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**Subject:**

**Florida Pinellas Congressional District Democratic Primary Election survey conducted for FloridaPolitics.com**

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**Executive Summary:**

This poll of 655 Florida likely Democratic voters was conducted on Tuesday, July 21, 2015. This poll used the registered voter lists supplied by the state of Florida as of June 18, 2015. The sample of voters that were contacted included random samples of registered Democratic voters within the boundaries of the estimated new boundaries of the 13<sup>th</sup> U.S. Congressional district from Florida.

The issues surveyed included questions related to the 2016 Democratic Florida primary election.

**Methodology:**

The poll was conducted through 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 active Democratic voter population within the estimated new boundaries of the 13<sup>th</sup> U.S. Congressional district from Florida. The weighting demographics used were: race, age and gender.

The voters polled were chosen at random within the registered voter population within the estimated new boundaries of the 13<sup>th</sup> U.S. Congressional district from Florida. The random sample used was made up of a proportional sampling of registered Democratic party voters that voted in either the 2012 or 2014 general elections.

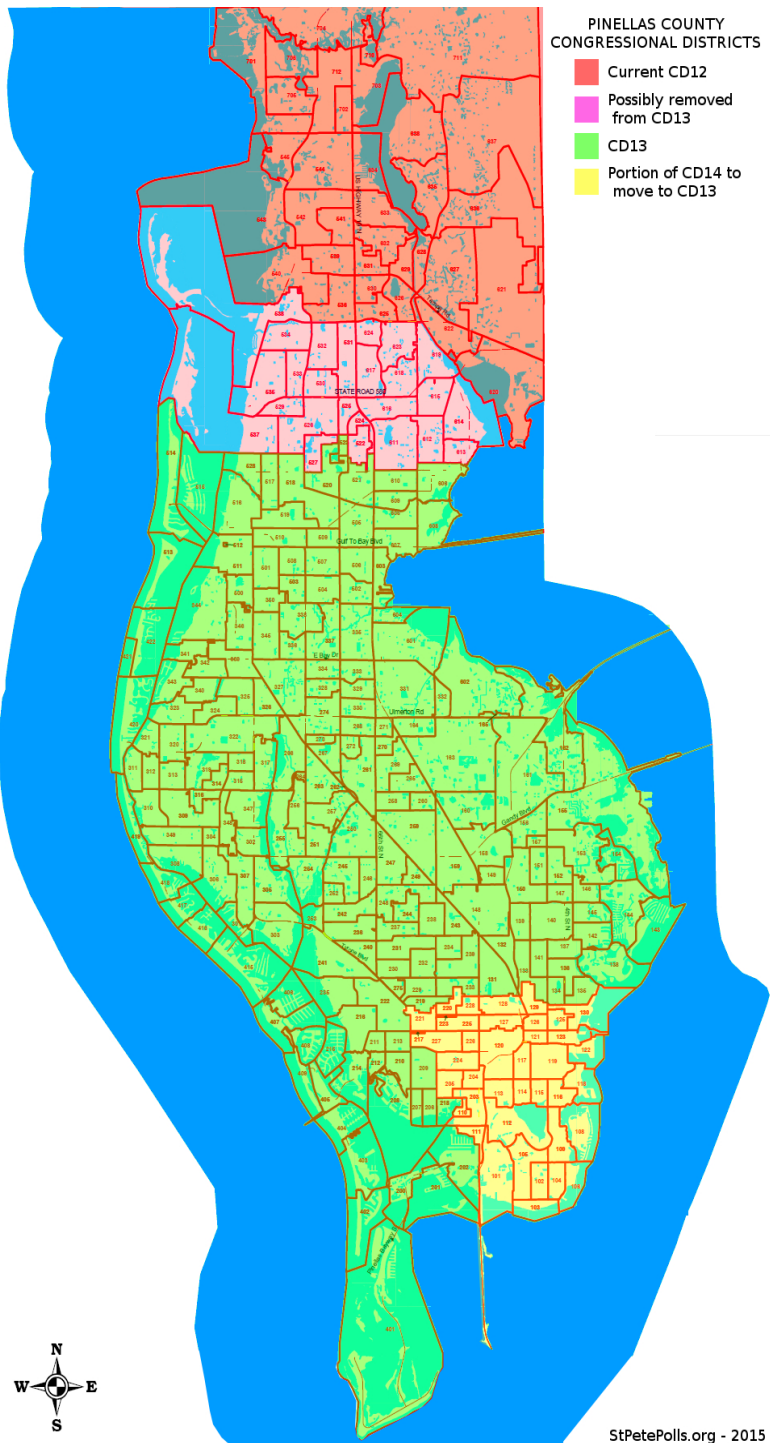
The scientific results shown for the questions below have a sample size of 655 and a 3.8% Margin of Error at a 95% confidence level.

