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-- FINAL TOPLINE --

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Note: Q.7, 27-34 should be cited as a *USA Today*/Gallup poll.

Results are based on telephone interviews conducted August 11-14, 2011 with a random sample of –1,008—adults, aged 18+, living in all 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia.

For results based on the total sample of national adults, one can say with 95% confidence that the margin of error is ± 4 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –495—national adults in Form A and –513—national adults in Form B, the maximum margins of sampling error are ± 6 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –886—registered voters, the maximum margin of sampling error is ± 4 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –489—adults employed full- or part-time, the maximum margin of sampling error is ± 6 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –221—parents with children in Kindergarten through Grade 12, the maximum margin of sampling error is ± 8 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –485—men, the maximum margin of sampling error is ± 6 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –523—women, the maximum margin of sampling error is ± 6 percentage points.

Interviews are conducted with respondents on landline telephones and cellular phones, with interviews conducted in Spanish for respondents who are primarily Spanish-speaking. Each sample includes a minimum quota of 400 cell phone respondents and 600 landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas among landline respondents by region. Landline numbers are chosen at random among listed telephone numbers, cell phone numbers are selected using random-digit dial methods. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member had the most recent birthday.

Samples are weighted by gender, age, race, Hispanic ethnicity, education, region, adults in the household, and phone status (cell phone only/landline only/both, having an unlisted landline number, and being cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2010 Current Population Survey figures for the age 18+ non-institutionalized population living in U.S. telephone households. All reported margins of sampling error include the computed design effects for weighting and sample design.

In addition to sampling error, question wording and practical difficulties in conducting surveys can introduce error or bias into the findings of public opinion polls.

31. As a result of the September 11th, 2001, terrorist attacks, do you think Americans have permanently changed the way they live, or not?

BASED ON --495-- NATIONAL ADULTS IN FORM A

| | <u>Yes, changed</u> | <u>No, have not</u> | <u>No opinion</u> |
|------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| 2011 Aug 11-14 ^ | 58 | 41 | 1 |
| 2007 Sep 7-8 ^ | 50 | 49 | 2 |
| 2006 Aug 18-20 ^ | 53 | 46 | 1 |
| 2004 Sep 3-5 ^ | 52 | 46 | 2 |
| 2002 Sep 2-4 ^ | 54 | 45 | 1 |
| 2002 Mar 8-9 ^ | 55 | 44 | 1 |
| 2001 Sep 11 † | 49 | 45 | 6 |

^ Asked of a half sample

† WORDING: As a result of today's attacks, do you think Americans will permanently change the way they live, or not?

32. As a result of the September 11th, 2001, terrorist attacks, have you permanently changed the way you live, or not?

BASED ON --513-- NATIONAL ADULTS IN FORM B

| | <u>Yes, changed</u> | <u>No, have not</u> | <u>No opinion</u> |
|------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| 2011 Aug 11-14 ^ | 28 | 72 | * |
| 2007 Sep 7-8 ^ | 29 | 71 | * |
| 2006 Aug 18-20 ^ | 22 | 78 | -- |
| 2004 Sep 3-5 ^ | 23 | 77 | * |
| 2002 Sep 2-4 ^ | 18 | 82 | * |
| 2002 Mar 8-9 ^ | 25 | 75 | -- |

^ Asked of a half sample.

33. Which comes closer to your view -- [ROTATED: the government should take all steps necessary to prevent additional acts of terrorism in the U.S. even if it means your basic civil liberties would be violated, (or) the government should take steps to prevent additional acts of terrorism but not if those steps would violate your basic civil liberties]?

| | <u>Take steps, even if civil liberties violated</u> | <u>Take steps but not violate civil liberties</u> | <u>No opinion</u> |
|------------------|---|---|-----------------------|
| 2011 Aug 11-14 | 25 | 71 | 4 |
| 2005 Dec 16-18 ^ | 31 | 65 | 4 |
| 2003 Nov 10-12 ^ | 31 | 64 | 5 |
| 2003 Aug 25-26 ^ | 29 | 67 | 4 |
| 2003 Apr 22-23 | 33 | 64 | 3 |
| 2002 Sep 2-4 ^ | 33 | 62 | 5 |
| 2002 Jun 21-23 | 40 | 56 | 4 |
| 2002 Jan 25-27 | 47 | 49 | 4 |

^ Asked of a half sample.

