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MAYOR de BLASIO'S APPROVAL RATING PLUNGES, QUINNIPIAC UNIVERSITY POLL FINDS; BUT HE STILL HAS BIG LEAD OVER CHALLENGERS

New York City Mayor Bill de Blasio's job approval rating is wilting in the summer heat and now stands at 50 – 42 percent, down from 60 – 34 percent in a May 17 Quinnipiac University Poll.

But Mayor de Blasio still tops his little-known Republican challenger, Assembly member Nicole Malliotakis, 57 – 22 percent, the independent Quinnipiac (KWIN-uh-pe-ack) University Poll finds. This compares to a 64 – 21 percent Democratic lead May 17.

With Bo Dietl running as an independent candidate, de Blasio gets 52 percent, with 15 percent for Malliotakis and 11 percent for Dietl.

New York City voters are split 46 – 46 percent on whether de Blasio deserves reelection, a big swing from May 17 when voters said 57 – 35 percent that he did deserve reelection.

"Leave out the one big question – the reelection matchup – and this is a pretty bad poll for Mayor Bill de Blasio," said Maurice Carroll, assistant director of the Quinnipiac University Poll.

"Does the mayor deserve reelection? Voters are split right down the middle. Is he doing a good job as mayor? 'Yes,' says 50 percent of voters. On the standard traits – leadership, empathy and honesty – all the numbers are down.

"But on the one question that matters in this election year – de Blasio vs. Assembly member Nicole Malliotakis – Hizzoner is a better than a 2-1 winner."

De Blasio gets a 49 – 39 percent favorability rating, down from 58 – 34 percent May 17. For Malliotakis, 78 percent of voters don't know enough to form an opinion of her. For Dietl, 74 percent don't know enough.

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Looking at Mayor de Blasio's qualities, New York City voters say:

- 46 percent that he has strong leadership qualities, while 47 percent say he does not have strong leadership, down from a 56 – 39 percent positive May 17;
- 49 say he understands their problems, while 46 percent say he does not understand, down from a 59 – 37 percent positive in May;
- 52 – 35 percent that he is honest and trustworthy, down from 59 – 31 percent.

Approval ratings on the mayor's handling of key issues also are down from May 17:

- Voters split 47 – 45 percent on his handling of crime;
- Voters disapprove 45 – 39 percent of his handling of the public schools.
- Voters disapprove 51 – 30 percent of his handling of political corruption;
- Voters disapprove 63 – 29 percent of his handling of poverty and homelessness.

New York City voters approve 52 – 21 percent of the job Police Commissioner James O'Neill is doing and approve 64 – 30 percent of the job police in general are doing.

President Trump Approval

President Donald Trump's hometown neighbors disapprove 79 – 18 percent of the job he is doing, the lowest net approval rating for any president in any state or national poll conducted by Quinnipiac University in more than 20 years.

Approval ratings for other citywide leaders are:

- 51 – 18 percent for Comptroller Scott Stringer;
- 45 – 17 percent for Public Advocate Letitia James;
- 36 – 23 percent for City Council Speaker Melissa Mark-Viverito;
- 35 – 32 percent for Schools Chancellor Carmen Farina.

Mayor de Blasio should pay for the attorneys who represented him during state and federal investigations into alleged corruption, 78 percent of voters say, while 13 percent say the attorneys should be paid from tax dollars.

From July 20 – 26, Quinnipiac University surveyed 877 New York City voters with a margin of error of +/- 4.1 percentage points, including design effect. Live interviewers call landlines and cell phones.

The Quinnipiac University Poll, directed by Douglas Schwartz, Ph.D., conducts public opinion surveys nationwide and in Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Florida, Ohio, Virginia, Iowa and Colorado as a public service and for research.

