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**Many Americans, Including Most Latinos, Consider Immigration Reform a Priority...
Pathway to Citizenship Key Component for Majority of Americans, But Latinos Divide**

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This MSNBC/Telemundo/Marist Poll reports:

Immigration reform is important to many Americans, especially Latino residents. Nearly two-thirds of Americans, 65%, including 81% of Latinos, think immigration legislation which provides a pathway to citizenship for illegal immigrants should be addressed by President Barack Obama and Congress. In fact, 41% of Americans and 59% of Latinos believe the issue should be an *absolute priority* for this year's Congress.

Of note, Latino residents who are U.S. immigrants, 74%, are more likely than those born in the United States, 46%, to consider immigration reform to be an immediate concern.

On the question of providing a pathway to citizenship for veterans of the armed forces, Americans and Latinos have similar views. 55% of residents, overall, and 61% of Latinos say providing citizenship to veterans should be an *immediate priority* for President Obama and Congress this year.

Americans, overall, are more concerned about the inclusion of the pathway to citizenship in immigration reform than Latinos. Among Latinos, there is slightly greater urgency to pass immigration legislation, even if it does not contain the pathway to citizenship. While 52% of Americans assert reform should only be passed if it includes this measure, 39% say reform should occur even if the measure is not included. Latino residents divide with 49% thinking it is more important that a bill be passed only if it includes a pathway to citizenship while 44% report it is more important to pass immigration reform even if it does not provide a way for undocumented immigrants to gain citizenship.

Latinos born in the United States, 52%, emphasize the pathway to citizenship while Latino adults born in another country divide on the issue.

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When it comes to President Barack Obama's use of executive action to implement changes to immigration, opposition rests on procedure not policy. Nearly six in ten Americans, including more than three in four Latinos, approve of the president's order. Among those who disapprove, 56% of Americans and 58% of Latinos oppose the executive action because the president did not seek congressional approval, not because they are against the content of the policy.

If Congress does not pass immigration reform by the end of its current term, Republicans will face the most blame.

Poll points:

- 65% of Americans say **passing immigration legislation which would create a pathway to citizenship for foreigners illegally staying in this country should be addressed** by President Barack Obama and Congress. This includes 41% who think the issue should be an absolute priority. Most Latinos, 81%, including 59% who want the issue addressed immediately, consider passing such legislation a priority.
- Americans, 33%, are more likely than Latinos, 16%, to report immigration reform should not be pursued at all.
- Nearly three in four Latinos who were not born in the United States, 74%, believe *immediate action* on immigration reform should be taken compared with 46% of Latinos who were born in the U.S.
- 55% of Americans, including 61% of Latinos, assert immigration legislation which provides **a pathway to citizenship for veterans of the armed forces** should be an *absolute priority* for this year's Congress.
- 52% of U.S. residents think **the pathway to citizenship is essential to immigration reform** while 39% believe it is more important to pass immigration legislation even if it does not include a pathway to citizenship. While a plurality of Latinos, 49%, says the pathway to citizenship is key to immigration reform, more Latinos, 44%, when compared with the overall population, are willing to accept reform that does not include such a pathway.
- 52% of Latinos born in the United States believe it is more important for immigration reform to be passed with a pathway to citizenship, but Latinos who were not born in this country divide. 48% believe immigration reform should be passed even without a pathway to citizenship while 46% insist the pathway is the crux of immigration reform.
- Compared with 57% of Americans, overall, more Latinos, 78%, **approve of President Barack Obama's executive action on immigration.**
- Among those who disapprove of the president's executive order, 56% of Americans, including 58% of Latinos, do so more **because Mr. Obama acted without congressional authorization and not because they oppose the policy.** In fact, only 29% of U.S. residents who disapprove of the president's executive order, including one in three Latinos – 33%, say they are against the substance of the policy.

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- If an **agreement on immigration reform is not reached before the end of Congress' current term**, a plurality of U.S. residents, 43%, including 46% of Latinos, will place the blame on the Republicans in Congress. 26% of U.S. residents and 22% of Latinos will point a finger at President Obama. 11% of Americans, including 13% of Latinos, will blame the Democrats in Congress.

Diplomatic Recognition of Cuba Supported by Majorities of Americans and Latinos

The opinions of Latinos closely reflect those of the overall population when it comes to U.S. foreign policy toward Cuba.

Poll points:

- A majority of Americans, 59%, including 56% of Latinos, approves of **the recent decision for the United States to provide diplomatic recognition of Cuba**.
- 26% of U.S. residents disapprove of the action, and 15% are unsure. Similar proportions of Latinos are against granting diplomacy to Cuba or are unsure.

Economic Sanctions against Venezuela Considered Appropriate by Half of Americans

50% of Americans, including a slim majority of the Latino population, consider the economic sanctions placed on government officials in Venezuela for acts of violence and the prohibition of freedom of expression of protestors to be the right form of censure. Latinos, 19%, are slightly more likely than Americans, overall, to say the punishment is too strong.

