

**PEW RESEARCH CENTER
NOVEMBER 3-6, 2011, OMNIBUS
FINAL TOPLINE
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PEW.1-PEW.2 PREVIOUSLY RELEASED

ASK ALL:

On a different subject...

PEWWP.1 As I read some possible government policies to address America's energy supply, tell me whether you would favor or oppose each. First, would you favor or oppose the government [INSERT FIRST ITEM, RANDOMIZE]? Would you favor or oppose the government [INSERT NEXT ITEM]?

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		<u>Favor</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>DK/Ref</u>
a.	Allowing more offshore oil and gas drilling in U.S. waters			
	November 3-6, 2011	58	35	7
	March 17-20, 2011	57	37	6
	October 13-18, 2010	51	41	7
	June 16-20, 2010	44	52	4
	May 6-9, 2010	54	38	8
	February 3-9, 2010	63	31	6
	April 14-21, 2009	68	27	5
	September, 2008	67	28	5
b.	Increasing federal funding for research on wind, solar and hydrogen technology			
	November 3-6, 2011	68	26	6
	March 17-20, 2011	74	21	5
	October 13-18, 2010	74	21	6
	June 16-20, 2010	75	21	3
	May 6-9, 2010	73	22	5
	February 3-9, 2010	78	17	5
	April 14-21, 2009	82	15	3
	September, 2008	82	14	4
	Late February, 2008	81	14	5
	February, 2006	82	14	4
c.	Promoting the increased use of nuclear power			
	November 3-6, 2011	39	53	8
	March 17-20, 2011	39	52	8
	October 13-18, 2010	45	44	11
	June 16-20, 2010	47	47	6
	May 6-9, 2010	45	44	11
	February 3-9, 2010	52	41	7
	April 14-21, 2009	45	48	7
	September, 2008	50	43	7
	Late February, 2008	44	48	8
	February, 2006	44	49	7
	Mid-September, 2005	39	53	8
d.	Allowing more mining and drilling on federally owned land			
	November 3-6, 2011	58	34	7
e.	Providing subsidies for ethanol production			
	November 3-6, 2011	38	48	14
	TREND FOR COMPARISON:			
	<i>Increasing federal funding for research on ethanol</i>			
	September, 2008	57	36	7
	Late February, 2008	57	35	8

PEWWP.1 TREND FOR COMPARISON CONTINUED...

February, 2006

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	<u>Favor</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>DK/Ref</u>
	67	22	11

PEW.3-PEW.4 PREVIOUSLY RELEASED**ASK ALL:**

PEWWP.2

When it comes to developing new energy technology, do you think **[READ AND RANDOMIZE]**Nov 3-6
2011

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Government investment is necessary [OR DO YOU THINK]

Businesses will produce the technology we need without

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government investment

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Don't know/Refused **(VOL.)**April 14-21
2009

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