

**The Pittsburgh Regional Environment Survey
Results by Geography
June 21, 2013**

NOTE:

Geography based on response to county question

* $p < .05$ and ** $p < .01$ for statistical tests of stratum differences

N=805 (unweighted)

Cell, Allegheny County 206

Landline, Allegheny County 195

Cell, MSA remainder 176

Landline, MSA remainder 228

SECTION: REGIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL PERSPECTIVES

REP1: How would you rate the overall quality of the environment in our region?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. Excellent	3.6	4.5	2.7
2. Very Good	23	19.1	26.9
3. Good	45	46.7	43.3
4. Fair	23.2	23.1	23.4
5. Poor	5.1	6.5	3.7

REP2: Would you say that overall environmental quality in our region is...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Improving significantly	10.1	7.5	12.7
2. Improving somewhat	41.2	33.1	49.5
3. Remaining the same	34.4	40.4	28.4
4. Getting somewhat worse	13.1	17.5	8.6
5. Getting significantly worse	1.1	1.5	0.8

REP3: In general, how knowledgeable do you feel you are about environmental issues such as air quality and water quality?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Extremely knowledgeable	9.2	11.2	7.2
2. Somewhat knowledgeable	72.4	67.2	77.5
3. Not knowledgeable	18.4	21.5	15.3

REP4: Thinking about the environmental movement, do you think of yourself as...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. An active participant in the environment movement	18.7	18.9	18.5
2. Sympathetic towards the movement, but not active	45.6	45.8	45.4
3. Neutral	30.5	27.0	34.1
4. Unsympathetic towards the environmental movement	5.2	8.3	2.0

SECTION: REGIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL PERSPECTIVES

REP5: Do you think environmental problems are something you personally can...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Do a lot about	21.3	22.8	19.9
2. Do a little about	69.2	68.6	69.7
3. Do nothing about	9.5	8.6	10.4

REP6: “Individual citizens should be responsible for solving environmental problems in Pennsylvania.”
Would you say you...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Strongly agree	31.6	34.6	28.7
2. Agree	54.8	53.2	56.4
3. Disagree	11.2	10.9	11.5
4. Strongly disagree	2.4	1.3	3.5

REP7: How much progress do you think has been made in dealing with environmental problems over the past twenty years? Would you say there has been...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. A great deal of progress	29.1	30.7	27.6
2. Only some progress	56.9	53.9	59.9
3. Hardly any progress at all	13.9	15.4	12.5

REP8: To what degree, if at all, do you believe that sprawl is a problem in Greater Pittsburgh?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. To a great degree	12.5	12.5	12.4
2. To some degree	48.7	51.4	46.0
3. Sprawl is not a problem	38.9	36.0	41.6

SECTION: REGIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL PERSPECTIVES

REP9: What is the primary source of electricity used in the Pittsburgh region?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Nuclear power	8.9	5.1	12.8
2. Hydroelectricity	7.1	7.4	6.8
3. Fossil fuels such as oil and coal	50.8	51.8	49.7
4. Natural gas	32.1	34.3	29.8
5. Wind and solar energy	1.1	1.4	0.9

SECTION: AIR QUALITY

AIR1: Would you say that air quality in your community is a...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Severe problem	5.4	7.7	3.2
2. Moderate problem	29.7	30.9	28.4
3. Minor problem	35.0	36.6	33.4
4. Not a problem at all	29.9	24.8	34.9

AIR2: Do you think that air quality regulations in the region are ...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Too stringent	8.4	8.0	8.9
2. About stringent enough	48.5	44.6	52.3
3. Not stringent enough	43.1	47.4	38.8

AIR3: In order to improve regional air quality, would you support increased government support for mass transportation?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. Yes	64.8	69.1	60.5
2. No	35.2	30.9	39.5

AIR4: In order to improve regional air quality, would you support greater emissions control of local factories and industry?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	71.7	74.8	68.6
2. No	28.3	25.2	31.4

SECTION: AIR QUALITY

AIR5: In order to improve regional air quality, would you support greater emissions control on coal-fired power plants?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Yes	69.2	74.2	64.2
2. No	30.8	25.8	35.8

AIR6: In order to improve regional air quality, would you support greater restrictions on wood burning?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Yes	42.3	47.1	37.5
2. No	57.7	52.9	62.5

SECTION: WATER QUALITY

WATER1: How about the quality of your drinking water? Would you say it's a...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Severe problem	12.7	13.4	12.0
2. Moderate problem	22.1	21.2	23.0
3. Minor problem	23.0	23.7	22.2
4. Not a problem at all	42.2	41.7	42.8

