



## American Lung Association Frequency Questionnaire

June 4-12, 2011

**800 National Likely Voters (2400 Unweighted)**

**51 Florida Likely Voters (446 Unweighted)**

**64 Ohio/Michigan Likely Voters (482 Unweighted)**

**36 Minnesota/Wisconsin Likely Voters (424 Unweighted)**

**49 North Carolina/Virginia Likely Voters (460 Unweighted)**

Q.3 First of all, are you registered to vote?

	Total	FL	OH/MI	MN/WI	NC/VA
Yes.....	100	100	100	100	100
No .....	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know/Refused.....	-	-	-	-	-
(ref:SCREEN1)					

Q.6 Many people weren't able to vote in the 2008 election for president between Barack Obama and John McCain. How about you? Were you able to vote, or for some reason were you unable to vote?

	Total	FL	OH/MI	MN/WI	NC/VA
Voted .....	96	99	97	97	94
Not registered in 2008/Ineligible/too young .	4	1	3	3	6
Did not vote.....	-	-	-	-	-
(Can't remember/Don't know) .....	-	-	-	-	-
(Refused) .....	-	-	-	-	-
(ref:VOTE08)					

Q.7 I know it is a long way off, but what are the chances of your voting in the election for president in 2012 -- are you almost certain to vote, will you probably vote, are the chances 50-50, or do you think you will not vote?

	Total	FL	OH/MI	MN/WI	NC/VA
Almost certain .....	92	93	92	93	91
Probably.....	8	7	8	7	9
50-50.....	-	-	-	-	-
Will not vote .....	-	-	-	-	-
(Don't know).....	-	-	-	-	-
(Refused) .....	-	-	-	-	-
(ref:WILLVOTE)					

Q.8 Now, I'd like you to rate your feelings toward some people and organizations, with one hundred meaning a VERY WARM, FAVORABLE feeling; zero meaning a VERY COLD, UNFAVORABLE feeling; and fifty meaning not particularly warm or cold. You can use any number from zero to one hundred, the higher the number the more favorable your feelings are toward that person or organization. If you have no opinion or never heard of that person or organization, please say so.

	Mean	% Warm	% Cool	% ID
8 Barack Obama .....	54	49	36	97
<b>Florida</b> .....	51	47	40	99
<b>Ohio/Michigan</b> .....	52	46	37	98
<b>Minnesota/Wisconsin</b> .....	53	48	35	97
<b>North Carolina/Virginia</b> .....	50	45	42	97
9 The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, or E.P.A. ....	54	45	27	91
<b>Florida</b> .....	51	37	27	92
<b>Ohio/Michigan</b> .....	52	39	29	90
<b>Minnesota/Wisconsin</b> .....	53	41	26	87
<b>North Carolina/Virginia</b> .....	55	46	25	90
10 The U.S. Congress .....	41	21	47	95
<b>Florida</b> .....	38	17	53	96
<b>Ohio/Michigan</b> .....	38	18	50	92
<b>Minnesota/Wisconsin</b> .....	41	22	43	92
<b>North Carolina/Virginia</b> .....	42	23	45	96
11 The Clean Air Act.....	59	43	21	79
<b>Florida</b> .....	54	40	26	80
<b>Ohio/Michigan</b> .....	55	34	22	76
<b>Minnesota/Wisconsin</b> .....	59	42	17	79
<b>North Carolina/Virginia</b> .....	58	40	22	79

(ref:THERMS)

Q.12 Generally speaking, do you favor or oppose the Environmental Protection Agency, or EPA, updating standards with stricter limits on air pollution?

	Total	FL	OH/MI	MN/WI	NC/VA
Strongly favor.....	45	46	37	43	45
Somewhat favor.....	25	25	27	28	27
Somewhat oppose.....	9	8	11	11	8
Strongly oppose.....	14	13	15	11	12
(Don't know/Refused) .....	8	7	10	8	8
<b>Total favor</b> .....	<b>70</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>72</b>
<b>Total oppose</b> .....	<b>22</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>20</b>

(ref:EPASTAND)

Q.13 And do you think the EPA is doing less to ensure air quality than is required of it by law, going further to ensure air quality than is allowed by law, or is generally meeting its goals for air quality as required by law?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>FL</b>	<b>OH/MI</b>	<b>MN/WI</b>	<b>NC/VA</b>
Doing less than required.....	24	25	20	19	18
Meeting its goals.....	38	38	39	44	44
Going further than allowed.....	17	17	19	15	19
(Don't know/Refused) .....	21	20	21	22	19
<b>Doing less - Going further .....</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-2</b>

