

The logo for the CNN | ORC POLL. It features the text "CNN | ORC" in a bold, black, sans-serif font on a light gray background. Below this, the word "POLL" is written in a larger, bold, white, sans-serif font on a solid black background.

# **CNN | ORC POLL**

**Interviews with 1,026 adult Americans conducted by telephone by ORC International on February 10-13, 2012. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points. The sample also includes 937 interviews among registered voters (plus or minus 3 percentage points).**

**The sample includes 773 interviews among landline respondents and 253 interviews among cell phone respondents.**

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30. Please tell me whether you favor or oppose cutting the payroll tax for all American workers?

	Feb. 10-13 <u>2012</u>	Oct. 14-16 <u>2011</u>	Sept. 9-11 <u>2011</u>
Favor	54%	59%	65%
Oppose	42%	38%	33%
No opinion	4%	3%	2%

Question 30

Please tell me whether you favor or oppose cutting the payroll tax for all American workers?

Base = Total Sample

	Total	Men	Women	White	Non-White
Favor	54%	56%	52%	55%	51%
Oppose	42%	41%	44%	41%	44%
No opinion	4%	3%	5%	4%	5%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-4.5	+/-4.5	+/-3.5	+/-7.0

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	Under 50	50 and Older
Favor	54%	48%	61%	57%	51%	54%	54%
Oppose	42%	45%	35%	42%	46%	41%	44%
No opinion	4%	7%	4%	2%	3%	6%	2%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-8.0	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-5.5	+/-5.0	+/-4.0

	Total	Under \$50K	\$50K or more	No College	Attended College
Favor	54%	51%	58%	49%	58%
Oppose	42%	45%	40%	51%	35%
No opinion	4%	4%	3%	1%	7%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-5.0	+/-4.5	+/-5.5	+/-3.5

	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Favor	54%	48%	55%	59%	52%	53%	55%
Oppose	42%	49%	39%	38%	42%	43%	42%
No opinion	4%	3%	5%	3%	5%	4%	3%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.0	+/-4.5	+/-6.0	+/-7.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.0

	Total	North east	Mid-west	South	West	Urban	Sub-urban	Rural
Favor	54%	56%	58%	54%	48%	54%	56%	53%
Oppose	42%	40%	40%	42%	47%	44%	40%	42%
No opinion	4%	4%	2%	4%	6%	2%	4%	5%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.5	+/-6.5	+/-5.0	+/-6.5	+/-5.5	+/-4.5	+/-6.5

	Total	Tea Pty Support	Tea Pty Neutral	Tea Pty Oppose
Favor	54%	58%	56%	48%
Oppose	42%	41%	40%	46%
No opinion	4%	2%	4%	6%
Sampling Error	+/-3.0	+/-6.0	+/-5.0	+/-5.5

\* percentage less than 1%