

*Slingshot Strategies – Delaware Topline
446 Registered Democrats, July 5-July 9, 2024
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SCREENING QUESTIONS

1. What is your age?

Under 18 [TERMINATE]	-
18-24	6%
25-34	12%
35-39	12%
40-49	11%
50-64	27%
65 or older	31%

2. Are you registered to vote in Delaware?

Yes	100%
No [TERMINATE]	-
Not sure [TERMINATE]	-

3. Are you registered as a Democrat, a Republican, or an Independent?

Democrat	100%
Republican	-
Independent	-
Some other political party	-
Not sure	-

4. Did you vote in the November 2020 presidential election between Joe Biden and Donald Trump?

Yes	89%
No	8%
Not sure	2%

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5. **[IF YES]** Who did you vote for in the November 2020 presidential election?

Joe Biden	89%
Donald Trump	10%
Other	-
Not sure	-

FAMILIARITY/FAVORABILITY

6. Now you're going to answer some questions about some people and organizations in the news. After each, please indicate if you have a very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable, or very unfavorable impression, or if you have never heard of them.

[RANDOMIZE]

- John Carney

TOTAL FAVORABLE	69%
TOTAL UNFAVORABLE	16%

Very favorable	32%
Somewhat favorable	37%
Somewhat unfavorable	12%
Very unfavorable	4%
Never heard this name	7%
Not sure	8%

- Tom Carper

TOTAL FAVORABLE	61%
TOTAL UNFAVORABLE	16%

Very favorable	27%
Somewhat favorable	34%
Somewhat unfavorable	11%
Very unfavorable	5%
Never heard this name	12%
Not sure	11%

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- Chris Coons

TOTAL FAVORABLE	62%
TOTAL UNFAVORABLE	19%

Very favorable	33%
Somewhat favorable	29%
Somewhat unfavorable	14%
Very unfavorable	5%
Never heard this name	9%
Not sure	11%

- Lisa Blunt Rochester

TOTAL FAVORABLE	67%
TOTAL UNFAVORABLE	13%

Very favorable	39%
Somewhat favorable	28%
Somewhat unfavorable	8%
Very unfavorable	5%
Never heard this name	11%
Not sure	9%

- Bethany Hall-Long

TOTAL FAVORABLE	39%
TOTAL UNFAVORABLE	17%

Very favorable	13%
Somewhat favorable	26%
Somewhat unfavorable	13%
Very unfavorable	4%
Never heard this name	29%
Not sure	15%

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- Collin O'Mara

TOTAL FAVORABLE	19%
TOTAL UNFAVORABLE	11%
Very favorable	6%
Somewhat favorable	13%
Somewhat unfavorable	7%
Very unfavorable	4%
Never heard this name	49%
Not sure	21%

- Matt Meyer

TOTAL FAVORABLE	38%
TOTAL UNFAVORABLE	11%
Very favorable	14%
Somewhat favorable	24%
Somewhat unfavorable	7%
Very unfavorable	4%
Never heard this name	31%
Not sure	19%

- Kathaleen McCormick

TOTAL FAVORABLE	21%
TOTAL UNFAVORABLE	16%
Very favorable	6%
Somewhat favorable	15%
Somewhat unfavorable	11%
Very unfavorable	5%
Never heard this name	38%
Not sure	25%

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ISSUE TEST

7. Thinking about the issues facing your community today, please rank the top five issues that you want politicians to do something about.

Healthcare	66%
Gun violence	62%
Affordable housing	49%
Rising crime	34%
Lower taxes	31%
Reproductive rights	30%
Jobs	29%
Education	28%
Racial justice	26%
Income inequality	23%
Immigration	20%
Opioid crisis	19%
Minimum wage	19%
Corruption	18%
Infrastructure	15%
Gender equality	14%
Criminal justice reform	13%
Other [write in]	4%
Not sure	-

BALLOT TEST

8. Do you believe things in Delaware are heading in the right direction, or are they on the wrong track?

Right direction	59%
Wrong track	24%
Not sure	17%

9. Do you approve or disapprove of the way that John Carney is performing his job as Governor of Delaware?

TOTAL APPROVE	78%
TOTAL DISAPPROVE	16%
Strongly approve	30%
Somewhat approve	48%
Somewhat disapprove	12%
Strongly disapprove	4%
Not sure	7%