(ref:EPALAW)

Q.14 As you may know, the EPA is proposing to update air pollution standards by placing stricter limits on the amount of smog that power plants, oil refineries and other industrial facilities can release. Do you favor or oppose the EPA setting stricter limits on smog?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>FL</b>	<b>OH/MI</b>	<b>MN/WI</b>	<b>NC/VA</b>
Strongly favor.....	54	56	44	47	49
Somewhat favor.....	21	20	21	26	23
Somewhat oppose .....	7	9	10	8	8
Strongly oppose.....	14	13	18	14	15
(Don't know/Refused) .....	4	3	7	5	4
<b>Total favor .....</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>72</b>
<b>Total oppose .....</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>24</b>

(ref:SMOGSTAN)

Q.15 As you may know, some in Congress want to stop the EPA from setting stricter limits on smog. How about you, do you believe Congress should stop the EPA from updating these standards or not?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>FL</b>	<b>OH/MI</b>	<b>MN/WI</b>	<b>NC/VA</b>
Strongly Congress should NOT stop the EPA.....	54	56	44	46	46
Somewhat Congress should NOT stop the EPA.....	18	16	19	22	21
Somewhat Congress should stop the EPA.....	6	6	9	7	7
Strongly Congress should stop the EPA.....	14	15	17	15	15
(Don't Know/Refused).....	7	7	10	10	11
<b>Total Not stop.....</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>68</b>
<b>Total Stop .....</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>22</b>

(ref:EPAAUTSM)

Q.16 Now let me read you some short pairs of statements. After I read each pair, please tell me which statement is closer to your own view, even if it is not exactly right.

	1st Stmt Much	1st Stmt Smwt	2nd Stmt Smwt	2nd Stmt Much	Both	Neither	DK/Ref	Total 1st Stmt	Total 2nd Stmt	1st - 2nd
[400 Respondents]										
16 (SPLIT A) The updated EPA standards will create more jobs because they will encourage innovation and investment in new technologies.										
OR										
The updated EPA standards will hurt jobs by increasing costs and making American businesses less competitive.....	32	22	13	21	3	2	7	54	34	20
<b>Florida</b> .....	36	22	12	21	2	1	7	58	32	26
<b>Ohio/Michigan</b> .....	28	23	11	25	3	4	6	51	37	14
<b>Minnesota/Wisconsin</b> .....	31	22	10	22	4	3	9	53	32	21
<b>North Carolina/Virginia</b> .....	33	21	14	19	2	3	8	54	33	20

[400 Respondents]										
17 (SPLIT B) We need the updated EPA standards because they will prevent tens of thousands of asthma attacks and save thousands of lives every year.										
OR										
We can't afford the updated EPA standards because they will hurt jobs by increasing costs and making American businesses less competitive.....	36	24	8	22	2	4	4	60	30	30
<b>Florida</b> .....	41	19	9	21	3	1	5	60	31	30
<b>Ohio/Michigan</b> .....	35	16	14	26	2	3	3	51	40	11
<b>Minnesota/Wisconsin</b> .....	33	25	14	20	2	2	4	58	34	24
<b>North Carolina/Virginia</b> .....	38	21	15	18	2	2	5	59	33	26

	1st Stmt Much	1st Stmt Smwt	2nd Stmt Smwt	2nd Stmt Much	Both	Neither	DK/Ref	Total 1st Stmt	Total 2nd Stmt	1st - 2nd
[400 Respondents]										
18 (SPLIT A) Scientists at the EPA should set pollution standards, not politicians in Congress.										
OR										
Our elected representatives in Congress should set pollution standards, not unelected bureaucrats at the EPA.....	48	18	12	9	3	4	6	66	21	45
<b>Florida</b> .....	48	19	8	10	3	7	4	67	18	49
<b>Ohio/Michigan</b> .....	43	17	12	10	6	5	7	61	22	39
<b>Minnesota/Wisconsin</b> .....	43	22	10	13	2	4	5	66	23	43
<b>North Carolina/Virginia</b> .....	48	19	10	10	3	4	6	67	20	47

[400 Respondents]										
19 (SPLIT B) We can set stricter standards for smog pollution without damaging the economy.										
OR										
Setting stricter standards on smog will increase costs and damage our economic recovery.....	40	24	13	17	1	1	4	65	30	35
<b>Florida</b> .....	43	19	10	21	1	1	4	63	31	32
<b>Ohio/Michigan</b> .....	38	22	13	23	1	2	2	60	36	24
<b>Minnesota/Wisconsin</b> .....	31	35	8	17	1	1	6	67	26	41
<b>North Carolina/Virginia</b> .....	37	26	13	16	1	2	4	64	29	34
(ref: AIRPAIRS)										

Q.20 Now let me read you two more statements some people on both sides of the issue make.