Poll points:

- 50% of the U.S. adult population, including 52% of Latinos, **think the economic sanctions levied against Venezuela are the appropriate punishment** for acts of violence endorsed by the nation's leaders and prohibiting freedom of expression among protestors.
- 19% of Latinos, compared with 13% of the general population, say the sanctions are too severe. 20% of U.S. residents, including 16% of Latinos, believe the sanctions are not strong enough.

Equal Treatment under the Law?

Americans, 65%, are more likely than Latinos, 54%, to believe **police in their local community treat minorities the same as anyone else**. Latinos, especially those under 45, are more likely to report minorities are treated more harshly.

- 35% of Latinos, compared with 27% of the overall population, report minorities are treated more harshly by their local police. Only 4% of U.S. residents, including 5% of Latinos, believe minorities are treated less harshly.
- Latinos under 45 years old, 39%, are more likely than older Latinos, 28%, to say minorities are treated more harshly than anyone else.

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The Impact of Pope Francis on the Views of the Catholic Church

37% of Americans say Pope Francis has improved their opinion of the Catholic Church, and 29% report he has made little difference in their opinion. The views of Latinos are similar to those of the overall population.

- A plurality of Americans, 37%, including 32% of Latinos, reports **Pope Francis has given them a more favorable view of the Catholic Church**. Only 6% of Americans, including 7% of Latinos, say the Pope has lessened their view of the Church. 29% of Americans, similar to 32% of Latinos, think the Pontiff has made little difference in their views. 29% of residents, including 28% of Latinos, don't know enough about the Pope to comment.

Football Takes Top Spot as Americans' Favorite Sport... Shares Honors with Soccer among Latinos

Football, 42%, is Americans' favorite pastime. Among Latinos, football, 31%, and soccer, 28%, vie for the title of top sport.

- 42% of **Americans consider football their favorite sport**. Baseball, 15%, is a distant second followed by basketball, 14%. 11% choose soccer while 5% like hockey. Three percent cite another sport, and 4% do not have a favorite sport.
- Football, 31%, and soccer, 28%, are cited as the top sports by Latinos. Baseball, 15%, and basketball, 14%, trail behind. Only 2% of Latinos are hockey fans, and 3% mention another sport as their favorite. Two percent do not have a favorite sport.

How the Survey was Conducted

Nature of the Sample: MSNBC/Telemundo/Marist Poll of 1,446 National Adults

This survey of 1,446 adults was conducted March 23rd through April 5th, 2015 by The Marist Poll sponsored and funded in partnership with MSNBC and Telemundo. Adults 18 years of age and older residing in the continental United States were interviewed in English or Spanish by telephone using live interviewers. Landline telephone numbers were randomly selected based upon a list of telephone exchanges from throughout the nation from ASDE Survey Sampler, Inc. The exchanges were selected to ensure that each region was represented in proportion to its population. Respondents in the household were selected by asking for the youngest male. To increase coverage, this landline sample was supplemented by respondents reached through random dialing of cell phone numbers from Survey Sampling International. The two samples were then combined and balanced to reflect the 2010 Census results for age, gender, income, race, and region. Results are statistically significant within ± 2.6 percentage points. There are 1,091 registered voters. The results for this subset are statistically significant within ± 3.0 percentage points. A random oversample of Latinos, with assistance from SSRS, resulted in a sample size of 362 Latino respondents. For this subset results are statistically significant within ± 5.2 percentage points. The error margin was not adjusted for sample weights and increases for cross-tabulations.

Nature of the Sample

		National Adults	National Registered Voters	National Latinos
		Col %	Col %	Col %
National Adults		100%		
Race	White, non-Latino	67%	70%	n/a
	African American, non-Latino	12%	13%	n/a
	Latino	14%	9%	100%
	Other, non-Latino	7%	7%	n/a
Latinos	White	n/a	n/a	55%
	African American	n/a	n/a	10%
	Unspecified	n/a	n/a	35%
Latinos	Born in the U.S.	n/a	n/a	53%
	Born in another country	n/a	n/a	47%
National Registered Voters		75%	100%	49%
Party Identification	Democrat	n/a	36%	47%
	Republican	n/a	29%	16%
	Independent	n/a	33%	36%
	Other	n/a	1%	1%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Somewhat liberal	n/a	29%	27%
	Moderate	n/a	35%	39%
	Somewhat conservative-Very conservative	n/a	36%	35%
Gender	Men	49%	49%	42%
	Women	51%	51%	58%
Age	Under 45	47%	41%	68%
	45 or older	53%	59%	32%
Age	18 to 29	24%	18%	36%
	30 to 44	23%	23%	32%
	45 to 59	26%	28%	21%
	60 or older	27%	31%	11%
Region	Northeast	18%	17%	19%
	Midwest	22%	24%	11%
	South	37%	38%	37%
	West	23%	22%	33%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	51%	45%	77%
	\$50,000 or more	49%	55%	23%
Education	Not college graduate	64%	58%	84%
	College graduate	36%	42%	16%
Marital Status	Married	48%	52%	34%
	Not married	52%	48%	66%
Parents		26%	25%	39%
Interview Type	Landline	36%	41%	24%
	Cell phone	64%	59%	76%

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National Latinos: n=362 MOE +/- 5.2 percentage points. National Registered Voters: n=1091 MOE +/- 3.0 percentage points. Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding.

