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ECONOMY

1) How would you rate the local economy?

- Good
 Above Average
 Average
 Below Average
 Poor

2) Do you think New York State spends too much money?
(2017 annual budget was \$153 Billion)

- Yes No

3) As it currently stands, do you think New York's business climate is sufficient to encourage business growth and expansion?

- Yes No

4) According to the Governor, New York State has a projected \$4 billion deficit in the upcoming fiscal year. What would you say is the best way to close the deficit?

- Raise taxes on high-income earners and corporations
 Make cuts in social entitlement programs
 Increase taxes and fees across the board
 Make cuts to state education funding

EDUCATION

5) Do you support the expansion of charter schools, public schools, or both?

- Charter Public Both Neither

6) Would you support legislation that would phase in a complete state takeover of school district funding, potentially cutting an average homeowner's property taxes by as much as 70 percent?

- Yes No

HEALTH CARE

7) Which type of health care system would you like to see in New York State?

- ACA (Obamacare)
 AHCA (Trumpcare)
 Public Plan (Single payer)
 Privatized Plans
 Other _____

8) Are you in favor of reducing Medicaid spending as a way to lower taxes and balance the state budget?

- Yes No

SENIORS

9) Would you support freezing property taxes for senior citizens?

- Yes No

10) Do you support state funding used for local community initiatives such as senior centers?

- Yes No

FIRST RESPONDERS

11) Are you in favor of legislation that designates certain crimes committed against first responders as hate crimes?

- Yes No

OPIOID EPIDEMIC

12) Which of the following measures do you support?

- Increasing education and awareness to destigmatize addiction
 Greater access to treatment and rehabilitative centers
 Alternatives to incarceration that provide positive pathways to recovery, like Drug Treatment Courts
 Greater accountability on pharmaceutical companies' marketing of addictive products
 Stricter criminal penalties for drug traffickers

BUSINESS

13) Are you in favor of increasing the number of trade apprenticeship programs (STEM, woodshop, mechanic shop, etc.) in high schools?

- Yes No

14) Do you support Governor Cuomo's business development marketing program, also known as "START-UP NY" ?

- Yes No

INFRASTRUCTURE

15) Do you think improvements are needed at local train stations to increase handicapped accessibility?

- Yes No

16) Do you support changing the name of the Gov. Mario M. Cuomo Bridge back to the Gov. Malcolm Wilson Tappan Zee Bridge?

- Yes No

IMMIGRATION

17) Do you support legislation that would make New York a "Sanctuary State"?

- Yes No

18) Do you think New York State should lobby the U.S. Congress to reform our nation's immigration and visa systems in order to increase legal immigration and population?

- Yes No

GUN CONTROL

19) Do you believe gun control laws in New York are

- Too Strict Adequate Not Strict Enough

20) Are you in favor of the NY-SAFE Act passed in 2013?

- Yes No