	-	3%	-	2%	2%	1%	2%	-	-	-
Parks/Recreation/Cultural Facilities															
	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0
	0	-	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	1%	-	-	-
Cost of living															
	49	16	33	13	24	13	6	19	17	8	10	23	5	2	1
	10%	7%	12%	9%	12%	8%	10%	10%	10%	8%	10%	11%	7%	7%	13%
Municipal Services															
	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0
	0	0	0	0	1%	-	-	-	-	2%	0	0	0	-	-

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Police Services/police performance	3	3	0	1	2	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	-	2%	-	1%	-	1%	-	-	-	32%
Garbage collection	4	1	3	0	3	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
	1%	0	1%	-	1%	1%	2%	1%	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-
Unions/contracting out	19	16	3	2	6	10	6	3	6	3	9	5	2	0	0
	4%	6%	1%	2%	3%	6%	10%	2%	4%	3%	9%	2%	3%	-	-
		B									K				
Other	13	5	7	4	8	0	0	4	6	3	3	5	1	0	0
	2%	2%	3%	3%	4%	0	-	2%	4%	3%	3%	2%	1%	-	-
Don't know	18	9	9	8	7	4	5	4	8	1	2	1	3	0	0
	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%	2%	8%	2%	5%	1%	2%	1%	4%	1%	-

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Strongly agree	158	100	59	29	61	69	22	52	45	39	61	71	12	5	2
	31%	40%	22%	20%	30%	42%	33%	28%	27%	42%	57%	32%	17%	16%	35%
		B				C				GH	KL				
Somewhat agree	219	105	114	59	97	63	27	87	73	32	35	95	30	13	0
	43%	43%	43%	41%	47%	38%	41%	47%	44%	34%	33%	43%	42%	42%	7%
Somewhat disagree	79	27	52	34	27	18	11	21	35	12	9	38	12	6	1
	15%	11%	19%	24%	13%	11%	16%	11%	21%	13%	8%	17%	17%	21%	27%
				E											
Strongly disagree	57	15	42	22	21	14	6	27	13	10	2	17	18	6	2
	11%	6%	16%	15%	10%	9%	9%	15%	8%	11%	2%	8%	24%	21%	32%
			A										JK		
Summary															
Top2Box (Agree)	377	204	173	88	158	131	49	139	119	71	97	165	42	18	2
	74%	83%	65%	61%	77%	80%	74%	74%	71%	76%	90%	75%	59%	59%	42%
		B			C	C					KL				
Low2Box (Disagree)	136	42	94	56	48	32	17	48	49	22	11	55	29	13	3
	26%	17%	35%	39%	23%	20%	26%	26%	29%	24%	10%	25%	41%	41%	58%
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Strongly agree	148	94	54	30	54	64	28	54	39	27	56	64	13	5	1
	29%	38%	20%	21%	26%	39%	42%	29%	23%	29%	52%	29%	18%	15%	21%
Somewhat agree		B				C					KL				
	210	94	116	55	88	67	21	80	69	40	45	89	27	11	1
	41%	38%	44%	38%	43%	41%	32%	43%	41%	43%	42%	40%	38%	35%	27%
Somewhat disagree															
	97	38	59	39	35	23	7	30	45	16	6	46	14	7	1
Strongly disagree	19%	16%	22%	27%	17%	14%	10%	16%	27%	17%	6%	21%	20%	24%	20%
				E							J	J	J		
	58	20	38	20	29	9	10	23	14	10	1	22	18	8	2
Summary	11%	8%	14%	14%	14%	6%	15%	13%	9%	11%	1%	10%	25%	26%	32%
											J	JK			
Top2Box (Agree)	358	188	170	85	141	131	49	134	108	67	101	153	40	16	2
	70%	76%	64%	59%	69%	80%	74%	72%	65%	72%	93%	69%	55%	50%	48%
Low2Box (Disagree)		B				C					KL				
	155	59	97	59	64	32	17	53	59	26	7	68	32	15	3
	30%	24%	36%	41%	31%	20%	26%	28%	35%	28%	7%	31%	45%	50%	52%
		A		E							J	J			

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7. (Top2box Summary) Mayor Ford has a plan to contract out garbage collection for half the city while leaving the other half, because of contract provisions, to the current arrangement with the city's unions. Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following:

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I support the Mayor's plan to bid out garbage and waste management services to outside private contractors while still allowing the unions to compete for the business															
	377	204	173	88	158	131	49	139	119	71	97	165	42	18	2
	74%	83%	65%	61%	77%	80%	74%	74%	71%	76%	90%	75%	59%	59%	42%
		B			C	C					KL				
Garbage collection services and costs to taxpayers will be better under a new private sector contract than the current arrangement															
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	70%	76%	64%	59%	69%	80%	74%	72%	65%	72%	93%	69%	55%	50%	48%
		B				C					KL				

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7. (Low2box Summary) Mayor Ford has a plan to contract out garbage collection for half the city while leaving the other half, because of contract provisions, to the current arrangement with the city's unions. Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following:

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Garbage collection services and costs to taxpayers will be better under a new private sector contract than the current arrangement															
	155	59	97	59	64	32	17	53	59	26	7	68	32	15	3
	30%	24%	36%	41%	31%	20%	26%	28%	35%	28%	7%	31%	45%	50%	52%
			A	E								J	J		
I support the Mayor's plan to bid out garbage and waste management services to outside private contractors while still allowing the unions to compete for the business															
	136	42	94	56	48	32	17	48	49	22	11	55	29	13	3
	26%	17%	35%	39%	23%	20%	26%	26%	29%	24%	10%	25%	41%	41%	58%
			A	DE								J	J		

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8. The Provincial government has complied through legislation just introduced with a request from the City to designate the Toronto Transit Commission (TTC). The operators of Toronto's busses, subways and streetcars an essential service'. Despite the fact that there have only been 11 days in the past 20 years lost to labour disputes at the TTC, this will ban any potential strike and instead send contract disputes to arbitration, which TTC management fear will actually be more costly than direct party-to-party negotiations.. Overall, to what extent do you agree or disagree with the TTC being designated an essential service'?

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Strongly agree	253	129	124	63	89	101	30	105	73	44	62	115	31	10	4
	49%	52%	46%	44%	43%	62%	46%	56%	44%	48%	57%	52%	43%	33%	73%
						CD									
Somewhat agree	168	76	92	54	70	43	18	63	57	29	34	60	24	17	0
	33%	31%	35%	38%	34%	26%	28%	34%	34%	31%	31%	27%	34%	56%	7%
Somewhat disagree	57	25	32	18	24	15	11	11	22	12	10	26	9	3	0
	11%	10%	12%	12%	12%	9%	17%	6%	13%	13%	9%	12%	13%	10%	-
Strongly disagree	35	16	19	9	22	5	6	7	14	8	2	20	7	1	1
	7%	7%	7%	6%	11%	3%	9%	4%	8%	8%	2%	9%	10%	2%	20%
					E										
Summary															
Top2Box (Agree)	421	205	216	118	159	144	49	168	131	73	96	175	55	27	4
	82%	83%	81%	82%	78%	88%	74%	90%	78%	79%	89%	79%	77%	89%	80%
								HI							
Low2Box (Disagree)	92	42	51	26	46	20	17	19	36	20	12	46	16	4	1
	18%	17%	19%	18%	22%	12%	26%	10%	22%	21%	11%	21%	23%	11%	20%
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Very good	112	69	42	32	41	38	9	49	33	21	38	44	14	3	2
	22%	28%	16%	22%	20%	23%	14%	26%	20%	22%	35%	20%	19%	11%	39%
		B									K				
Good	223	109	114	55	96	73	40	84	68	31	50	99	26	11	2
	44%	44%	43%	38%	47%	44%	60%	45%	41%	34%	46%	45%	37%	36%	35%
Bad	107	38	69	35	37	34	13	28	45	20	15	48	16	7	1
	21%	15%	26%	25%	18%	21%	20%	15%	27%	22%	14%	22%	22%	21%	27%
			A												
Very bad	71	30	41	22	31	18	3	26	21	21	5	30	16	10	0
	14%	12%	15%	15%	15%	11%	5%	14%	13%	23%	5%	13%	23%	32%	-
										H			J		
Summary															
Top2Box (Very good/good)	335	178	157	87	137	111	49	133	101	52	87	144	40	14	4
	65%	72%	59%	60%	67%	68%	75%	71%	61%	56%	81%	65%	55%	47%	73%
		B						I			KL				
Low2Box (Bad/very bad)	178	68	110	57	68	53	17	54	66	41	20	77	32	16	1
	35%	28%	41%	40%	33%	32%	25%	29%	39%	44%	19%	35%	45%	53%	27%
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Bad															
	100	30	70	38	36	25	8	32	41	18	9	41	15	12	1
	19%	12%	26%	26%	18%	16%	12%	17%	25%	20%	9%	18%	21%	39%	27%
Very bad			A										J		
	48	22	26	17	24	7	6	19	16	7	4	18	16	2	2
	9%	9%	10%	12%	12%	4%	9%	10%	10%	8%	3%	8%	22%	7%	32%
Summary													JK		
Top2Box (Very good/good)	366	195	171	89	145	131	52	136	110	67	95	162	41	17	2
	71%	79%	64%	62%	71%	80%	79%	73%	66%	73%	88%	73%	56%	54%	42%
Low2Box (Bad/very bad)		B				C					KL	L			
	147	52	96	55	60	32	14	51	57	25	13	59	31	14	3
	29%	21%	36%	38%	29%	20%	21%	27%	34%	27%	12%	27%	44%	46%	58%
			A	E								J	JK		