		National Adults		
		Now, as you may know, the United States does not have formal diplomatic relations with Cuba and has maintained an embargo which makes it illegal for U.S. corporations to do business with Cuba. Do you approve or disapprove of the recent decision to provide diplomatic recognition of Cuba by the United States?		
		Approve	Disapprove	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		59%	26%	15%
Race	Latino	56%	25%	19%
	White	59%	28%	14%
	African American	66%	18%	15%
National Registered Voters		61%	28%	11%
Party Identification	Democrat	75%	13%	12%
	Republican	45%	45%	10%
	Independent	63%	27%	10%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Somewhat liberal	80%	11%	8%
	Moderate	66%	21%	13%
	Somewhat conservative-Very conservative	41%	48%	11%
Region	Northeast	64%	20%	16%
	Midwest	62%	22%	16%
	South	54%	32%	14%
	West	61%	25%	14%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	54%	27%	19%
	\$50,000 or more	67%	24%	9%
Education	Not college graduate	56%	27%	17%
	College graduate	65%	25%	11%
Age	18 to 29	63%	19%	18%
	30 to 44	60%	24%	17%
	45 to 59	57%	29%	14%
	60 or older	58%	33%	10%
Age	Under 45	61%	21%	17%
	45 or older	57%	31%	12%
Gender	Men	62%	27%	10%
	Women	56%	25%	19%
Marital Status	Married	54%	31%	15%
	Not married	63%	22%	15%
Parents		55%	26%	19%
Interview Type	Landline	57%	29%	14%
	Cell phone	60%	25%	15%

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		Row %	Row %	Row %
National Latinos		56%	25%	19%
National Latino Registered Voters		65%	23%	11%
Latinos	Born in the U.S.	59%	28%	13%
	Born in another country	53%	22%	25%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	52%	27%	22%
	\$50,000 or more	69%	22%	9%
Age	Under 45	54%	26%	20%
	45 or older	60%	23%	17%
Age	Under 35	57%	25%	18%
	35 or older	55%	25%	20%
Gender	Men	63%	26%	11%
	Women	51%	25%	24%
Marital Status	Married	55%	23%	21%
	Not married	57%	26%	18%
Parents		54%	23%	23%
Interview Type	Landline	56%	26%	18%
	Cell phone	56%	25%	19%

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		National Adults			
		President Obama has declared Venezuela a national security threat to the United States and ordered sanctions against seven of its government officials for acts of violence and prohibiting freedom of expression of protesters in that country. The sanctions do not extend to oil. Do you think the economic sanctions the United States has imposed on Venezuela are: too strong, not strong enough, or about right?			
		Too strong	Not strong enough	About right	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		13%	20%	50%	18%
Race	Latino	19%	16%	52%	14%
	White	12%	21%	48%	19%
	African American	11%	12%	65%	12%
National Registered Voters		11%	23%	49%	18%
Party Identification	Democrat	12%	16%	52%	21%
	Republican	9%	30%	46%	14%
	Independent	13%	23%	47%	16%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Somewhat liberal	17%	15%	46%	23%
	Moderate	8%	19%	58%	15%
	Somewhat conservative-Very conservative	10%	32%	43%	15%
Region	Northeast	10%	16%	55%	18%
	Midwest	9%	17%	55%	19%
	South	16%	22%	47%	15%
	West	14%	22%	44%	20%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	14%	16%	51%	18%
	\$50,000 or more	12%	25%	52%	12%
Education	Not college graduate	15%	18%	50%	17%
	College graduate	10%	23%	48%	19%
Age	18 to 29	23%	9%	54%	14%
	30 to 44	14%	20%	50%	16%
	45 to 59	8%	23%	50%	19%
	60 or older	8%	25%	46%	20%
Age	Under 45	18%	15%	52%	15%
	45 or older	8%	24%	48%	20%
Gender	Men	15%	23%	46%	15%
	Women	11%	17%	52%	20%
Marital Status	Married	9%	25%	48%	17%
	Not married	17%	15%	51%	17%
Parents		14%	20%	53%	14%
Interview Type	Landline	9%	20%	50%	20%
	Cell phone	15%	20%	49%	16%

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		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Latinos		19%	16%	52%	14%
National Latino Registered Voters		18%	21%	49%	12%
Latinos	Born in the U.S.	24%	18%	47%	11%
	Born in another country	13%	13%	57%	17%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	19%	14%	53%	14%
	\$50,000 or more	18%	22%	51%	9%
Age	Under 45	22%	13%	54%	11%
	45 or older	11%	21%	48%	19%
Age	Under 35	25%	14%	50%	11%
	35 or older	14%	17%	54%	15%
Gender	Men	21%	21%	53%	6%
	Women	17%	12%	51%	20%
Marital Status	Married	14%	15%	56%	15%
	Not married	21%	16%	50%	13%
Parents		20%	11%	54%	15%
Interview Type	Landline	15%	14%	50%	22%
	Cell phone	20%	16%	52%	11%

