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Subject: Tampa Bay Rays survey conducted for FloridaPolitics.com

Date: September 30, 2014

Executive Summary:

This poll of 889 St. Petersburg, Florida registered voters was conducted on Tuesday, September 30, 2014. This poll used the registered voter lists supplied by the state of Florida as of September 4, 2014. The sample of voters that were called included random samples of registered voters within the boundaries of the City of St. Petersburg, Florida.

The issues surveyed included questions related to the Tampa Bay Rays baseball team.

Methodology:

The poll was conducted by an automated phone call polling system. The results were then weighted to account for proportional differences between the respondents' demographics and the demographics of the registered voter population for St. Petersburg, Florida. The demographics used were: political party, race, age and gender.

The sample of voters polled was chosen at random within the registered voter population within the City of St. Petersburg, Florida.

The scientific results shown for the questions below have a sample size of 889 and a 3.3% Margin of Error at a 95% confidence level.

Summary of Scientific Results:

Should Mayor Rick Kriseman agree to let the Rays look for new stadium locations in Hillsborough County?

Yes:	23.2%
No:	65.2%
Unsure:	11.6%

Should the Rays build their next new stadium in St Petersburg?

Yes:	71.8%
No:	16.3%
Unsure:	11.9%

Should the Rays build their next new stadium in Pinellas County?

Yes:	74.8%
No:	14.0%
Unsure:	11.1%

Would you support using hotel bed tax dollars to partially finance a new Rays baseball stadium in Pinellas County?

Yes:	57.6%
No:	30.4%
Unsure:	12.0%

Would you support using tax dollars OTHER THAN hotel bed taxes to partially finance a new Rays baseball stadium in Pinellas County?

Yes:	27.6%
No:	61.1%
Unsure:	11.3%

Detailed Results with Demographic Breakdowns for Each Question:

Should Mayor Rick Kriseman agree to let the Rays look for new stadium locations in Hillsborough County?

Yes:	23.2%
No:	65.2%
Unsure:	11.6%

Non-Weighted Results and Demographic Breakdowns:

Yes:	23.3%
No:	65.0%
Unsure:	11.7%

Political Party Breakdown:

Democratic Party 445 responses

Yes:	22.2%	No:	63.6%	Unsure:	14.2%
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Republican Party 263 responses

Yes:	25.5%	No:	66.5%	Unsure:	8.0%
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Independent Voter 181 responses

Yes:	22.7%	No:	66.3%	Unsure:	11.0%
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Race Breakdown:

White, Not Hispanic 636 responses

Yes:	25.6%	No:	64.2%	Unsure:	10.2%
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Black, Not Hispanic 208 responses

Yes:	17.3%	No:	67.3%	Unsure:	15.4%
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Asian or Pacific Islander 7 responses

Yes:	14.3%	No:	71.4%	Unsure:	14.3%
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Hispanic 19 responses

Yes:	15.8%	No:	78.9%	Unsure:	5.3%
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Other or Unknown 19 responses

Yes:	21.1%	No:	52.6%	Unsure:	26.3%
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Gender Breakdown:

Male 412 responses

Yes:	23.1%	No:	66.0%	Unsure:	10.9%
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Female 477 responses

Yes:	23.5%	No:	64.2%	Unsure:	12.4%
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Age Breakdown:

18 to 29 66 responses

Yes:	22.7%	No:	69.7%	Unsure:	7.6%
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30 to 49 337 responses

Yes:	24.3%	No:	67.7%	Unsure:	8.0%
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50 to 69 351 responses

Yes:	23.9%	No:	63.8%	Unsure:	12.3%
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70 and up 135 responses

Yes:	19.3%	No:	59.3%	Unsure:	21.5%
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Should the Rays build their next new stadium in St Petersburg?

Yes:	71.8%
No:	16.3%
Unsure:	11.9%

Non-Weighted Results and Demographic Breakdowns:

Yes:	71.8%
No:	16.5%
Unsure:	11.7%

Political Party Breakdown:

Democratic Party 445 responses

Yes:	72.6%	No:	18.2%	Unsure:	9.2%
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Republican Party 263 responses

Yes:	73.0%	No:	13.7%	Unsure:	13.3%
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Independent Voter 181 responses

Yes:	68.0%	No:	16.6%	Unsure:	15.5%
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Race Breakdown:

White, Not Hispanic 636 responses

Yes:	70.6%	No:	16.7%	Unsure:	12.7%
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Black, Not Hispanic 208 responses

Yes:	75.5%	No:	17.3%	Unsure:	7.2%
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Asian or Pacific Islander 7 responses

Yes:	71.4%	No:	14.3%	Unsure:	14.3%
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Hispanic 19 responses