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9. (Top2box Summary) One of Mayor Ford's policies has been to scrap 'Transit City', which focused heavily on streetcars and light-rail transit, and instead expand subway routes in parts of the city. Critics of the decision say subways are more expensive to construct and the city would likely be penalized millions of dollars to break current commitments to the Transit City development that is already underway. As part of his subway expansion idea to extend the Sheppard subway west to Downsview station and as far east as the Scarborough Town Centre, Mayor Ford wants to use public-private partnerships and a combination of development charges and tax increment financing, which allows cities to borrow against future property tax revenue from land whose value shoots up after the subway is built. This type of financing has been used in Europe to build transit systems. Do you think the following is either a good idea or a bad idea?

		GENDER		AGE			EDUCATION				PARTIES/CANDIDATES SUPPORTED/LEAN TOWARDS				
	Total	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<HS	HS	Post Sec	Univ Grad	The Ontario Progressive Conservatives (PC), led by Tim Hudak	The Ontario Liberals, led by Dalton McGuinty	The Ontario New Democratic Party (NDP), led by Andrea Horwath	The Ontario Green Party, led by Mike Schreiner	Other
Base: All respondents	513	264	249	169	190	154	29	87	184	213	140	166	90	41	6
Weighted	513	246	267	144*	205*	164*	66**	187*	167	93	108*	221*	72*	31**	5**
Private-public partnerships and development charges/tax increment financing to fund the subways	366	195	171	89	145	131	52	136	110	67	95	162	41	17	2
	71%	79%	64%	62%	71%	80%	79%	73%	66%	73%	88%	73%	56%	54%	42%
		B				C					KL	L			
Quitting the 'Transit City' plan in favour of new subways	335	178	157	87	137	111	49	133	101	52	87	144	40	14	4
	65%	72%	59%	60%	67%	68%	75%	71%	61%	56%	81%	65%	55%	47%	73%
		B						I			KL				

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9. (Low2box Summary) One of Mayor Ford's policies has been to scrap 'Transit City', which focused heavily on streetcars and light-rail transit, and instead expand subway routes in parts of the city. Critics of the decision say subways are more expensive to construct and the city would likely be penalized millions of dollars to break current commitments to the Transit City development that is already underway. As part of his subway expansion idea to extend the Sheppard subway west to Downsview station and as far east as the Scarborough Town Centre, Mayor Ford wants to use public-private partnerships and a combination of development charges and tax increment financing, which allows cities to borrow against future property tax revenue from land whose value shoots up after the subway is built. This type of financing has been used in Europe to build transit systems. Do you think the following is either a good idea or a bad idea?

		GENDER		AGE			EDUCATION				PARTIES/CANDIDATES SUPPORTED/LEAN TOWARDS				
	Total	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<HS	HS	Post Sec	Univ Grad	The Ontario Progressive Conservatives (PC), led by Tim Hudak	The Ontario Liberals, led by Dalton McGuinty	The Ontario New Democratic Party (NDP), led by Andrea Horwath	The Ontario Green Party, led by Mike Schreiner	Other
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
Base: All respondents	513	264	249	169	190	154	29	87	184	213	140	166	90	41	6
Weighted	513	246	267	144*	205*	164*	66**	187*	167	93	108*	221*	72*	31**	5**
Quitting the 'Transit City' plan in favour of new subways	178	68	110	57	68	53	17	54	66	41	20	77	32	16	1
	35%	28%	41%	40%	33%	32%	25%	29%	39%	44%	19%	35%	45%	53%	27%
			A							G		J	J		
Private-public partnerships and development charges/tax increment financing to fund the subways	147	52	96	55	60	32	14	51	57	25	13	59	31	14	3
	29%	21%	36%	38%	29%	20%	21%	27%	34%	27%	12%	27%	44%	46%	58%
			A	E								J	JK		

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