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		National Adults			
		Do you think passing immigration legislation that would create a pathway to U.S. citizenship for foreigners who are currently staying illegally in the United States should be:			
		An absolute priority for the Obama administration and this year's Congress	Something that can be delayed until next year	Something that you think the Obama administration and Congress should not pursue	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		41%	24%	33%	3%
Race	Latino	59%	22%	16%	4%
	White	35%	23%	39%	3%
	African American	49%	31%	17%	3%
National Registered Voters		39%	23%	35%	3%
Party Identification	Democrat	55%	24%	18%	3%
	Republican	19%	23%	55%	3%
	Independent	40%	22%	37%	2%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Somewhat liberal	59%	21%	17%	2%
	Moderate	39%	25%	32%	4%
	Somewhat conservative-Very conservative	22%	23%	52%	2%
Region	Northeast	42%	28%	27%	3%
	Midwest	40%	23%	34%	3%
	South	39%	22%	36%	3%
	West	42%	23%	31%	4%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	40%	22%	34%	4%
	\$50,000 or more	41%	26%	31%	2%
Education	Not college graduate	39%	22%	36%	3%
	College graduate	44%	27%	26%	3%
Age	18 to 29	41%	30%	27%	2%
	30 to 44	42%	27%	31%	1%
	45 to 59	42%	22%	32%	3%
	60 or older	37%	17%	40%	6%
Age	Under 45	41%	28%	29%	2%
	45 or older	40%	20%	36%	5%
Gender	Men	38%	23%	36%	3%
	Women	42%	24%	30%	4%
Marital Status	Married	37%	24%	37%	2%
	Not married	44%	23%	29%	4%
Parents		38%	26%	34%	2%
Interview Type	Landline	38%	19%	38%	5%
	Cell phone	42%	26%	30%	2%

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		National Latinos			
		Do you think passing immigration legislation that would create a pathway to U.S. citizenship for foreigners who are currently staying illegally in the United States should be:			
		An absolute priority for the Obama administration and this year's Congress	Something that can be delayed until next year	Something that you think the Obama administration and Congress should not pursue	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Latinos		59%	22%	16%	4%
National Latino Registered Voters		50%	27%	18%	4%
Latinos	Born in the U.S.	46%	30%	22%	2%
	Born in another country	74%	12%	9%	5%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	61%	21%	13%	5%
	\$50,000 or more	55%	22%	23%	0%
Age	Under 45	59%	24%	15%	3%
	45 or older	60%	16%	19%	5%
Age	Under 35	56%	29%	12%	3%
	35 or older	62%	16%	19%	3%
Gender	Men	54%	25%	19%	3%
	Women	63%	20%	14%	4%
Marital Status	Married	56%	18%	20%	6%
	Not married	60%	24%	14%	2%
Parents		59%	15%	23%	3%
Interview Type	Landline	54%	21%	23%	2%
	Cell phone	60%	22%	14%	4%

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		National Adults		
		Which comes closer to your opinion:		
		It is more important that the president and Congress pass an immigration reform bill even without a pathway to U.S. citizenship	It is more important that the president and Congress not pass an immigration reform bill unless it includes a pathway to U.S. citizenship	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		39%	52%	9%
Race	Latino	44%	49%	7%
	White	38%	53%	10%
	African American	44%	49%	6%
National Registered Voters		38%	53%	9%
Party Identification	Democrat	32%	59%	9%
	Republican	41%	48%	11%
	Independent	41%	50%	9%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Somewhat liberal	32%	60%	8%
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	60 or older	37%	52%	11%
Age	Under 45	41%	53%	7%
	45 or older	38%	51%	11%
Gender	Men	41%	51%	8%
	Women	38%	52%	10%
Marital Status	Married	42%	48%	10%
	Not married	37%	55%	8%
Parents		43%	51%	7%
Interview Type	Landline	39%	51%	10%
	Cell phone	39%	52%	8%

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Age	Under 35	44%	52%	5%
	35 or older	45%	47%	8%
Gender	Men	49%	47%	4%
	Women	40%	51%	9%
Marital Status	Married	41%	50%	9%
	Not married	46%	49%	6%
Parents		43%	52%	5%
Interview Type	Landline	42%	49%	10%
	Cell phone	45%	49%	6%