*Some people say: Scientists at the EPA are the most qualified people to decide how to protect the public from pollution, not politicians in Congress. EPA scientists say that failing to update these standards would lead to more than 10,000 additional deaths and 50,000 additional asthma attacks every year. And by failing to update smog standards to reflect the most recent research, Congress would be keeping parents in the dark about the true impact of pollution on their children. Congress should hold polluters accountable for their actions and let the EPA do its job, not let some polluters off the hook.*

*Other people say: Given the weak economy, now is the worst time for the EPA to enact costly regulations that kill jobs. These new rules are unrealistic and unattainable. Under these rules, most of the country would be considered out of compliance and would essentially be closed to new or expanded manufacturing businesses. That would result in millions of American jobs being shipped to countries like India and China. Congress should stop the EPA because we shouldn't be creating new barriers to job creation when our country is trying to recover from a recession.*

Now that you've heard more about this issue let me ask you again, do you believe Congress should stop the EPA from updating these standards or not?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>FL</b>	<b>OH/MI</b>	<b>MN/WI</b>	<b>NC/VA</b>
Strongly Congress should NOT stop the EPA.....	43	50	39	41	41
Somewhat Congress should NOT stop the EPA.....	21	15	18	21	22
Somewhat Congress should stop the EPA.....	8	8	10	9	9
Strongly Congress should stop the EPA.....	19	22	25	19	17
(Don't Know/Refused).....	9	6	8	10	11
<b>Total Not stop.....</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>63</b>
<b>Total Stop .....</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>26</b>

(ref:EPASPMMSG)

Q.21 And now let me ask you something else about this issue.

The EPA is currently reconsidering the national smog standards set in 2008. Let me read you two statements some people make about the timing of these new standards. After I read both statements, please tell me which one is closer to your own view, even if neither is exactly right.

*Some people say: new research shows that smog is more dangerous than we previously thought and that breathing smog at levels currently deemed as safe can actually be deadly. We should update the standards now because EPA scientists say a delay would result in the deaths of an additional 10,000 people and another 50,000 asthma attacks every year.*

*Other people say: After a scientific review, the EPA strengthened limits on smog pollution in 2008. And it is already working on new scientific research for the next regularly scheduled update, research that will be completed in early 2012. Changing the standards in midstream doesn't make sense when we will soon have updated science to use for the regularly scheduled 2013 update.*

Which statement is closer to your own view?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>FL</b>	<b>OH/MI</b>	<b>MN/WI</b>	<b>NC/VA</b>
First statement much .....	23	26	24	23	23
First statement somewhat.....	24	23	22	29	25
Second statement somewhat .....	21	17	19	20	23
Second statement much .....	17	24	20	18	18
(Both) .....	1	0	1	1	1
(Neither).....	5	2	4	4	2
(Don't know/Refused) .....	9	8	9	6	8
<b>Total First statement .....</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>48</b>
<b>Total Second statement .....</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>41</b>
<b>First - Second.....</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>7</b>

(ref:EPATIME)

Q.22 Finally, I would like to ask you a few questions for statistical purposes. Do you consider yourself a supporter of the Tea Party movement or not? (IF YES) Would you consider yourself a strong supporter or not so strong?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>FL</b>	<b>OH/MI</b>	<b>MN/WI</b>	<b>NC/VA</b>
Strong Supporter .....	15	19	17	14	18
Not Strong Supporter.....	14	12	12	13	10
Not Tea Party Supporter.....	59	59	60	60	57
(Don't Know/Refused).....	11	11	11	13	14
<b>Total Supporter .....</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>29</b>
(ref:TEAPARTY)					