GOVERNOR

10. **[DEMOCRAT ONLY]** In 2024 there will be a Democratic primary election for Governor of Delaware. Who could you see yourself supporting? [select all that apply]

[RANDOMIZE]

Bethany Hall-Long	24%
Collin O'Mara	10%
Matt Meyer	26%
Someone else	6%
Not sure	43%

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11. **[DEMOCRAT ONLY]** Okay, and if the 2024 Democratic primary election for Governor of Delaware were today, how would you vote?

[RANDOMIZE]

Bethany Hall-Long	27%
Collin O'Mara	7%
Matt Meyer	27%
Someone else	5%
Not sure	34%

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

12. **[DEMOCRAT ONLY]** In 2024 there will be a Democratic primary election for Lieutenant Governor of Delaware. Who could you see yourself supporting?
[select all that apply]

[RANDOMIZE]

Sherry Dorsey Walker	19%
Debbie Harrington	10%
Kyle Evans Gay	11%
David Lamar Williams Jr.	13%
Someone else	4%
Not sure	57%

13. **[DEMOCRAT ONLY]** Okay, and if the 2024 Democratic primary election for Lieutenant Governor of Delaware were today, how would you vote?

[RANDOMIZE]

Sherry Dorsey Walker	16%
Debbie Harrington	8%
Kyle Evans Gay	9%
David Lamar Williams Jr.	9%
Someone else	5%
Not sure	53%

HALL-LONG SCANDALS

14. One Democratic candidate for governor, current Lieutenant Governor Bethany Hall-Long, has faced a series of scandals around her campaign's ethics, including failing to disclose hundreds of thousands of dollars in loans and payments to herself and her husband, accepting tens of thousands of donations over the legal limit from unregistered organizations, and her husband allegedly stealing lists of Section 8 housing recipients to call them and pressure them to vote for Hall-Long.

How concerned are you about these scandals involving Hall-Long?

TOTAL CONCERNED	76%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	14%
Very concerned	41%
Somewhat concerned	35%
Not very concerned	9%
Not at all concerned	5%
Not sure	10%

15. Would you support or oppose a decision from the Attorney General to appoint a special prosecutor to investigate Hall-Long's series of scandals?

TOTAL SUPPORT	74%
TOTAL OPPOSE	11%
Strongly support	38%
Somewhat support	36%
Somewhat oppose	8%
Strongly oppose	3%
Don't know	15%

16. Given these scandals, do you think Hall-Long should drop out of the race for governor, or should she continue her campaign?

Hall-Long should drop out	44%
Hall-Long should continue her campaign	29%
Not sure	27%

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DEMOGRAPHICS

17. What is your gender?

Man	45%
Woman	55%
Other	-

18. What is your race?

White or Caucasian	55%
Black or African-American	31%
Hispanic	8%
Asian	1%
Other	4%

19. Do you consider yourself conservative, moderate or liberal?

Conservative	10%
Moderate	43%
Liberal	42%
Not sure	5%

20. Which county do you live in?

New Castle	68%
Kent	13%
Sussex	18%
Not sure	2%

21. Do you live in an urban, suburban or rural environment?

Urban	25%
Suburban	59%
Rural	14%
Not sure	2%

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22. Are you a member of a public or private sector union?

Yes, I am a member of a public-sector union	11%
Yes, I am a member of a private sector union	5%
No, I am not a member of any union	78%
Not sure	6%

23. What is the highest level of education you have completed?

Some high school or less	2%
High school graduate	23%
Some college	24%
College graduate	26%
Some graduate school	5%
Graduate degree	20%

24. We're just about finished...

You and your family earn less than \$20,000 annually	10%
\$20,000 to \$40,000	17%
\$40,000 to \$60,000	16%
\$60,000 to \$75,000	14%
\$75,000 to \$100,000	15%
More than \$100,000	24%
Not sure	3%