Yes:	78.9%	No:	15.8%	Unsure:	5.3%
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Other or Unknown 19 responses

Yes:	63.2%	No:	5.3%	Unsure:	31.6%
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Gender Breakdown:

Male 412 responses

Yes:	70.6%	No:	17.7%	Unsure:	11.7%
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Female 477 responses

Yes:	72.7%	No:	15.5%	Unsure:	11.7%
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Age Breakdown:

18 to 29 66 responses

Yes:	75.8%	No:	12.1%	Unsure:	12.1%
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30 to 49 337 responses

Yes:	75.7%	No:	15.7%	Unsure:	8.6%
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50 to 69 351 responses

Yes:	68.4%	No:	19.9%	Unsure:	11.7%
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70 and up 135 responses

Yes:	68.9%	No:	11.9%	Unsure:	19.3%
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Should the Rays build their next new stadium in Pinellas County?

Yes:	74.8%
No:	14.0%
Unsure:	11.1%

Non-Weighted Results and Demographic Breakdowns:

Yes:	74.8%
No:	14.1%
Unsure:	11.1%

Political Party Breakdown:

Democratic Party 445 responses
Yes: 75.1% No: 14.2% Unsure: 10.8%

Republican Party 263 responses
Yes: 76.4% No: 12.5% Unsure: 11.0%

Independent Voter 181 responses
Yes: 71.8% No: 16.0% Unsure: 12.2%

Race Breakdown:

White, Not Hispanic 636 responses
Yes: 75.0% No: 14.0% Unsure: 11.0%

Black, Not Hispanic 208 responses
Yes: 74.0% No: 13.9% Unsure: 12.0%

Asian or Pacific Islander 7 responses
Yes: 71.4% No: 28.6% Unsure: 0%

Hispanic 19 responses
Yes: 73.7% No: 15.8% Unsure: 10.5%

Other or Unknown 19 responses
Yes: 78.9% No: 10.5% Unsure: 10.5%

Gender Breakdown:

Male 412 responses
Yes: 74.8% No: 13.8% Unsure: 11.4%

Female 477 responses
Yes: 74.8% No: 14.3% Unsure: 10.9%

Age Breakdown:

18 to 29 66 responses
Yes: 77.3% No: 10.6% Unsure: 12.1%

30 to 49 337 responses
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50 to 69 351 responses
Yes: 73.2% No: 16.5% Unsure: 10.3%

70 and up 135 responses
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Non-Weighted Results and Demographic Breakdowns:

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Political Party Breakdown:

Democratic Party 445 responses

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Republican Party 263 responses

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Independent Voter 181 responses

Yes:	54.7%	No:	34.3%	Unsure:	11.0%
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Race Breakdown:

White, Not Hispanic 636 responses

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Black, Not Hispanic 208 responses

Yes:	52.4%	No:	31.2%	Unsure:	16.3%
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Asian or Pacific Islander 7 responses

Yes:	28.6%	No:	71.4%	Unsure:	0%
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Hispanic 19 responses

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Other or Unknown 19 responses

Yes:	63.2%	No:	26.3%	Unsure:	10.5%
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Gender Breakdown:

Male 412 responses

Yes:	60.4%	No:	29.4%	Unsure:	10.2%
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Female 477 responses

Yes:	55.3%	No:	30.8%	Unsure:	13.8%
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Age Breakdown:

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Yes:	60.4%	No:	29.6%	Unsure:	10.0%
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70 and up 135 responses

Yes:	50.4%	No:	26.7%	Unsure:	23.0%
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Would you support using tax dollars OTHER THAN hotel bed taxes to partially finance a new Rays baseball stadium in Pinellas County?

Yes: 27.6%
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Unsure: 11.3%

Non-Weighted Results and Demographic Breakdowns:

Yes: 27.8%
No: 60.9%
Unsure: 11.4%

Political Party Breakdown:

Democratic Party 445 responses
Yes: 30.6% No: 57.3% Unsure: 12.1%

Republican Party 263 responses
Yes: 26.6% No: 62.7% Unsure: 10.6%

Independent Voter 181 responses
Yes: 22.7% No: 66.9% Unsure: 10.5%

Race Breakdown:

White, Not Hispanic 636 responses
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Black, Not Hispanic 208 responses
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Asian or Pacific Islander 7 responses
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Hispanic 19 responses
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Other or Unknown 19 responses
Yes: 26.3% No: 57.9% Unsure: 15.8%

Gender Breakdown:

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Yes: 26.5% No: 62.4% Unsure: 11.1%

70 and up 135 responses
Yes: 30.4% No: 48.1% Unsure: 21.5%