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1. If the election for Mayor were being held today, and the candidates were
Bill de Blasio the Democrat, and Nicole Malliotakis the Republican, for whom would you
vote?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
de Blasio	57%	12%	75%	39%	51%	62%	41%	76%	66%
Malliotakis	22	65	8	34	26	19	37	5	15
SMONE ELSE(VOL)	4	1	3	6	5	3	4	1	6
WLDN'T VOTE(VOL)	4	6	3	6	5	4	5	4	1
DK/NA	13	16	10	15	14	12	12	13	12

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
de Blasio	63%	55%	56%	61%	33%	67%	52%	56%	55%
Malliotakis	18	20	21	21	57	13	26	22	27
SMONE ELSE(VOL)	2	5	6	4	3	4	3	6	2
WLDN'T VOTE(VOL)	1	8	3	2	6	7	2	4	4
DK/NA	15	12	14	13	1	9	18	12	12

2. If the election for Mayor were being held today, and the candidates were
Bill de Blasio the Democrat, Nicole Malliotakis the Republican, and Bo Dietl running as
an independent candidate, for whom would you vote?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
de Blasio	52%	12%	72%	30%	47%	57%	36%	75%	58%
Malliotakis	15	53	5	18	19	11	27	4	9
Dietl	11	9	5	23	11	10	14	4	15
SMONE ELSE(VOL)	2	3	1	3	2	2	2	–	2
WLDN'T VOTE(VOL)	4	8	3	6	4	4	5	2	2
DK/NA	16	15	14	19	16	16	16	15	14

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
de Blasio	63%	50%	50%	55%	30%	61%	47%	53%	51%
Malliotakis	13	14	14	10	50	8	14	16	21
Dietl	3	13	9	13	11	14	13	10	8
SMONE ELSE(VOL)	2	1	2	2	–	1	1	1	2
WLDN'T VOTE(VOL)	3	8	4	1	1	5	5	3	3
DK/NA	16	14	20	19	7	11	19	16	16

3. Is your opinion of Bill de Blasio favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about him?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Favorable	49%	10%	65%	34%	45%	53%	32%	70%	57%
Unfavorable	39	78	25	52	44	35	59	21	29
Hvn't hrd enough	8	11	6	11	9	8	5	7	12
REFUSED	3	-	4	3	3	4	3	2	2

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	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Favorable	54%	49%	44%	55%	30%	53%	46%	49%	51%
Unfavorable	30	41	46	31	63	28	45	43	41
Hvn't hrd enough	14	7	5	11	1	18	6	4	4
REFUSED	2	4	4	2	5	1	3	4	3

4. Is your opinion of Nicole Malliotakis favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about her?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Favorable	10%	26%	5%	15%	12%	8%	16%	3%	6%
Unfavorable	12	1	14	11	14	9	14	10	16
Hvn't hrd enough	78	72	80	74	73	82	69	86	76
REFUSED	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	1

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	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Favorable	10%	7%	8%	9%	36%	6%	13%	11%	12%
Unfavorable	3	12	14	12	23	15	9	15	10
Hvn't hrd enough	86	81	77	78	40	79	78	73	76
REFUSED	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	1

5. Is your opinion of Bo Dietl favorable, unfavorable or haven't you heard enough about him?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Favorable	11%	23%	7%	15%	13%	8%	11%	12%	7%
Unfavorable	15	7	18	11	19	11	21	13	13
Hvn't hrd enough	74	70	75	74	67	80	66	76	80
REFUSED	1	-	1	1	1	1	2	-	-

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	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Favorable	10%	10%	9%	9%	25%	6%	12%	14%	10%
Unfavorable	8	16	17	13	24	10	12	18	20
Hvn't hrd enough	80	74	73	77	50	84	75	67	68
REFUSED	3	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	2

6. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Bill de Blasio is handling his job as Mayor?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	50%	19%	66%	34%	45%	55%	35%	69%	56%
Disapprove	42	77	28	54	47	37	58	26	33
DK/NA	8	4	6	12	8	8	8	5	11

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	45%	49%	49%	61%	33%	61%	45%	51%	48%
Disapprove	40	44	45	32	62	30	46	43	45
DK/NA	15	7	7	7	5	8	9	6	7

7. Do you approve or disapprove of the way James O'Neill is handling his job as Police Commissioner?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	52%	59%	51%	51%	55%	50%	59%	48%	48%
Disapprove	21	13	21	25	19	23	14	25	27
DK/NA	27	29	28	24	26	27	26	26	25

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	56%	51%	48%	52%	60%	43%	50%	54%	63%
Disapprove	18	23	20	23	20	32	25	19	8
DK/NA	26	26	32	25	20	24	26	27	29

8. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Carmen Farina is handling her job as New York City Schools Chancellor?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	35%	27%	42%	26%	32%	39%	32%	39%	41%
Disapprove	32	37	27	42	31	33	33	28	30
DK/NA	32	36	30	32	37	28	35	33	29

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	37%	33%	31%	41%	38%	41%	27%	36%	39%
Disapprove	33	32	29	36	30	31	33	36	30
DK/NA	30	35	40	23	33	28	40	28	31

9. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Letitia James is handling her job as Public Advocate?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	45%	32%	55%	36%	42%	48%	35%	61%	44%
Disapprove	17	31	9	27	21	14	23	11	15
DK/NA	38	38	36	37	37	38	42	28	41

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	49%	48%	39%	49%	32%	50%	37%	50%	46%
Disapprove	14	19	14	13	44	13	22	18	18
DK/NA	37	34	47	38	25	37	41	32	36

10. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Melissa Mark-Viverito is handling her job as City Council Speaker?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	36%	28%	40%	33%	32%	40%	29%	44%	36%
Disapprove	23	35	16	31	28	18	25	18	24
DK/NA	41	37	44	36	41	42	45	38	40

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	42%	35%	36%	39%	13%	45%	31%	36%	31%
Disapprove	15	27	22	19	37	22	22	23	25
DK/NA	43	38	41	42	51	33	47	41	44

11. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Scott Stringer is handling his job as City Comptroller?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	51%	48%	57%	44%	55%	47%	52%	59%	43%
Disapprove	18	22	12	27	17	19	18	16	19
DK/NA	31	30	31	29	29	33	31	25	39

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	49%	48%	55%	54%	46%	49%	40%	57%	62%
Disapprove	19	18	16	18	22	21	24	17	11
DK/NA	32	34	28	29	32	30	36	26	28

13. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as President?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	18%	69%	3%	25%	19%	16%	28%	7%	9%
Disapprove	79	23	95	71	76	81	69	92	84
DK/NA	4	8	2	3	5	2	3	1	7

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	14%	21%	10%	18%	37%	13%	20%	17%	21%
Disapprove	78	77	89	78	57	85	77	80	75
DK/NA	8	3	2	3	6	3	2	4	4

14. Do you feel that Bill de Blasio deserves to be reelected, or do you feel that he does not deserve to be reelected?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Yes/Deserves	46%	17%	58%	34%	43%	48%	32%	65%	50%
No/Does not	46	76	33	59	50	42	60	28	39
DK/NA	9	7	9	7	7	10	8	6	10

	AREA............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Yes/Deserves	47%	44%	46%	53%	23%	51%	40%	48%	48%
No/Does not	43	49	44	39	71	43	48	46	44
DK/NA	10	7	10	8	6	6	12	6	8

16. Would you say that Bill de Blasio - has strong leadership qualities or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Yes	46%	19%	55%	39%	43%	49%	32%	62%	50%
No	47	76	38	54	50	44	63	31	39
DK/NA	7	5	7	7	7	7	5	7	10

	AREA............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Yes	47%	44%	44%	55%	31%	63%	40%	45%	40%
No	42	49	52	39	63	31	52	51	54
DK/NA	11	8	4	7	7	7	8	5	6

17. Would you say that Bill de Blasio - understands the problems of people like you or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Yes	49%	15%	64%	32%	45%	52%	39%	66%	47%
No	46	77	31	61	50	41	56	27	46
DK/NA	6	8	6	7	5	7	5	7	7

	AREA............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Yes	44%	46%	52%	57%	25%	52%	45%	50%	52%
No	47	48	43	37	74	42	48	47	40
DK/NA	10	5	5	6	1	6	7	2	8

18. Would you say that Bill de Blasio - is honest and trustworthy or not?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Yes	52%	31%	63%	39%	53%	52%	42%	65%	54%
No	35	56	25	48	35	35	46	22	32
DK/NA	13	12	12	14	12	13	12	14	14

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Yes	51%	54%	51%	55%	39%	57%	46%	53%	55%
No	37	34	38	28	54	30	40	37	34
DK/NA	12	12	11	17	6	13	15	10	11

19. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Mayor de Blasio is handling - crime?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	47%	19%	58%	38%	49%	45%	40%	63%	48%
Disapprove	45	73	34	54	42	47	53	29	46
DK/NA	8	8	8	8	8	7	8	7	6