## How we came up with the new map for CD-13:

After the July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2015 Florida Supreme Court ruling on the 2012 Congressional maps was released, we started to work on a new estimated map of what Pinellas County might look like. Because of the wording in the court's ruling, we concluded that district boundaries can't cross long bridges as the only point of connection with the rest of the district anymore, which make Pinellas County a lot easier to map given it's geography and population.

Taking the entire population from the 14<sup>th</sup> Congressional district at the Southern end of the Pinellas County peninsula and adding it to the existing 13<sup>th</sup> Congressional district means that we have to remove roughly the same amount of residents from the Northern end of the district. We decided to do this in the most compact and even way possible, and we ended up with the map that you see to the right.

As a side note, as we completed our map, we noticed that a Florida political mapping expert, Matthew Isbell from MCIMaps.com, had come up with what looks like a very similar map on his own, which should help to validate this map as a very likely contender for a new map of this district,



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<http://www.saintpetersblog.com/archives/235218>

### Demographic Changes in CD-13:

Here is a breakdown of the demographics of the registered voters in the current CD-13 compared to the demographics of the estimated new boundaries of CD-13:

	<b>CURRENT CD-13</b>	<b>NEW CD-13</b>	<b>DIFFERENCE</b>
<b>Political Party Breakdown:</b>			
Republican Party =	35.7%	32.5%	-3.2%
Democratic Party =	33.9%	38.0%	+4.1%
Independent or NPA =	30.4%	29.5%	-0.9%
<b>Race Breakdown:</b>			
White, Not Hispanic =	84.9%	78.9%	-6.0%
Black, Not Hispanic =	4.8%	10.7%	+5.9%
Asian or Pacific Islander =	2.4%	2.3%	-0.1%
Hispanic =	4.5%	4.5%	0%
Other or Unknown =	3.4%	3.6%	+0.2%
<b>Gender Breakdown:</b>			
Male =	45.4%	45.2%	-0.2%
Female =	53.1%	53.2%	+0.1%
<b>Age Breakdown:</b>			
18 to 29 =	14.9%	16.0%	+1.1%
30 to 49 =	27.7%	28.7%	+1.0%
50 to 69 =	37.3%	36.7%	-0.6%
70 and up =	19.7%	18.3%	-1.4%

**NOTE:** The above demographics are for all registered voters. Our polling detailed in this report is only for voters who voted in 2012 or 2014, so the demographics are different.