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		National Adults			
		What about for veterans of the armed services, do you think passing immigration legislation that would create a pathway to U.S. citizenship for veterans of the armed services should be:			
		An absolute priority for the Obama administration and this year's Congress	Something that can be delayed until next year	Something that you think the Obama administration and Congress should not pursue	Unsure
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Race	Latino	61%	23%	11%	4%
	White	52%	23%	17%	8%
	African American	62%	30%	4%	4%
National Registered Voters		53%	25%	15%	7%
Party Identification	Democrat	66%	21%	7%	5%
	Republican	38%	30%	24%	8%
	Independent	54%	25%	14%	7%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Somewhat liberal	70%	18%	8%	5%
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Region	Northeast	59%	27%	9%	5%
	Midwest	50%	24%	17%	9%
	South	56%	24%	16%	4%
	West	55%	22%	14%	9%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	54%	23%	15%	8%
	\$50,000 or more	57%	25%	14%	5%
Education	Not college graduate	55%	23%	16%	6%
	College graduate	56%	26%	11%	7%
Age	18 to 29	54%	30%	12%	4%
	30 to 44	61%	23%	11%	4%
	45 to 59	52%	25%	15%	8%
	60 or older	53%	18%	20%	9%
Age	Under 45	58%	27%	11%	4%
	45 or older	52%	22%	17%	9%
Gender	Men	55%	24%	16%	5%
	Women	55%	24%	13%	8%
Marital Status	Married	51%	26%	16%	7%
	Not married	58%	22%	13%	6%
Parents		59%	25%	12%	4%
Interview Type	Landline	52%	22%	18%	8%
	Cell phone	57%	25%	12%	6%

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		National Latinos			
		What about for veterans of the armed services, do you think passing immigration legislation that would create a pathway to U.S. citizenship for veterans of the armed services should be:			
		An absolute priority for the Obama administration and this year's Congress	Something that can be delayed until next year	Something that you think the Obama administration and Congress should not pursue	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Latinos		61%	23%	11%	4%
National Latino Registered Voters		55%	25%	16%	4%
Latinos	Born in the U.S.	58%	25%	13%	3%
	Born in another country	64%	21%	10%	5%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	61%	22%	13%	5%
	\$50,000 or more	61%	22%	13%	5%
Age	Under 45	62%	25%	10%	2%
	45 or older	58%	20%	14%	8%
Age	Under 35	62%	25%	11%	3%
	35 or older	61%	23%	12%	5%
Gender	Men	52%	32%	14%	2%
	Women	67%	17%	9%	6%
Marital Status	Married	59%	22%	12%	7%
	Not married	62%	24%	11%	3%
Parents		67%	19%	11%	3%
Interview Type	Landline	59%	21%	13%	6%
	Cell phone	61%	24%	11%	4%

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		National Adults		
		As you may know, in November President Obama signed an executive action on immigration because of his concerns that Congress had not passed legislation on this issue. The president's executive action granted temporary legal status and removed the threat of deportation for an estimated four million foreigners staying illegally in the United States who have been in the country more than five years, have no criminal record, and are parents. Do you approve or disapprove of the president's executive action?		
		Approve	Disapprove	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		57%	41%	2%
Race	Latino	78%	21%	2%
	White	50%	49%	2%
	African American	75%	21%	4%
National Registered Voters		54%	44%	2%
Party Identification	Democrat	84%	15%	1%
	Republican	23%	76%	1%
	Independent	50%	48%	2%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Somewhat liberal	85%	14%	1%
	Moderate	58%	40%	2%
	Somewhat conservative-Very conservative	27%	72%	1%
Region	Northeast	64%	33%	3%
	Midwest	56%	42%	2%
	South	52%	46%	2%
	West	61%	36%	2%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	59%	38%	3%
	\$50,000 or more	57%	43%	1%
Education	Not college graduate	56%	42%	2%
	College graduate	61%	37%	2%
Age	18 to 29	68%	28%	4%
	30 to 44	63%	36%	1%
	45 to 59	55%	43%	2%
	60 or older	46%	52%	2%
Age	Under 45	65%	32%	2%
	45 or older	51%	48%	2%
Gender	Men	54%	44%	2%
	Women	60%	37%	2%
Marital Status	Married	51%	48%	1%
	Not married	63%	34%	3%
Parents		59%	40%	1%
Interview Type	Landline	53%	45%	2%
	Cell phone	60%	38%	2%

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		National Latinos		
		As you may know, in November President Obama signed an executive action on immigration because of his concerns that Congress had not passed legislation on this issue. The president's executive action granted temporary legal status and removed the threat of deportation for an estimated four million foreigners staying illegally in the United States who have been in the country more than five years, have no criminal record, and are parents. Do you approve or disapprove of the president's executive action?		
		Approve	Disapprove	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %
National Latinos		78%	21%	2%
National Latino Registered Voters		73%	26%	1%
Latinos	Born in the U.S.	72%	26%	1%
	Born in another country	84%	14%	2%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	80%	18%	2%
	\$50,000 or more	68%	32%	0%
Age	Under 45	81%	18%	1%
	45 or older	71%	27%	2%
Age	Under 35	80%	18%	2%
	35 or older	76%	23%	1%
Gender	Men	75%	23%	1%
	Women	79%	18%	2%
Marital Status	Married	69%	28%	3%
	Not married	82%	17%	1%
Parents		79%	20%	1%
Interview Type	Landline	76%	23%	1%
	Cell phone	78%	20%	2%