Q.23 Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat or what?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>FL</b>	<b>OH/MI</b>	<b>MN/WI</b>	<b>NC/VA</b>
Strong Democrat.....	23	24	21	20	22
Weak Democrat.....	11	14	14	12	11
Independent-lean Democrat .....	11	8	9	12	8
Independent.....	13	14	15	12	11
Independent-lean Republican.....	11	10	12	11	12
Weak Republican.....	11	8	11	13	11
Strong Republican .....	17	20	16	17	23
(Don't know/Refused) .....	2	3	3	3	1
(ref:PTYID1)					

Q.26 Thinking in political terms, would you say that you are Conservative, Moderate, or Liberal?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>FL</b>	<b>OH/MI</b>	<b>MN/WI</b>	<b>NC/VA</b>
Liberal.....	18	18	19	22	19
Moderate.....	38	38	35	35	33
Conservative.....	37	38	41	38	42
(Don't know/refused).....	7	6	5	5	7
(ref:IDEO1)					

[153 Respondents]

Q.27 (ASK IN CELL SAMPLE ONLY) Now, thinking about your telephone use, is there at least one telephone INSIDE your home that is currently working and is not a cell phone?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>FL</b>	<b>OH/MI</b>	<b>MN/WI</b>	<b>NC/VA</b>
Yes.....	29	50	30	32	29
No .....	71	50	70	68	71
(DK/Refused) .....	-	-	-	-	-
(ref:LANDLINE)					

[647 Respondents]

Q.28 (ASK IN LANDLINE SAMPLE ONLY) Now thinking about your telephone use, do you have a working cell phone?

	Total	FL	OH/MI	MN/WI	NC/VA
Yes.....	79	85	81	81	82
No .....	20	14	19	18	17
(DK/Refused).....	0	1	0	0	1
(ref:CELLLINE)					

[559 Respondents]

Q.29 (DO NOT ASK IF NO IN LANDLINE) (DO NOT ASK IF NO OR DK/REF IN CELLLINE) Of all the personal telephone calls that you receive, do you get..

	Total	FL	OH/MI	MN/WI	NC/VA
All or almost all calls on a cell phone.....	26	33	26	23	28
Some on a cell phone and some on a regular home phone.....	39	32	39	41	45
All or almost all calls on a regular home phone.....	34	33	34	35	26
(DK/Refused).....	1	2	1	0	1
(ref:DUALUSE)					

Phone Use Table

	Total	FL	OH/MI	MN/WI	NC/VA
Cell Only .....	14	9	14	13	15
Cell Mostly .....	18	26	18	17	20
Dual User.....	27	25	28	30	32
Landline Mostly.....	24	26	24	25	18
Landline Only.....	16	12	15	15	14
Landline Unknown .....	1	2	1	0	1
<b>Cell Mostly (from Cell Sample).....</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Cell Mostly (from Landline Sample).....</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>14</b>

Q.30 In what year were you born?

	Total	FL	OH/MI	MN/WI	NC/VA
18 - 24.....	8	7	9	7	10
25 - 29.....	6	6	5	7	7
30 - 34.....	7	6	7	9	9
35 - 39.....	9	5	8	8	8
40 - 44.....	7	7	9	13	12
45 - 49.....	13	11	14	13	10
50 - 54.....	7	7	7	7	7
55 - 59.....	8	9	8	8	8
60 - 64.....	11	11	9	5	7
65 and over.....	20	28	19	20	20
(No answer).....	3	3	4	3	2
(ref:AGE)					

Q.31 What is the last year of schooling that you have completed?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>FL</b>	<b>OH/MI</b>	<b>MN/WI</b>	<b>NC/VA</b>
1 - 11th grade .....	3	3	3	2	4
High School graduate .....	22	20	30	22	24
Non-college post H.S.....	1	1	1	3	2
Some college .....	26	30	28	29	28
College graduate .....	31	28	25	29	25
Post-graduate school.....	14	15	11	14	14
(Don't know/Refused) .....	3	3	2	2	2

(ref:EDUC)

Q.32 What is your race?

	<b>Total</b>	<b>FL</b>	<b>OH/MI</b>	<b>MN/WI</b>	<b>NC/VA</b>
White.....	75	70	84	90	73
Black.....	11	13	10	3	19
Hispanic.....	8	11	2	3	3
(Other) .....	3	3	3	2	2
(Don't know/Refused) .....	3	3	2	3	2

(ref:RACE)

Q.2 Respondent's gender

	<b>Total</b>	<b>FL</b>	<b>OH/MI</b>	<b>MN/WI</b>	<b>NC/VA</b>
Male .....	47	47	47	47	47
Female.....	53	53	53	53	53

(ref:GENDER)