## Summary of Scientific Results:

**If the Democratic primary election for U.S. Congress were held today, and the candidates were Charlie Crist, Dwight Dudley and Eric Lynn, who would you vote for?**

Crist:	72.6%
Dudley:	8.2%
Lynn:	9.5%
Undecided:	9.7%

**If the Democratic primary election for U.S. Congress were held today, and the candidates were Charlie Crist and Eric Lynn, who would you vote for?**

Crist:	75.1%
Lynn:	11.7%
Undecided:	13.3%

**Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Charlie Crist?**

Favorable:	74.5%
Unfavorable:	14.9%
Unsure:	10.5%

**Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Eric Lynn?**

Favorable:	23.1%
Unfavorable:	17.9%
Unsure:	59.0%

**Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Dwight Dudley?**

Favorable:	26.8%
Unfavorable:	17.6%
Unsure:	55.7%

**Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Darden Rice?**

Favorable:	28.5%
Unfavorable:	17.0%
Unsure:	54.5%

## Detailed Results with Demographic Breakdowns for Each Question:

**If the Democratic primary election for U.S. Congress were held today, and the candidates were Charlie Crist, Dwight Dudley and Eric Lynn, who would you vote for?**

Crist:	72.6%
Dudley:	8.2%
Lynn:	9.5%
Undecided:	9.7%

Non-Weighted Results and Demographic Breakdowns:

Crist:	71.9%
Dudley:	8.7%
Lynn:	10.1%
Undecided:	9.3%

### Race Breakdown:

<b>White, Not Hispanic</b>	508 responses						
Crist:	69.1%	Dudley:	10.4%	Lynn:	11.0%	Undecided:	9.4%
<b>Black, Not Hispanic</b>	128 responses						
Crist:	82.0%	Dudley:	2.3%	Lynn:	7.0%	Undecided:	8.6%
<b>Asian or Pacific Islander</b>	2 responses						
Crist:	100.0%	Dudley:	0%	Lynn:	0%	Undecided:	0%
<b>Hispanic</b>	4 responses						
Crist:	75.0%	Dudley:	0%	Lynn:	0%	Undecided:	25.0%
<b>Other or Unknown</b>	13 responses						
Crist:	76.9%	Dudley:	7.7%	Lynn:	7.7%	Undecided:	7.7%

### Gender Breakdown:

<b>Male</b>	217 responses						
Crist:	74.2%	Dudley:	6.5%	Lynn:	11.1%	Undecided:	8.3%
<b>Female</b>	438 responses						
Crist:	70.8%	Dudley:	9.8%	Lynn:	9.6%	Undecided:	9.8%

### Age Breakdown:

<b>18 to 29</b>	22 responses						
Crist:	77.3%	Dudley:	4.5%	Lynn:	9.1%	Undecided:	9.1%
<b>30 to 49</b>	108 responses						
Crist:	72.2%	Dudley:	8.3%	Lynn:	7.4%	Undecided:	12.0%
<b>50 to 69</b>	274 responses						
Crist:	73.7%	Dudley:	8.4%	Lynn:	7.3%	Undecided:	10.6%
<b>70 and up</b>	251 responses						
Crist:	69.3%	Dudley:	9.6%	Lynn:	14.3%	Undecided:	6.8%

**If the Democratic primary election for U.S. Congress were held today, and the candidates were Charlie Crist and Eric Lynn, who would you vote for?**

Crist: 75.1%  
Lynn: 11.7%  
Undecided: 13.3%

Non-Weighted Results and Demographic Breakdowns:

Crist: 74.7%  
Lynn: 12.2%  
Undecided: 13.1%

**Race Breakdown:**

**White, Not Hispanic 508 responses**  
Crist: 72.6% Lynn: 14.8% Undecided: 12.6%

**Black, Not Hispanic 128 responses**  
Crist: 82.0% Lynn: 2.3% Undecided: 15.6%

**Asian or Pacific Islander 2 responses**  
Crist: 100.0% Lynn: 0% Undecided: 0%

**Hispanic 4 responses**  
Crist: 75.0% Lynn: 25.0% Undecided: 0%

**Other or Unknown 13 responses**  
Crist: 76.9% Lynn: 7.7% Undecided: 15.4%

**Gender Breakdown:**

**Male 217 responses**  
Crist: 75.1% Lynn: 12.4% Undecided: 12.4%

**Female 438 responses**  
Crist: 74.4% Lynn: 12.1% Undecided: 13.5%

**Age Breakdown:**

**18 to 29 22 responses**  
Crist: 77.3% Lynn: 9.1% Undecided: 13.6%

**30 to 49 108 responses**  
Crist: 74.1% Lynn: 6.5% Undecided: 19.4%

**50 to 69 274 responses**  
Crist: 76.3% Lynn: 11.3% Undecided: 12.4%

**70 and up 251 responses**  
Crist: 72.9% Lynn: 15.9% Undecided: 11.2%

## Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Charlie Crist?

