# PEW RESEARCH CENTER SUMMER 2017 POLITICAL LANDSCAPE RE-INTERVIEW SURVEY FINAL TOPLINE August 15-21, 2017 N=1,893

## QUESTIONS 1, 4, 9-13, 17 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

NO QUESTIONS 2-3, 5-8, 14-16

#### **ASK ALL:**

CB.18 How big a problem is racism in our society today? Is it a big problem, somewhat of a problem, a small problem, or not a problem at all?

	Big	Somewhat of	Small	Not a	(VOL.)
	<u>problem</u>	<u>a problem</u>	<u>problem</u>	<u>problem</u>	DK/Ref
Aug 15-21, 2017	58	29	9	3	1
Kaiser/CNN: Aug 25-Oct 3, 2015	49	33	9	7	2
Jul 14-20, 2015	50	33	11	4	2
Kaiser/WaPo: Oct 6-Nov 2, 2011 <sup>1</sup>	28	48	16	8	1
ABC/WaPo: Apr 22-25, 2010	33	42	19	5	1
ABC/WaPo: Jan 13-16, 2009	26	48	22	4	*
Kaiser/Harvard/WaPo: Early July, 1996	54	35	8	3	1
Kaiser/Harvard/WaPo: Mid July, 1996	53	35	8	3	2
Kaiser/Harvard/WaPo: October, 1995	48	36	9	6	1
Kaiser/Harvard/WaPo: September, 199	5 41	42	12	4	1

NO QUESTIONS 19-25, 27-35, 39-40, 45-49, 52-59, 62-70, 72-79

QUESTIONS 36-38, 44, 60-61 PREVIOUSLY RELEASED

QUESTIONS 26, 41-43, 50-51, 71, 80-81 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE

#### **ASK ALL:**

CB.82 From what you've read and heard, do you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose the Black Lives Matter movement?

		(SDT)
Aug 15-21		Feb 29-May 3
2017		2016 <sup>2</sup>
27	Strongly support	25
28	Somewhat support	35
13	Somewhat oppose	13
21	Strongly oppose	18
4	Neither support nor oppose (VOL.)	) 6
7	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	4

# **NO QUESTIONS 83-90**

#### **QUESTIONS 91-93 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE**

## Key to Pew Research trends noted in the topline:

(SDT) Pew Research Social and Demographic Trends

In November 2011 and September 1995 the question was asked following a series of items on race and racial attitudes. In both July 1996 polls the question was asked in a list with other potential societal problems (E.g., violence, poverty, drug abuse, etc.). These surveys are shown in grayscale because the context of this question is different.

In 2016, this question was asked only of those who had heard a lot/a little about the Black Lives Matter movement.