USA TODAY/GALLUP POLL
FEDERAL DEBT LIMIT REACTION

-- FINAL TOPLINE --

Timberline: 927933
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Note: Q.13-16 should be referred to as a Gallup poll.

Results are based on telephone interviews conducted July 15-17, 2011 with a random sample of –1,016—adults, aged 18+, living in all 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia.

For results based on the total sample of national adults, one can say with 95% confidence that the margin of error is ± 4 percentage points.

Interviews are conducted with respondents on landline telephones and cellular phones, with interviews conducted in Spanish for respondents who are primarily Spanish-speaking. Each sample includes a minimum quota of 400 cell phone respondents and 600 landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas among landline respondents for gender within region. Landline numbers are chosen at random among listed telephone numbers, cell phone numbers are selected using random-digit dial methods. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member had the most recent birthday.

Samples are weighted by gender, age, race, Hispanic ethnicity, education, region, adults in the household, and phone status (cell phone only/landline only/both, having an unlisted landline number, and being cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2010 Current Population Survey figures for the age 18+ non-institutionalized population living in U.S. telephone households. All reported margins of sampling error include the computed design effects for weighting and sample design.

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12. As a result of the events that occurred on September 11th, would you say that now you are less willing to -- [RANDOM ORDER], or not?

2011 Jul 15-17
(sorted by "less willing")

| | Yes, less willing | No, not |
|---|-------------------|---------|
| Travel overseas | 38 | 57 |
| Attend events where there are thousands of people | 27 | 68 |
| Fly on airplanes | 24 | 72 |
| Go into skyscrapers | 20 | 75 |

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FULL TRENDS:**A. Fly on airplanes**

| | <u>Less willing</u> | <u>No, not</u> | More willing (vol.) | No <u>opinion</u> |
|------------------|---------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| 2011 Jul 15-17 | 24 | 72 | 1 | 3 |
| 2006 Aug 18-20 | 30 | 67 | 1 | 2 |
| 2002 Sep 2-4 | 33 | 65 | 1 | 1 |
| 2002 May 28-29 | 27 | 69 | 1 | 3 |
| 2002 Mar 8-9 | 33 | 64 | 1 | 2 |
| 2001 Sep 14-15 ^ | 43 | 56 | * | 1 |

B. Go into skyscrapers

| | <u>Less willing</u> | <u>No, not</u> | More willing (vol.) | No <u>opinion</u> |
|------------------|---------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| 2011 Jul 15-17 | 20 | 75 | 2 | 3 |
| 2006 Aug 18-20 | 22 | 72 | 2 | 4 |
| 2002 Sep 2-4 | 30 | 67 | 1 | 2 |
| 2002 May 28-29 | 27 | 68 | 1 | 4 |
| 2002 Mar 8-9 | 27 | 70 | 1 | 2 |
| 2001 Sep 14-15 ^ | 35 | 63 | * | 2 |

C. Attend events where there are thousands of people

| | <u>Less willing</u> | <u>No, not</u> | More willing (vol.) | No <u>opinion</u> |
|------------------|---------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| 2011 Jul 15-17 | 27 | 68 | 2 | 2 |
| 2006 Aug 18-20 | 23 | 72 | 2 | 3 |
| 2002 Sep 2-4 | 29 | 70 | * | 1 |
| 2002 Mar 8-9 | 32 | 66 | 1 | 1 |
| 2001 Sep 14-15 ^ | 30 | 69 | * | 1 |

D. Travel overseas

| | <u>Less willing</u> | <u>No, not</u> | More willing (vol.) | No <u>opinion</u> |
|------------------|---------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| 2011 Jul 15-17 | 38 | 57 | 2 | 4 |
| 2006 Aug 18-20 | 47 | 50 | 1 | 3 |
| 2002 Sep 2-4 | 47 | 50 | * | 3 |
| 2002 May 28-29 | 43 | 52 | 1 | 4 |
| 2002 Mar 8-9 | 45 | 52 | 1 | 2 |
| 2001 Sep 14-15 ^ | 48 | 48 | 1 | 3 |

^ SEP. 14-15, 2001 WORDING: As a result of Tuesday's events, would you say that now you are less willing to [RANDOM ORDER], or not?