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	52%	42%	49%	52%	34%	45%	47%	47%	53%
Disapprove	42	49	44	38	62	49	45	48	37
DK/NA	6	9	7	9	4	5	9	4	10

20. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Mayor de Blasio is handling - the public schools?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	39%	23%	49%	29%	38%	40%	32%	47%	37%
Disapprove	45	64	36	55	47	43	51	40	45
DK/NA	16	13	15	16	15	17	16	13	19

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	39%	38%	36%	46%	33%	43%	33%	39%	44%
Disapprove	46	43	47	43	53	50	46	47	35
DK/NA	15	19	17	11	14	7	20	14	21

21. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Mayor de Blasio is handling - relations
between blacks and whites?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	50%	26%	62%	40%	49%	51%	47%	67%	48%
Disapprove	37	60	29	44	38	37	44	25	40
DK/NA	13	14	10	16	13	12	9	7	13

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	52%	50%	49%	54%	35%	44%	55%	50%	53%
Disapprove	39	38	34	33	58	40	36	41	35
DK/NA	9	12	17	13	6	16	9	9	12

22. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Mayor de Blasio is handling - relations
between the police and the community?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	41%	24%	49%	32%	38%	43%	34%	55%	39%
Disapprove	52	70	43	60	55	49	58	41	51
DK/NA	7	7	8	8	7	8	8	4	10

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	42%	40%	40%	44%	26%	36%	38%	43%	48%
Disapprove	52	54	51	45	72	57	57	54	41
DK/NA	6	6	8	11	2	7	5	3	11

23. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Mayor de Blasio is handling - the city
budget?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	38%	19%	49%	27%	40%	37%	29%	52%	42%
Disapprove	41	63	32	49	39	42	48	31	41
DK/NA	21	18	19	24	21	21	23	17	17

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	37%	33%	38%	48%	30%	46%	34%	40%	38%
Disapprove	47	44	38	32	53	41	43	43	33
DK/NA	16	23	24	20	17	13	23	17	29

24. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Mayor de Blasio is handling - political corruption?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	30%	12%	38%	20%	29%	30%	22%	42%	29%
Disapprove	51	66	41	64	50	51	58	39	51
DK/NA	20	22	20	16	20	19	20	19	20

	AREA...............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	35%	28%	26%	34%	17%	30%	28%	29%	33%
Disapprove	42	53	52	49	65	62	44	52	43
DK/NA	24	19	22	17	18	8	28	18	24

25. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Mayor de Blasio is handling - poverty and homelessness?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	29%	21%	36%	17%	32%	26%	27%	34%	26%
Disapprove	63	72	56	71	60	65	65	60	64
DK/NA	9	7	8	11	9	9	9	6	10

	AREA...............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	26%	27%	27%	35%	30%	24%	26%	35%	33%
Disapprove	63	64	63	58	66	69	65	62	51
DK/NA	11	9	10	7	4	7	10	4	15

26. In general, how serious a problem do you think homelessness is in New York City; a very serious problem, somewhat serious, not very serious, or not a problem at all?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Very serious	73%	67%	75%	70%	62%	84%	64%	83%	78%
Smwht serious	24	28	22	25	34	14	31	14	19
Not very serious	2	4	2	3	4	-	3	2	2
Not a problem at all	1	-	1	1	1	1	2	-	1
DK/NA	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	-

	AREA...............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Very serious	78%	73%	70%	74%	67%	76%	66%	79%	71%
Smwht serious	18	25	27	22	27	21	31	18	25
Not very serious	2	1	2	3	5	1	3	2	2
Not a problem at all	-	1	1	-	1	2	-	-	1
DK/NA	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1

27. Compared to a few years ago in New York City, have you seen more, less, or about the same number of homeless people on the streets, in parks and on the subway?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
More	58%	60%	56%	60%	52%	63%	64%	45%	55%
Less	14	24	14	14	15	14	10	18	17
About the same	25	13	27	24	30	19	22	32	25
DK/NA	3	3	3	2	3	4	4	5	3

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	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
More	62%	57%	65%	47%	67%	53%	58%	60%	55%
Less	15	14	10	20	7	16	18	11	14
About the same	20	25	25	28	17	29	21	25	23
DK/NA	3	4	1	4	10	1	2	4	7