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		Adults who Disapprove of Executive Action			
		Now, would you say you disapprove:			
		More because you believe the president should not have acted without the approval of Congress	More because you oppose the president's immigration policy	Both	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
Adults who Disapprove of Executive Action		56%	29%	14%	2%
Race	Latino	58%	33%	6%	3%
	White	57%	29%	14%	1%
National Registered Voters		57%	29%	14%	1%
Party Identification	Democrat	38%	52%	6%	4%
	Republican	56%	26%	17%	1%
	Independent	64%	24%	12%	0%
Region	Northeast	48%	34%	14%	5%
	Midwest	57%	29%	14%	0%
	South	57%	28%	13%	2%
	West	57%	28%	14%	1%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	52%	31%	15%	3%
	\$50,000 or more	59%	28%	12%	1%
Education	Not college graduate	52%	32%	13%	2%
	College graduate	63%	23%	13%	0%
Age	18 to 29	53%	34%	8%	5%
	30 to 44	57%	31%	12%	0%
	45 to 59	53%	31%	15%	1%
	60 or older	60%	23%	15%	1%
Age	Under 45	55%	32%	11%	2%
	45 or older	57%	27%	15%	1%
Gender	Men	59%	25%	13%	3%
	Women	52%	33%	15%	1%
Marital Status	Married	57%	26%	15%	1%
	Not married	54%	33%	11%	3%
Parents		58%	30%	11%	1%
Interview Type	Landline	55%	28%	16%	1%
	Cell phone	56%	30%	12%	2%

MSNBC/Telemundo/Marist Poll National Adults who Disapprove of Executive Action. Interviews conducted March 23rd through April 5th, 2015, n=588 MOE +/- 4.0 percentage points. National Latinos who Disapprove of Executive Action: n=79 MOE +/- 11.0 percentage points. Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding.

		National Adults				
		If Congress is unable to come to agreement on an immigration bill before the end of its current term who do you think will be most to blame:				
		The Republicans in Congress	The Democrats in Congress	President Barack Obama	All Equally	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		43%	11%	26%	14%	7%
Race	Latino	46%	13%	22%	9%	10%
	White	39%	10%	29%	16%	6%
	African American	58%	12%	16%	9%	6%
National Registered Voters		43%	11%	27%	14%	5%
Party Identification	Democrat	73%	5%	9%	7%	5%
	Republican	14%	19%	49%	12%	5%
	Independent	38%	10%	26%	21%	5%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Somewhat liberal	71%	9%	10%	5%	5%
	Moderate	43%	11%	21%	20%	5%
	Somewhat conservative-Very conservative	20%	14%	46%	14%	6%
Region	Northeast	50%	8%	22%	14%	6%
	Midwest	38%	10%	29%	18%	5%
	South	41%	11%	27%	12%	7%
	West	43%	12%	25%	12%	7%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	40%	14%	25%	13%	8%
	\$50,000 or more	47%	7%	27%	14%	5%
Education	Not college graduate	38%	12%	29%	14%	7%
	College graduate	51%	8%	22%	14%	5%
Age	18 to 29	41%	15%	24%	12%	9%
	30 to 44	38%	9%	30%	15%	7%
	45 to 59	47%	9%	25%	14%	5%
	60 or older	45%	8%	27%	14%	6%
Age	Under 45	39%	12%	27%	14%	8%
	45 or older	46%	9%	26%	14%	5%
Gender	Men	40%	11%	27%	15%	7%
	Women	45%	10%	26%	13%	6%
Marital Status	Married	41%	9%	27%	16%	6%
	Not married	44%	12%	25%	12%	7%
Parents		41%	9%	26%	16%	7%
Interview Type	Landline	42%	11%	28%	13%	6%
	Cell phone	43%	10%	25%	14%	7%

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		National Latinos				
		If Congress is unable to come to agreement on an immigration bill before the end of its current term who do you think will be most to blame:				
		The Republicans in Congress	The Democrats in Congress	President Barack Obama	All Equally	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Latinos		46%	13%	22%	9%	10%
National Latino Registered Voters		46%	12%	24%	11%	6%
Latinos	Born in the U.S.	44%	12%	28%	11%	5%
	Born in another country	49%	15%	16%	6%	15%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	45%	13%	24%	7%	11%
	\$50,000 or more	51%	14%	19%	9%	7%
Age	Under 45	44%	13%	26%	8%	10%
	45 or older	53%	11%	16%	11%	9%
Age	Under 35	44%	15%	25%	7%	8%
	35 or older	49%	10%	20%	10%	11%
Gender	Men	44%	18%	18%	14%	6%
	Women	48%	9%	26%	5%	12%
Marital Status	Married	50%	6%	25%	8%	10%
	Not married	44%	16%	21%	9%	10%
Parents		42%	10%	29%	8%	12%
Interview Type	Landline	44%	13%	17%	14%	13%
	Cell phone	47%	13%	24%	7%	9%

