

## GALLUP NEWS SERVICE

### TRUMP ADMINISTRATION PROMISES

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Results are based on telephone interviews with a random sample of – 1,005 -- national adults, aged 18+, living in all 50 states and the District of Columbia, conducted Jan. 9-10, 2017.

Each respondent rated 10 of 13 items, selected at random. Each item was rated by between 747 and 814 respondents. The margin of error for each item's sample of national adults is  $\pm 4$  percentage points at the 95% confidence level.

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 of national adults includes a minimum quota of 70% cell phone respondents and 30% landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas by time zone within region. Landline and cell phone numbers are selected using random digit dial methods. Gallup obtained this sample from Survey Sampling International. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member has the next birthday.

Samples are weighted to correct for unequal selection probability, non-response, and double coverage of landline and cell users in the two sampling frames. They are also weighted to match the national demographics of gender, age, race, Hispanic ethnicity, education, region, population density, and phone status (cell phone-only/landline only/both, cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2016 Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the January-June 2016 National Health Interview Survey. Population density targets are based on the 2010 census. All reported margins of sampling error include the computed design effects for weighting.

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. For questions about how this survey was conducted, please contact [galluphelp@gallup.com](mailto:galluphelp@gallup.com).

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1. How important is it to you, personally, that Donald Trump keep each of the following promises he has made - very important, somewhat important, not that important or not important at all? How about Trump's promise to – [RANDOM ORDER]?

<b><i>2017 Jan 9-10</i></b> <b><i>(sorted by "very important")</i></b>	Very important	Somewhat important	Total important
Enact a major spending program to strengthen the nation's infrastructure of bridges, roads and schools	69	24	93
Reduce income taxes for all Americans	54	27	81
Establish tariffs to discourage companies from relocating U.S. operations to other countries	51	26	77
Deport the more than two million illegal immigrants who have committed crimes in the U.S.	51	23	74
Repeal and replace the Affordable Care Act, also known as Obama-care	46	15	61
Eliminate the freeze on defense spending and expand military investment	43	27	70
Lift restrictions on the production of shale, oil, natural gas and clean coal	41	28	69
Renegotiate NAFTA, the North American Free Trade Agreement, or withdraw from the agreement	40	30	70
Freeze hiring of all federal employees to reduce the size of the federal government workforce	34	30	64
Cancel billions in payments to the United Nations climate change program	30	24	54
Withdraw from the Trans Pacific Partnership trade deal	26	31	57
Build a wall along the U.S. border with Mexico	25	18	43
Require that for every new federal regulation, two existing regulations must be eliminated	23	32	55

**FULL RESULTS:**

**A. Freeze hiring of all federal employees to reduce the size of the federal government workforce**

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not that important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan 9-10	34	30	15	16	4

**B. Enact a major spending program to strengthen the nation's infrastructure of bridges, roads and schools**

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not that important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan 9-10	69	24	4	3	1

**For comparison (*Barack Obama*):**

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not that important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2009 Jan 9-11	60	29	6	4	2

## Q.1 (IMPORTANCE OF TRUMP PROMISES) CONTINUED

### C. Require that for every new federal regulation, two existing regulations must be eliminated

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not that important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan 9-10	23	32	18	20	8

### D. Renegotiate NAFTA, the North American Free Trade Agreement, or withdraw from the agreement

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not that important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan 9-10	40	30	9	13	7

### E. Withdraw from the Trans Pacific Partnership trade deal

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not that important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan 9-10	26	31	17	15	11

### F. Lift restrictions on the production of shale, oil, natural gas and clean coal

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not that important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan 9-10	41	28	12	15	4

### G. Cancel billions in payments to the United Nations climate change program

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not that important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan 9-10	30	24	16	24	7

### H. Deport the more than two million illegal immigrants who have committed crimes in the U.S.

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not that important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan 9-10	51	23	10	14	2

### I. Reduce income taxes for all Americans

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not that important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan 9-10	54	27	9	8	2

**Q.1 (IMPORTANCE OF TRUMP PROMISES) CONTINUED**

**J. Repeal and replace the Affordable Care Act, also known as Obama-care**

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not that important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan 9-10	46	15	12	24	2

**K. Build a wall along the U.S. border with Mexico**

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not that important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan 9-10	25	18	16	39	2

**L. Eliminate the freeze on defense spending and expand military investment**

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not that important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan 9-10	43	27	12	15	4

**M. Establish tariffs to discourage companies from relocating U.S. operations to other countries**

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not that important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Jan 9-10	51	26	10	9	4

**For comparison (*Barack Obama*)**

*How important is it to you, personally, that Barack Obama keep the promise he has made to – [RANDOM ORDER] – very important, somewhat important, not that important or not important at all?*

**2009 Jan 9-11**

**(sorted by “very important”)**

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Total important</u>
Ensure all children have health insurance coverage	73	16	89
Double the production of alternative energy	70	21	91
Reduce health care costs for the typical American family by up to \$2,500 per year	70	19	89
Enact a major spending program to strengthen the nation's infrastructure of bridges, roads and schools	60	29	89
Cut federal income taxes for 95% of working families	57	26	83
Withdraw most U.S. combat troops from Iraq within 16 months	51	23	74
Increase U.S. military strength in Afghanistan by at least 2 brigades	43	38	81
Lift restrictions on government funding of embryonic stem-cell research	42	27	69
Close the U.S. prison for terrorist suspects at Guantanamo	32	24	56
Make it easier for labor unions to organize	28	31	59