WATER2: How about pollution in streams and rivers? Would you say it is a...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Severe problem	27.0	28.8	25.3
2. Moderate problem	40.3	41.2	39.4
3. Minor problem	25.5	25.0	26.0
4. Not a problem at all	7.2	5.1	9.3

WATER3: To what extent is sewage run-off into rivers and streams a problem in your community? Would you say it's a...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Severe problem	13.8	18.6	9.2
2. Moderate problem	29.0	29.6	28.3
3. Minor problem	34.4	34.1	34.8
4. Not a problem at all	22.8	17.7	27.8

WATER4: In your opinion, does the state adequately monitor streams and creeks for possible contaminants?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	39.9	42.2	37.6
2. No	60.1	57.8	62.4

SECTION: WATER QUALITY

WATER5: What is the source of your household water?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Public	85.6	92.9	78.5
2. Private/Well	12.7	5.6	19.5
3. Other (please specify)	1.8	1.5	2.0

SECTION: BEHAVIOR & ACTIONS

BEH1: All in all, how good a job would you say you, personally, are doing in protecting the environment?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Excellent	13.0	15.8	10.2
2. Good	56.7	48.8	64.7
3. Only Fair	27.8	33.0	22.6
4. Poor	2.5	2.5	2.5

BEH2: During winter months, at what temperature do you set your thermostat, on average?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
	68.8	69.0	68.7

BEH3: During winter months, do you turn down your heat or set your thermostat at a lower temperature down during hours when you're asleep or not at home?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. Yes	62.7	66.3	59.2
2. No	37.3	33.7	40.8

BEH4: During summer months, at what temperature do you set your thermostat, on average?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
	71.9	71.7	72.1

BEH5: During summer months, do you turn down your air conditioning during hours when you're asleep or not at home?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	63.6	67.1	60.2
2. No	36.4	32.9	39.8

SECTION: BEHAVIOR & ACTIONS

BEH6: Do you have a thermostat that automatically reduces heating or air conditioning during certain times of the day?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Yes	34.4	39.6	29.5
2. No	65.6	60.4	70.5

BEH7: We realize you may not know your daily household water consumption exactly, but if you had to guess, what would you estimate it to be?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. 25 gallon per day or less	37.8	32.5	43.0
2. Between 26 and 50 gallons per day	40.5	45.4	35.5
3. Between 51 and 75 gallons per day	12.1	12.4	11.9
4. Between 76 and 100 gallons per day	7.1	7.5	6.6
5. More than 100 gallons per day	2.5	2.2	2.9

BEH8: Do you currently take steps to minimize your use of water, for example, taking shorter showers, not watering the lawn, etc.?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. Yes	73.7	70.2	77.2
2. No	26.3	29.8	22.8

BEH9: In the past 12 months have you reduced your number of car trips by walking, cycling, carpooling or using public transportation?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	41.8	42.7	40.9
2. No	58.2	57.3	59.1

SECTION: BEHAVIOR & ACTIONS

BEH10: In the past 12 months have you recycled electronic items such as computers, mobile phones, batteries, etc.?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	54.0	53.9	54.1
2. No	46.0	46.1	45.9

BEH11: Do you typically turn off lights and electronics in unoccupied rooms?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	95.0	95.5	94.6
2. No	5.0	4.5	5.4

BEH12: In the past 12 months have you purchased energy-saving light bulbs?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	80.8	80.6	81.0
2. No	19.2	19.4	19.0

BEH13: In the past 5 years have you upgraded to energy-saving appliances in the home?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	74.6	72.0	77.2
2. No	25.4	28.0	22.8

BEH14: Have you ever had a home energy audit conducted?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	10.3	10.9	9.6
2. No	89.7	89.1	90.4

SECTION: BEHAVIOR & ACTIONS

BEH15: In the past 5 years have you made your home more energy efficient by installing new windows, insulation, solar panels, etc.?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Yes	47.7	42.5	53.0
2. No	52.3	57.5	47.0

BEH16: Do you regularly recycle newspaper, glass, or plastic?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Yes	74.3	78.8	69.9
2. No	25.7	21.2	30.1

BEH17: How often do you go to recreational areas in the region, such as parks, trails and playgrounds?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. Never	12.2	11.2	13.1
2. 1-5 times a year	24.9	23.0	26.7
3. 6-10 times a year	16.3	13.8	18.8
4. 11-20 times a year	12.4	12.0	12.9
5. More than 20 times a year	34.2	40.0	28.5