Favorable: 74.5%  
Unfavorable: 14.9%  
Unsure: 10.5%

### Non-Weighted Results and Demographic Breakdowns:

Favorable: 74.2%  
Unfavorable: 15.0%  
Unsure: 10.8%

#### Race Breakdown:

**White, Not Hispanic 508 responses**  
Favorable: 73.0% Unfavorable: 16.9% Unsure: 10.0%

**Black, Not Hispanic 128 responses**  
Favorable: 77.3% Unfavorable: 7.8% Unsure: 14.8%

**Asian or Pacific Islander 2 responses**  
Favorable: 100.0% Unfavorable: 0% Unsure: 0%

**Hispanic 4 responses**  
Favorable: 75.0% Unfavorable: 25.0% Unsure: 0%

**Other or Unknown 13 responses**  
Favorable: 84.6% Unfavorable: 7.7% Unsure: 7.7%

#### Gender Breakdown:

**Male 217 responses**  
Favorable: 76.0% Unfavorable: 12.9% Unsure: 11.1%

**Female 438 responses**  
Favorable: 73.3% Unfavorable: 16.0% Unsure: 10.7%

#### Age Breakdown:

**18 to 29 22 responses**  
Favorable: 77.3% Unfavorable: 18.2% Unsure: 4.5%

**30 to 49 108 responses**  
Favorable: 74.1% Unfavorable: 15.7% Unsure: 10.2%

**50 to 69 274 responses**  
Favorable: 74.1% Unfavorable: 14.6% Unsure: 11.3%

**70 and up 251 responses**  
Favorable: 74.1% Unfavorable: 14.7% Unsure: 11.2%

## Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Eric Lynn?

Favorable:	23.1%
Unfavorable:	17.9%
Unsure:	59.0%

### Non-Weighted Results and Demographic Breakdowns:

Favorable:	23.7%
Unfavorable:	17.3%
Unsure:	59.1%

#### Race Breakdown:

<b>White, Not Hispanic</b>	<b>508 responses</b>			
Favorable:	25.2%	Unfavorable:	15.7%	Unsure: 59.1%
<b>Black, Not Hispanic</b>	<b>128 responses</b>			
Favorable:	19.5%	Unfavorable:	20.3%	Unsure: 60.2%
<b>Asian or Pacific Islander</b>	<b>2 responses</b>			
Favorable:	50.0%	Unfavorable:	0%	Unsure: 50.0%
<b>Hispanic</b>	<b>4 responses</b>			
Favorable:	25.0%	Unfavorable:	25.0%	Unsure: 50.0%
<b>Other or Unknown</b>	<b>13 responses</b>			
Favorable:	0%	Unfavorable:	46.2%	Unsure: 53.8%

#### Gender Breakdown:

<b>Male</b>	<b>217 responses</b>			
Favorable:	25.3%	Unfavorable:	22.1%	Unsure: 52.5%
<b>Female</b>	<b>438 responses</b>			
Favorable:	22.8%	Unfavorable:	14.8%	Unsure: 62.3%

#### Age Breakdown:

<b>18 to 29</b>	<b>22 responses</b>			
Favorable:	9.1%	Unfavorable:	22.7%	Unsure: 68.2%
<b>30 to 49</b>	<b>108 responses</b>			
Favorable:	23.1%	Unfavorable:	20.4%	Unsure: 56.5%
<b>50 to 69</b>	<b>274 responses</b>			
Favorable:	22.6%	Unfavorable:	17.2%	Unsure: 60.2%
<b>70 and up</b>	<b>251 responses</b>			
Favorable:	26.3%	Unfavorable:	15.5%	Unsure: 58.2%



## Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Dwight Dudley?