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		National Adults			
		Thinking about the community where you live and work, do you think the local police treat minorities more harshly, less harshly, or just as they do anyone else?			
		Just as they do			Unsure
		More harshly	Less harshly	anyone else	
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		27%	4%	65%	5%
Race	Latino	35%	5%	54%	6%
	White	20%	3%	72%	5%
	African American	50%	6%	39%	5%
National Registered Voters		25%	3%	68%	4%
Party Identification	Democrat	39%	3%	52%	6%
	Republican	9%	4%	86%	1%
	Independent	23%	2%	69%	6%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Somewhat liberal	42%	2%	49%	8%
	Moderate	21%	1%	74%	3%
	Somewhat conservative-Very conservative	15%	6%	77%	3%
Region	Northeast	28%	4%	60%	8%
	Midwest	25%	4%	69%	2%
	South	24%	3%	67%	6%
	West	33%	3%	61%	3%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	27%	4%	65%	4%
	\$50,000 or more	28%	3%	65%	4%
Education	Not college graduate	27%	4%	65%	4%
	College graduate	27%	4%	64%	5%
Age	18 to 29	43%	3%	51%	2%
	30 to 44	27%	4%	64%	5%
	45 to 59	24%	4%	65%	7%
	60 or older	15%	3%	78%	4%
Age	Under 45	35%	4%	57%	3%
	45 or older	20%	3%	72%	5%
Gender	Men	24%	4%	67%	4%
	Women	29%	3%	62%	5%
Marital Status	Married	22%	3%	70%	5%
	Not married	32%	4%	61%	4%
Parents		31%	3%	61%	5%
Interview Type	Landline	20%	3%	71%	6%
	Cell phone	31%	4%	61%	4%

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		National Latinos			
		Thinking about the community where you live and work, do you think the local police treat minorities more harshly, less harshly, or just as they do anyone else?			
		More harshly	Less harshly	Just as they do anyone else	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Latinos		35%	5%	54%	6%
National Latino Registered Voters		35%	5%	55%	5%
Latinos	Born in the U.S.	37%	5%	55%	2%
	Born in another country	32%	6%	53%	9%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	36%	6%	54%	4%
	\$50,000 or more	34%	4%	58%	4%
Age	Under 45	39%	4%	53%	4%
	45 or older	28%	5%	58%	9%
Age	Under 35	39%	4%	53%	5%
	35 or older	33%	5%	55%	6%
Gender	Men	33%	6%	58%	3%
	Women	37%	5%	52%	7%
Marital Status	Married	31%	5%	57%	7%
	Not married	36%	5%	53%	5%
Parents		36%	5%	57%	2%
Interview Type	Landline	28%	3%	60%	9%
	Cell phone	37%	6%	52%	5%

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		National Adults			
		Thinking about Pope Francis and his actions as pope, would you say that he has given you a more favorable or less favorable opinion of the Catholic Church or have his actions made no difference in your opinion one way or the other? If you don't know enough to say either way, please just tell me.			
		More favorable	Less favorable	No difference	Don't know enough to say
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		37%	6%	29%	29%
Race	Latino	32%	7%	32%	28%
	White	40%	4%	28%	28%
	African American	27%	9%	29%	34%
National Registered Voters		39%	6%	29%	26%
Party Identification	Democrat	49%	5%	23%	23%
	Republican	30%	7%	34%	29%
	Independent	40%	5%	29%	26%
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Somewhat liberal	54%	4%	25%	17%
	Moderate	40%	4%	29%	27%
	Somewhat conservative-Very conservative	29%	9%	31%	31%
Region	Northeast	45%	5%	28%	23%
	Midwest	36%	5%	27%	32%
	South	35%	7%	26%	33%
	West	35%	5%	36%	24%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	29%	7%	30%	35%
	\$50,000 or more	46%	4%	28%	22%
Education	Not college graduate	29%	6%	30%	34%
	College graduate	50%	4%	26%	19%
Age	18 to 29	24%	5%	34%	37%
	30 to 44	41%	4%	29%	27%
	45 to 59	39%	7%	27%	28%
	60 or older	42%	6%	26%	25%
Age	Under 45	32%	5%	31%	32%
	45 or older	41%	6%	26%	26%
Gender	Men	33%	5%	30%	31%
	Women	40%	6%	28%	27%
Marital Status	Married	40%	5%	29%	26%
	Not married	34%	6%	28%	31%
Parents		35%	5%	30%	30%
Interview Type	Landline	38%	6%	29%	27%
	Cell phone	36%	5%	29%	30%