BEH18: How frequently do you participate in recreational activities on regional streams, rivers and lakes?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Never	33.2	31.5	34.8
2. 1-5 times a year	30.2	33.8	26.7
3. 6-10 times a year	11.3	11.8	10.9
4. 11-20 times a year	10.4	9.5	11.4
5. More than 20 times a year	14.9	13.5	16.3

SECTION: BEHAVIOR & ACTIONS

BEH19: Do you have a hunting or fishing license?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. Yes	24.9	21.5	28.2
2. No	75.1	78.5	71.8

BEH20: Do you work outside of the home?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	60.9	64.1	57.8
2. No	39.1	35.9	42.2

BEH21: How do you usually get to work?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. Private car, truck or van	81.9	77.1	87.2
2. Public transit	6.9	12.0	1.3
3. Motorcycle	0.8	0.0	1.7
4. Bicycle or walking	7.3	8.1	6.4
5. Other (please specify)	3.0	2.7	3.4

BEH22: How long is your average 1-way commute to work in minutes?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
	24.9	26.1	23.6

SECTION: BEHAVIOR & ACTIONS

BEH23: *For workers:* How do you usually get around for non-work activities such as shopping, doctor’s appointments, etc.?

For non-workers: How do you usually get around for activities such as shopping, doctor’s appointments, etc.?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Private car, truck or van	81.9	84.8	93.3
2. Public transit	5.5	8.5	2.5
3. Motorcycle	0.5	0.0	1.0
4. Bicycle or walking	2.2	3.5	1.0
5. Other (please specify)	2.7	3.2	2.2

SECTION: POLICY

POL1: Do you feel that state government oversight of the environment should...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Increase significantly	21.1	22.7	19.6
2. Increase somewhat	45.1	45.2	45.0
3. Remain the same	19.4	18.9	19.8
4. Decrease somewhat	10.2	9.2	11.2
5. Decrease	4.2	4.1	4.3

POL2: “Government should be responsible for solving environmental problems in Pennsylvania.”
Would you say you...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Strongly agree	30.9	35.4	26.4
2. Agree	47.2	44.0	50.4
3. Disagree	12.9	11.8	14.0
4. Strongly disagree	9.0	8.8	9.2

POL3: Do you believe that environmental regulations...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Weaken the economy by decreasing jobs and industry	28.3	22.8	34.0
2. Strengthen the economy by increasing jobs and industry	31.4	35.2	27.5
3. Have minimal effect on the economy, jobs and industry	40.3	42.1	38.5

POL4: Do you believe that increased environmental regulations would threaten your job?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	17.1	17.2	17.1
2. No	82.9	82.8	82.9

SECTION: POLICY

POL5: Do you generally favor or oppose more strongly enforcing federal environmental regulations?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Favor	69.7	74.2	65.3
2. Oppose	30.3	25.8	34.7

POL6: Do you generally favor or oppose setting higher auto emissions standards for automobiles?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Favor	61.7	65.0	58.4
2. Oppose	38.3	35.0	41.6

POL7: Do you generally favor or oppose imposing mandatory controls on carbon dioxide emissions and other greenhouse gases?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. Favor	73.1	76.4	69.8
2. Oppose	26.9	23.6	30.2

POL8: Do you generally favor or oppose Spending more government money on developing solar and wind power?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. Favor	69.9	73.6	66.2
2. Oppose	30.1	26.4	33.8

POL9: Do you generally favor or oppose setting higher fuel efficiency standards for automobiles?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Favor	81.6	79.0	84.2
2. Oppose	18.4	21.0	15.8

SECTION: POLICY

POL10: Do you generally favor or oppose providing tax deductions to Americans who spend money to increase the energy efficiency of their homes?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Favor	84.7	82.5	86.9
2. Oppose	15.3	17.5	13.1

POL11: Do you generally favor or oppose providing tax deductions to Americans who place their land into conservation programs?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Favor	77.1	78.3	76.0
2. Oppose	22.9	21.7	24.0

POL12: With which one of these statements about the environment and energy production do you most agree – Protection of the environment should be given priority, even at the risk of limiting the amount of energy supplies, such as oil, gas, and coal, which the United States produces (or) development of U.S. energy supplies, such as oil, gas, and coal, should be given priority, even if the environment suffers to some extent?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Protection of the environment should be given priority	57.6	60.6	54.6
2. Development of US energy supplies should be given priority	42.4	39.4	45.4