28. Compared to a few years ago in New York City, have you encountered more, less or about the same number of homeless people asking for money?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
More	51%	63%	47%	54%	48%	55%	54%	42%	49%
Less	15	16	16	13	16	13	12	20	16
About the same	31	17	34	28	33	29	30	36	31
DK/NA	3	4	3	5	4	3	3	3	4

| | AREA............................ | | | | | AGE IN YRS.............. | | | |
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
More	50%	53%	58%	42%	58%	48%	54%	54%	44%
Less	14	15	14	16	11	12	16	11	21
About the same	30	29	26	39	24	38	28	31	27
DK/NA	5	3	2	3	8	1	1	5	8

29. Are you generally satisfied with the quality of the public schools in New York City, or are you not satisfied?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Satisfied	29%	19%	34%	25%	33%	26%	29%	28%	33%
Not satisfied	53	60	47	59	49	56	49	57	49
DK/NA	18	21	18	16	18	18	22	15	18

| | AREA............................ | | | | | AGE IN YRS.............. | | | |
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Satisfied	22%	28%	20%	40%	40%	35%	26%	28%	31%
Not satisfied	62	53	55	45	49	57	49	56	48
DK/NA	16	19	25	15	11	8	26	16	21

30. Are you generally satisfied with the quality of the local public schools in your
area, or are you not satisfied?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Satisfied	42%	34%	47%	36%	40%	44%	44%	37%	41%
Not satisfied	40	47	36	46	40	40	33	49	44
DK/NA	18	19	17	18	20	16	23	14	16

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Satisfied	35%	42%	34%	51%	54%	47%	37%	39%	47%
Not satisfied	50	41	39	36	36	46	41	44	30
DK/NA	15	17	27	14	11	8	22	17	23

31. Over the past few years, do you think that the quality of the public schools in
New York City has gotten better, gotten worse, or stayed about the same?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Better	17%	9%	19%	15%	18%	16%	10%	21%	23%
Worse	24	33	19	30	20	28	26	19	24
Same	47	44	51	39	49	46	49	52	44
DK/NA	12	14	10	16	13	11	16	8	10

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Better	26%	14%	13%	18%	16%	22%	16%	14%	15%
Worse	20	25	22	23	39	16	21	30	28
Same	44	49	49	49	35	57	45	45	46
DK/NA	10	13	15	10	10	6	18	11	11

32. Do you approve or disapprove of the way the New York City police are doing their job?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	64%	81%	59%	68%	67%	61%	83%	51%	52%
Disapprove	30	12	36	28	28	33	14	46	38
DK/NA	6	7	5	4	5	6	3	4	10

	AREA.............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	53%	65%	66%	65%	75%	50%	68%	66%	74%
Disapprove	37	30	30	30	20	46	27	30	19
DK/NA	11	5	4	6	5	4	5	4	8

33. Do you approve or disapprove of the way the police in your community are doing their job?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
Approve	72%	81%	68%	80%	74%	71%	86%	62%	64%
Disapprove	24	14	28	19	23	24	10	35	30
DK/NA	4	5	5	1	3	6	4	3	6

	AREA............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Approve	60%	76%	73%	72%	82%	62%	77%	72%	81%
Disapprove	33	20	26	21	17	35	18	25	13
DK/NA	7	4	2	7	1	3	4	3	6

42. As you may be aware, Mayor de Blasio hired attorneys to represent him during state and federal investigations into allegations of improper campaign fund-raising. The state and federal investigations were ended with no charges filed. Who should pay the $2 million legal bill for representing the mayor: should de Blasio raise funds and pay the bill or should the bill be paid from tax dollars?

	Tot	Rep	Dem	Ind	Men	Wom	Wht	Blk	Hsp
de Blasio pay	78%	86%	79%	77%	75%	82%	78%	80%	80%
Pay from tax dollars	13	10	14	12	16	10	12	16	11
DK/NA	8	4	8	11	9	8	10	4	9

	AREA............................					AGE IN YRS..............			
	Brnx	Kngs	Man	Qns	StIsl	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
de Blasio pay	77%	83%	70%	78%	93%	85%	80%	77%	73%
Pay from tax dollars	14	8	20	15	3	6	15	16	15
DK/NA	9	9	10	7	4	8	5	7	11