## Checklist for AAPOR TI

**Survey:** California Poll

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<th>TI Disclosure Elements</th>
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| 1. Who sponsored the TI Research and who conducted it. If different from the sponsor, the original sources of funding will also be disclosed. | Emerson College  
Nexstar Media Group                                                                  |
| 2. The exact wording and presentation of questions and response options whose results are reported. This includes preceding interviewer or respondent instructions and any preceding questions that might reasonably be expected to influence responses to the reported results. | See Below                                                              |
| 3. A definition of the population under study and its geographic location.             | Registered Voters in New York City                                       |
| 4. Dates of data collection.                                                           | March 12-14, 2021                                                        |
| 5. A description of the sampling frame(s) and its coverage of the target population, including mention of any segment of the target population that is not covered by the design. This may include, for example, exclusion of Alaska and Hawaii in U.S. surveys; exclusion of specific provinces or rural areas in international surveys; and exclusion of non-panel members in panel surveys. If possible the estimated size of non-covered segments will be provided. If a size estimate cannot be provided, this will be explained. If no frame or list was utilized, this will be indicated. | Data was collected using a list of 25,000 mobile numbers provided by Aristotle Inc. with an online panel provided by Amazon MTurk. |
| 6. The name of the sample supplier, if the sampling frame and/or the sample itself was provided by a third party. | Aristotle, LLC  
Amazon MTurk                                                                 |
<p>| 7. The methods used to recruit the panel or participants, if the sample was drawn from a pre-recruited panel or pool of respondents. | Amazon MTurk uses opt in panels and not online ads to recruit participants |
| 8. A description of the sample design, giving a clear indication of the method by which the respondents were selected, recruited, intercepted or otherwise contacted or encountered, along with any eligibility requirements and/or oversampling. If quotas were used, the variables defining the quotas will be reported. If a within-household selection procedure was used, this will be described. The description of the sampling frame and sample design will include sufficient detail to determine whether the respondents were selected using probability or non-probability methods. | See #5                                                                  |
| 9. Method(s) and mode(s) used to administer the survey (e.g., CATI, CAPI, ACASI, IVR, mail survey, web survey) and the language(s) offered. | Online and SMS-to-web                                                    |</p>
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<td><strong>10.</strong> Sample sizes (by sampling frame if more than one was used) and a discussion of the precision of the findings. For probability samples, the estimates of sampling error will be reported, and the discussion will state whether or not the reported margins of sampling error or statistical analyses have been adjusted for the design effect due to weighting, clustering, or other factors. Disclosure requirements for non-probability samples are different because the precision of estimates from such samples is a model-based measure (rather than the average deviation from the population value over all possible samples). Reports of non-probability samples will only provide measures of precision if they are accompanied by a detailed description of how the underlying model was specified, its assumptions validated and the measure(s) calculated. To avoid confusion, it is best to avoid using the term “margin of error” or “margin of sampling error” in conjunction with non-probability samples.</td>
<td>The sample consisted of registered voters, n=1,045, with a Credibility Interval (CI) similar to a poll’s margin of error (MOE) of +/- 3% percentage points. A screening question was asked if the voter was registered. If the respondent said they were not registered, they were eliminated from the sample.</td>
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<td><strong>11.</strong> A description of how the weights were calculated, including the variables used and the sources of weighting parameters, if weighted estimates are reported.</td>
<td>The data was weighted by gender, age, education, party registration, race and region based on 2020 voter turnout modeling.</td>
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<td><strong>12.</strong> If the results reported are based on multiple samples or multiple modes, the preceding items will be disclosed for each. <strong>Reviewer:</strong> <em>Type NA if not applicable.</em></td>
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<td><strong>13.</strong> Contact for obtaining more information about the study.</td>
<td><a href="mailto:emersonpolling@emerson.edu">emersonpolling@emerson.edu</a></td>
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1. Generally speaking, would you say California is moving in the right direction or headed down the wrong track?
   Right direction
   Wrong track

2. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the job Joe Biden is doing as President?
   Approve
   Disapprove
   Unsure or no opinion

3. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Gavin Newsom is doing as Governor?
   Approve
   Disapprove
   Unsure or no opinion

4. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Gavin Newsom has done on managing the Covid-19 pandemic in California?
   Approve
   Disapprove
   Unsure or no opinion

5. There is currently an effort to recall Governor Newsom. Would you vote to recall, or to keep Governor Newsom?
   Vote to recall
   Vote to keep Governor Newsom
   Undecided
   I would not vote in this election (go to 8)

6. If a special recall election of Governor Newsom were held today, who would you vote for?
   Democrat Gavin Newsom
   Republican John Cox
   Republican Kevin Faulconer
   Undecided

7. If there is a recall election, would you be open to voting for another Democrat besides Governor Newsom?
   Yes
   No

8. Generally speaking, do you think holding the recall election of Governor Newsom is a good thing or a bad thing for California?
   Good thing
   Bad thing
   Unsure/no opinion