Favorable: 26.8%  
Unfavorable: 17.6%  
Unsure: 55.7%

### Non-Weighted Results and Demographic Breakdowns:

Favorable: 26.3%  
Unfavorable: 17.4%  
Unsure: 56.3%

#### Race Breakdown:

**White, Not Hispanic 508 responses**  
Favorable: 27.4% Unfavorable: 16.1% Unsure: 56.5%

**Black, Not Hispanic 128 responses**  
Favorable: 21.1% Unfavorable: 22.7% Unsure: 56.2%

**Asian or Pacific Islander 2 responses**  
Favorable: 0% Unfavorable: 50.0% Unsure: 50.0%

**Hispanic 4 responses**  
Favorable: 50.0% Unfavorable: 25.0% Unsure: 25.0%

**Other or Unknown 13 responses**  
Favorable: 30.8% Unfavorable: 7.7% Unsure: 61.5%

#### Gender Breakdown:

**Male 217 responses**  
Favorable: 23.0% Unfavorable: 23.0% Unsure: 53.9%

**Female 438 responses**  
Favorable: 27.9% Unfavorable: 14.6% Unsure: 57.5%

#### Age Breakdown:

**18 to 29 22 responses**  
Favorable: 40.9% Unfavorable: 4.5% Unsure: 54.5%

**30 to 49 108 responses**  
Favorable: 26.9% Unfavorable: 19.4% Unsure: 53.7%

**50 to 69 274 responses**  
Favorable: 26.6% Unfavorable: 17.5% Unsure: 55.8%

**70 and up 251 responses**  
Favorable: 24.3% Unfavorable: 17.5% Unsure: 58.2%

## Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Darden Rice?

Favorable:	28.5%
Unfavorable:	17.0%
Unsure:	54.5%

### Non-Weighted Results and Demographic Breakdowns:

Favorable:	27.5%
Unfavorable:	16.9%
Unsure:	55.6%

#### Race Breakdown:

<b>White, Not Hispanic</b>	<b>508 responses</b>			
Favorable:	27.0%	Unfavorable:	15.7%	Unsure: 57.3%
<b>Black, Not Hispanic</b>	<b>128 responses</b>			
Favorable:	28.9%	Unfavorable:	21.1%	Unsure: 50.0%
<b>Asian or Pacific Islander</b>	<b>2 responses</b>			
Favorable:	0%	Unfavorable:	50.0%	Unsure: 50.0%
<b>Hispanic</b>	<b>4 responses</b>			
Favorable:	50.0%	Unfavorable:	25.0%	Unsure: 25.0%
<b>Other or Unknown</b>	<b>13 responses</b>			
Favorable:	30.8%	Unfavorable:	15.4%	Unsure: 53.8%

#### Gender Breakdown:

<b>Male</b>	<b>217 responses</b>			
Favorable:	30.9%	Unfavorable:	15.2%	Unsure: 53.9%
<b>Female</b>	<b>438 responses</b>			
Favorable:	25.8%	Unfavorable:	17.8%	Unsure: 56.4%

#### Age Breakdown:

<b>18 to 29</b>	<b>22 responses</b>			
Favorable:	27.3%	Unfavorable:	13.6%	Unsure: 59.1%
<b>30 to 49</b>	<b>108 responses</b>			
Favorable:	37.0%	Unfavorable:	15.7%	Unsure: 47.2%
<b>50 to 69</b>	<b>274 responses</b>			
Favorable:	30.7%	Unfavorable:	15.7%	Unsure: 53.6%
<b>70 and up</b>	<b>251 responses</b>			
Favorable:	19.9%	Unfavorable:	19.1%	Unsure: 61.0%