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Covid-19?

How serious a threat do you think the coronavirus is to you and your family?

	BOSTON	NE	SE	WORCESTER	WEST	STATE
Very serious	41%	38%	49%	32%	44%	42%
Somewhat serious	35%	35%	33%	43%	37%	36%
Not very serious	16%	18%	12%	13%	16%	14%
Not serious at all	5%	4%	5%	7%	3%	5%
NS/DK	4%	6%	2%	5%	0%	3%

Are you taking precautions to protect you and your family? From Covid-19?

	BOSTON	NE	SE	WORCESTER	WEST	STATE
Yes	94%	89%	93%	88%	92%	91%
No	5%	5%	6%	9%	7%	6%
NS/DK	1%	7%	1%	3%	1%	2%

Government Ratings?

How would you rate the state's response?

	BOSTON	NE	SE	WORCESTER	WEST	STATE
Excellent	14%	13%	26%	19%	25%	19%
Good	50%	52%	48%	59%	51%	51%
Not so good	18%	17%	16%	9%	13%	15%
Poor	10%	11%	9%	5%	6%	9%
NS/DK	8%	8%	2%	10%	5%	6%

How would you rate the federal government's response?

	BOSTON	NE	SE	WORCESTER	WEST	STATE
Excellent	14%	19%	19%	14%	20%	17%
Good	15%	20%	20%	34%	23%	21%
Not so good	19%	27%	19%	21%	22%	21%
Poor	48%	31%	41%	30%	35%	38%
NS/DK	4%	3%	1%	1%	0%	2%

Personal Economic Effect?

How concerned are you about the personal economic effects of the coronavirus?

	BOSTON	NE	SE	WORCESTER	WEST	STATE
Very concerned	54%	50%	56%	49%	54%	53%
Somewhat concerned	32%	43%	33%	37%	40%	36%
Somewhat unconcerned	8%	4%	7%	12%	3%	7%
Very unconcerned	4%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%
NS/DK	2%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%

Auto Tracking Device?

Auto Insurance Companies may offer lower premiums to drivers that install a tracking device to record their driving habits. How likely are you to use this option?

	BOSTON	NE	SE	WORCESTER	WEST	STATE
Very likely	9%	8%	16%	15%	12%	12%
Somewhat likely	11%	12%	16%	16%	13%	14%
Somewhat unlikely	19%	20%	18%	20%	22%	19%
Very unlikely	51%	54%	44%	39%	48%	47%
NS/DK	10%	6%	6%	10%	5%	7%

Gas Tax?

The House passed a 5 cent a gallon gas tax for maintaining roads, bridges and funding public transportation. How strongly do you support this

	BOSTON	NE	SE	WORCESTER	WEST	STATE
Strongly supportive	44%	25%	35%	17%	38%	32%
Somewhat supportive	13%	24%	19%	22%	26%	20%
Somewhat unsupportive	8%	10%	11%	8%	4%	9%
Very unsupportive	25%	37%	31%	46%	30%	33%
NS/DK	10%	4%	4%	8%	1%	6%

Immigration?

What statement is closer to your own view about immigration policy?

	BOSTON	NE	SE	WORCESTER	WEST	STATE
Reduce LEGAL & ILLEGAL	8%	13%	12%	12%	10%	12%
Reduce ILLEGAL not LEGAL	67%	64%	66%	66%	62%	65%
NS/DK	25%	22%	22%	22%	28%	23%