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		National Latinos			
		Thinking about Pope Francis and his actions as pope, would you say that he has given you a more favorable or less favorable opinion of the Catholic Church or have his actions made no difference in your opinion one way or the other? If you don't know enough to say either way, please just tell me.			
		More favorable	Less favorable	No difference	Don't know enough to say
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Latinos		32%	7%	32%	28%
National Latino Registered Voters		35%	6%	38%	21%
Latinos	Born in the U.S.	29%	9%	39%	23%
	Born in another country	36%	6%	25%	34%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	30%	9%	29%	33%
	\$50,000 or more	36%	7%	43%	14%
Age	Under 45	28%	8%	35%	29%
	45 or older	39%	6%	28%	27%
Age	Under 35	24%	8%	38%	29%
	35 or older	38%	7%	28%	27%
Gender	Men	32%	8%	34%	25%
	Women	33%	7%	31%	30%
Marital Status	Married	38%	5%	30%	27%
	Not married	29%	9%	34%	28%
Parents		28%	11%	29%	31%
Interview Type	Landline	39%	9%	24%	28%
	Cell phone	30%	7%	35%	28%

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		National Adults								
		Which one of the following is your favorite professional sport to watch or follow:								
		Football	Baseball	Basketball	Soccer	Hockey	None	Other	Unsure	
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Adults		42%	15%	14%	11%	5%	4%	3%	5%	
Race	Latino	31%	15%	14%	28%	2%	2%	3%	5%	
	White	45%	17%	10%	7%	7%	5%	4%	6%	
	African American	45%	6%	31%	11%	1%	1%	2%	2%	
National Registered Voters		44%	15%	14%	8%	6%	4%	4%	6%	
Party Identification	Democrat	41%	15%	21%	8%	4%	3%	3%	4%	
	Republican	49%	16%	10%	5%	7%	2%	5%	5%	
	Independent	44%	15%	11%	9%	7%	5%	3%	6%	
Political Ideology	Very liberal-Somewhat liberal	33%	18%	18%	12%	6%	5%	3%	5%	
	Moderate	50%	12%	15%	7%	5%	3%	3%	5%	
	Somewhat conservative-Very conservative	49%	16%	10%	6%	6%	3%	4%	5%	
Region	Northeast	30%	22%	12%	13%	10%	3%	4%	6%	
	Midwest	44%	11%	14%	9%	8%	6%	3%	4%	
	South	48%	13%	15%	10%	3%	3%	4%	5%	
	West	40%	15%	14%	14%	3%	4%	3%	7%	
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	40%	15%	14%	13%	4%	4%	5%	6%	
	\$50,000 or more	47%	14%	12%	10%	8%	3%	1%	4%	
Education	Not college graduate	43%	14%	14%	12%	5%	4%	4%	5%	
	College graduate	41%	15%	13%	10%	7%	4%	3%	6%	
Age	18 to 29	38%	9%	15%	18%	10%	4%	2%	3%	
	30 to 44	46%	10%	14%	14%	6%	2%	4%	5%	
	45 to 59	45%	18%	12%	8%	3%	4%	3%	6%	
	60 or older	40%	21%	14%	5%	2%	6%	5%	7%	
Age	Under 45	42%	9%	15%	16%	8%	3%	3%	4%	
	45 or older	43%	20%	13%	6%	3%	5%	4%	7%	
Gender	Men	44%	13%	11%	12%	7%	4%	4%	5%	
	Women	40%	16%	16%	11%	4%	4%	3%	6%	
Marital Status	Married	45%	17%	13%	10%	4%	3%	2%	6%	
	Not married	39%	13%	15%	12%	7%	5%	4%	5%	
Parents		45%	13%	11%	16%	5%	3%	2%	6%	
Interview Type	Landline	41%	18%	15%	8%	4%	6%	3%	6%	
	Cell phone	43%	13%	13%	13%	6%	3%	4%	5%	

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		National Latinos							
		Which one of the following is your favorite professional sport to watch or follow:							
		Football	Baseball	Basketball	Soccer	Hockey	None	Other	Unsure
		Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %	Row %
National Latinos		31%	15%	14%	28%	2%	2%	3%	5%
National Latino Registered Voters		41%	16%	14%	16%	3%	3%	4%	4%
Latinos	Born in the U.S.	45%	14%	14%	16%	5%	2%	2%	2%
	Born in another country	15%	17%	13%	42%	0%	2%	4%	8%
Household Income	Less than \$50,000	27%	16%	14%	32%	2%	2%	4%	3%
	\$50,000 or more	45%	14%	12%	17%	4%	1%	1%	6%
Age	Under 45	29%	12%	17%	33%	3%	2%	2%	3%
	45 or older	36%	24%	6%	18%	1%	1%	6%	9%
Age	Under 35	34%	12%	13%	33%	2%	2%	3%	1%
	35 or older	28%	19%	14%	24%	2%	1%	3%	8%
Gender	Men	33%	14%	10%	30%	3%	2%	2%	4%
	Women	29%	16%	16%	27%	2%	2%	3%	5%
Marital Status	Married	33%	19%	9%	29%	2%	1%	1%	6%
	Not married	30%	14%	16%	28%	3%	2%	4%	4%
Parents		26%	16%	15%	35%	2%	2%	2%	3%
Interview Type	Landline	34%	17%	14%	25%	2%	2%	4%	2%
	Cell phone	30%	15%	14%	29%	3%	2%	3%	5%

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