



## Illinois Survey Results

**Q1** Do you approve or disapprove of Senator Mark Kirk's job performance?

*Approve* ..... 28%  
*Disapprove*..... 32%  
*Not sure* ..... 39%

**Q2** Last week the Senate voted on whether to reinstate or continue cutting off federal unemployment benefits for workers whose state unemployment benefits have ended but cannot find a job. Do you think that Congress should reinstate or continue cutting off federal unemployment benefits at this time?

*Strongly feel Congress should reinstate benefits*..... 49%  
*Somewhat think Congress should reinstate benefits*..... 14%  
*Strongly feel Congress should continue cutting off benefits*..... 24%  
*Somewhat think Congress should continue cutting off benefits*..... 7%  
*Not sure* ..... 5%

**Q3** Last week Senator Kirk cast one of the deciding votes against reinstating unemployment benefits to 1.8 million Americans who are out of work. Does Senator Kirk's vote against reinstating unemployment benefits make you more or less likely to support him in the next election, or does it not make a difference either way?

*More likely*..... 31%  
*Less likely* ..... 40%  
*No difference* ..... 24%  
*Not sure* ..... 5%

**Q4** If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

*Woman* ..... 53%  
*Man*..... 47%

**Q5** If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If you are an independent or identify with another party, press 3.

*Democrat*..... 38%  
*Republican*..... 26%  
*Independent/Other*..... 36%

**Q6** If you are Hispanic, press 1. If white, press 2. If African-American, press 3. If other, press 4.

*Hispanic*..... 10%  
*White* ..... 69%  
*African-American* ..... 14%  
*Other*..... 7%

**Q7** If you are 18 to 45 years old, press 1. If 46 to 65, press 2. If you are older than 65, press 3.

*18 to 45*..... 35%  
*46 to 65*..... 41%  
*Older than 65*..... 24%





	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Kirk Approval</b>			
<b>Approve</b>	28%	24%	33%
<b>Disapprove</b>	32%	28%	37%
<b>Not sure</b>	39%	48%	30%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Should Congress reinstate benefits?</b>			
<b>Strongly feel Congress should reinstate benefits</b>	49%	50%	48%
<b>Somewhat think Congress should reinstate benefits</b>	14%	13%	15%
<b>Strongly feel Congress should continue cutting off benefits</b>	24%	20%	28%
<b>Somewhat think Congress should continue cutting off benefits</b>	7%	9%	6%
<b>Not sure</b>	5%	8%	3%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Vote against benefits - change Kirk support?</b>			
<b>More likely</b>	31%	29%	33%
<b>Less likely</b>	40%	45%	35%
<b>No difference</b>	24%	18%	31%
<b>Not sure</b>	5%	8%	2%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Kirk Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	28%	22%	39%	28%
<b>Disapprove</b>	32%	34%	25%	35%
<b>Not sure</b>	39%	44%	36%	37%





	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Should Congress reinstate benefits?</b>				
<b>Strongly feel Congress should reinstate benefits</b>	49%	71%	29%	42%
<b>Somewhat think Congress should reinstate benefits</b>	14%	12%	15%	16%
<b>Strongly feel Congress should continue cutting off benefits</b>	24%	10%	38%	27%
<b>Somewhat think Congress should continue cutting off benefits</b>	7%	2%	13%	9%
<b>Not sure</b>	5%	5%	5%	6%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Vote against benefits - change Kirk support?</b>				
<b>More likely</b>	31%	15%	48%	35%
<b>Less likely</b>	40%	58%	18%	37%
<b>No difference</b>	24%	23%	26%	24%
<b>Not sure</b>	5%	5%	8%	4%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Kirk Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	28%	24%	30%	20%	35%
<b>Disapprove</b>	32%	42%	31%	35%	28%
<b>Not sure</b>	39%	34%	39%	45%	37%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Should Congress reinstate benefits?</b>					
<b>Strongly feel Congress should reinstate benefits</b>	49%	59%	46%	66%	39%
<b>Somewhat think Congress should reinstate benefits</b>	14%	14%	17%	6%	6%
<b>Strongly feel Congress should continue cutting off benefits</b>	24%	7%	27%	9%	43%
<b>Somewhat think Congress should continue cutting off benefits</b>	7%	6%	8%	7%	7%
<b>Not sure</b>	5%	14%	3%	11%	6%





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		Hispanic	White	African-American	Other
<b>Vote against benefits - change Kirk support?</b>					
<b>More likely</b>	31%	32%	31%	32%	27%
<b>Less likely</b>	40%	36%	42%	33%	37%
<b>No difference</b>	24%	25%	22%	29%	33%
<b>Not sure</b>	5%	7%	5%	6%	3%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Kirk Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	28%	26%	30%	29%
<b>Disapprove</b>	32%	31%	36%	28%
<b>Not sure</b>	39%	43%	34%	43%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Should Congress reinstate benefits?</b>				
<b>Strongly feel Congress should reinstate benefits</b>	49%	47%	49%	53%
<b>Somewhat think Congress should reinstate benefits</b>	14%	12%	14%	16%
<b>Strongly feel Congress should continue cutting off benefits</b>	24%	21%	26%	23%
<b>Somewhat think Congress should continue cutting off benefits</b>	7%	12%	7%	3%
<b>Not sure</b>	5%	7%	4%	6%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
<b>Vote against benefits - change Kirk support?</b>				
<b>More likely</b>	31%	33%	31%	27%
<b>Less likely</b>	40%	35%	44%	42%
<b>No difference</b>	24%	30%	20%	22%
<b>Not sure</b>	5%	3%	5%	9%