9. How interested would you say you are in this recall election?
   Extremely interested
10. How would you characterize the California recall election - a good example of the democratic process or a threat to democracy?
   Good example of the democratic process
   Threat to democracy

11. Regardless of the recall effort, would you vote to re-elect Governor Newsom in 2022, or do you think it is time for someone new?
   Re-elect Governor Newsom
   Time for someone new

12. What is the number one issue facing California today? (randomized)
   Jobs
   Homelessness
   Education
   Housing costs
   Healthcare
   Environment
   Corrupt politicians
   Covid-19
   Something else (please specify)

13. Is California on the right path for economic recovery?
   Yes
   No
   Unsure

14. What do you think of California's mask mandate?
   Doesn't go far enough
   Too restrictive
   About right

15. Are you planning on receiving the COVID-19 vaccine shot?
   Yes, as soon as it is available to me
   Yes, but not right away
   No, I do not plan to receive the Covid-19 vaccine shot
   I have already received the Covid-19 vaccine shot

16. How would you rate California’s Covid-19 vaccine roll-out and distribution?
   Excellent
   Good
   Fair
17. How informed are you about when you will be eligible to receive the Covid-19 vaccine?
   Very well informed
   Somewhat informed
   Not very informed
   Not at all informed

18. Would you eat indoors at a restaurant at this time?
   Yes
   No
   Unsure

19. Would you go to an outdoor sporting event at this time?
   Yes
   No
   Unsure

20. How closely are you following the news regarding the Royal Family and Prince Harry and Meghan Markle?
   Very closely
   Somewhat closely
   Not very closely
   Not closely at all

21. Who do you believe is a more trusted source, the Royal Family or Meghan and Harry?
   The Royal Family
   Meghan and Harry
   Unsure or no opinion

22. What is your party affiliation?
   Not registered to vote
   Democrat
   Republican
   Independent or other

23. Who did you vote for in the 2020 election?
   Joe Biden
   Donald Trump
   Someone else
   Did not vote

24. What is your gender?
   Male
   Female
25. For statistical purposes only, can you please tell me your ethnicity?
   Hispanic or Latino of any race
   White or Caucasian
   Black or African American
   Asian American or Pacific Islander
   Other or multiple races

26. What is your age range?
   18-29 years
   30-49 years
   50-64 years
   65 or more years

27. What is the highest level of education you have attained?
   High school or less
   Some college
   College graduate
   Postgrad or higher

28. Which congressional district do you live in?
   1st district: Rep. Doug LaMalfa (R)
   2nd district: Rep. Jared Huffman (D)
   3rd District: Rep. John Garamendi (D)
   4th District: Rep. Tom McClintock (R)
   5th District: Rep. Mike Thompson (D)
   6th District: Rep. Doris Matsui (D)
   7th District: Rep. Ami Bera (D)
   8th District: Rep. Jay Obernolte (R)
   9th District: Rep. Jerry McNerney (D)
   10th District: Rep. Josh Harder (D)
   11th District: Rep. Mark DeSaulnier (D)
   12th District: Rep. Nancy Pelosi (D)
   13th District: Rep. Barbara Lee (D)
   14th District: Rep. Jackie Speier (D)
   15th District: Rep. Eric Swalwell (D)
   16th District: Rep. Jim Costa (D)
   17th District: Rep. Ro Khanna (D)
   18th District: Rep. Anna Eshoo (D)
   19th District: Rep. Zoe Lofgren (D)
   20th District: Rep. Jimmy Panetta (D)
   21st District: Rep. David Valadao (R)
   22nd District: Rep. Devin Nunes (R)
   23rd District: Rep. Kevin McCarthy (R)
   24th District: Rep. Salud Carbajal (D)
   25th District: Rep. Mike Garcia (R)
   26th District: Rep. Julia Brownley (D)
27th District: Rep. Judy Chu (D)
28th District: Rep. Adam Schiff (D)
29th District: Rep. Tony Cárdenas (D)
30th District: Rep. Brad Sherman (D)
31st District: Rep. Pete Aguilar (D)
32nd District: Rep. Grace Napolitano (D)
33rd District: Rep. Ted Lieu (D)
34th District: Rep. Jimmy Gomez (D)
35th District: Rep. Norma Torres (D)
36th District: Rep. Raul Ruiz (D)
37th District: Rep. Karen Bass (D)
38th District: Rep. Linda Sánchez (D)
39th District: Rep. Young Kim (R)
40th District: Rep. Lucille Roybal-Allard (D)
41st District: Rep. Mark Takano (D)
42nd District: Rep. Ken Calvert (R)
43rd District: Rep. Maxine Waters (D)
44th District: Rep. Nanette Barragan (D)
45th District: Rep. Katie Porter (D)
46th District: Rep. Lou Correa (D)
47th District: Rep. Alan Lowenthal (D)
48th District: Rep. Michelle Steel (R)
49th District: Rep. Mike Levin (D)
50th District: Rep. Darrell Issa (R)
51st District: Rep. Juan Vargas (D)
52nd District: Rep. Scott Peters (D)
53rd District: Rep. Sara Jacobs (D)