POL13: With which one of these statements about the environment and the economy do you most agree – protection of the environment should be given priority, even at the risk of curbing economic growth (or) economic growth should be given priority, even if the environment suffers to some extent?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Protection of the environment should be given priority	56.7	54.8	58.6
2. Economic growth should be given priority	43.3	45.2	41.4

SECTION: POLICY

POL14: In your opinion, does the state adequately monitor streams and creeks for possible contaminants?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
3. Yes	39.9	42.2	37.6
4. No	60.1	57.8	62.4

SECTION: ECONOMY & ENVIRONMENT

ECON1: How important do you believe the quality of the region's environment is to the region's economic future?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Very important	65.1	66.3	63.9
2. Somewhat important	31.7	30.6	32.7
3. Not important	3.3	3.0	3.5

ECON2: Do you believe that environmental regulations...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Weaken the economy by decreasing jobs and industry	28.3	22.8	34.0
2. Strengthen the economy by increasing jobs and industry	31.4	35.2	27.5
3. Have minimal effect on the economy, jobs and industry	40.3	42.1	38.5

ECON3: Do you believe that increased environmental regulations would threaten your job?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	17.1	17.2	17.1
2. No	82.9	82.8	82.9

ECON4: "Business and Industry should be responsible for solving environmental problems in Pennsylvania." Would you say you ...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Strongly agree	34.5	38.0	31.0
2. Agree	53.0	50.1	55.9
3. Disagree	9.7	8.8	10.6
4. Strongly disagree	2.8	3.0	2.5

SECTION: ECONOMY & ENVIRONMENT

ECON5: With which one of these statements about the environment and the economy do you most agree – protection of the environment should be given priority, even at the risk of curbing economic growth (or) economic growth should be given priority, even if the environment suffers to some extent?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Protection of the environment should be given priority	56.7	54.8	58.6
2. Economic growth should be given priority	43.3	45.2	41.4

SECTION: ENERGY, MARCELLUS SHALE & ENVIRONMENT

ENERGY1: What is the primary source of electricity used in the Pittsburgh region?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Nuclear power	8.9	5.1	12.8
2. Hydroelectricity	7.1	7.4	6.8
3. Fossil fuels such as oil and coal	50.8	51.8	49.7
4. Natural gas	32.1	34.3	29.8
5. Wind and solar energy	1.1	1.4	0.9

ENERGY2: With which one of these statements about the environment and energy production do you most agree – Protection of the environment should be given priority, even at the risk of limiting the amount of energy supplies, such as oil, gas, and coal, which the United States produces (or) development of U.S. energy supplies, such as oil, gas, and coal, should be given priority, even if the environment suffers to some extent?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Protection of the environment should be given priority	57.6	60.6	54.6
2. Development of US energy supplies should be given priority	42.4	39.4	45.4

ENERGY3: Do you generally favor or oppose spending more government money on developing solar and wind power?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. Favor	69.9	73.6	66.2
2. Oppose	30.1	26.4	33.8

ENERGY4: Do you generally favor or providing tax deductions to Americans who spend money to increase the energy efficiency of their homes?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Favor	84.7	82.5	86.9
2. Oppose	15.3	17.5	13.1

SECTION: ENERGY, MARCELLUS SHALE & ENVIRONMENT

ENERGY5: To what extent do you think the Marcellus Shale represents an economic opportunity for this region? Do you think it represents....

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. A significant economic opportunity	42.2	39.5	44.9
2. A moderate economic opportunity	37.0	39.7	34.2
3. Only a slight economic opportunity	13.8	14.2	13.3
4. Very little or no economic opportunity	7.1	6.6	7.6

ENERGY6: To what extent do you think the Marcellus Shale represents a threat to the environment and public health of the region? Do you think it represents....

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. A significant threat	22.5	23.6	21.5
2. A moderate threat	36.6	39.4	33.8
3. Only a slight threat	20.8	20.1	21.5
4. Very little or no threat	20.1	16.9	23.3

ENERGY7: Do you favor allowing the use of the hydrofracturing technique, also called fracking, to occur in state parks, wildlife and nature reserves and state game commission lands?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	29.9	27.6	32.1
2. No	70.1	72.4	67.9

ENERGY8: Do you believe Marcellus Shale gas drilling operations should be required by law to disclose to the public all of the chemicals used in fracking or brought to the surface as a result of shale gas drilling operations?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	95.5	95.3	95.6
2. No	4.5	4.7	4.4

SECTION: ENERGY, MARCELLUS SHALE & ENVIRONMENT

ENERGY9: Considering everything, how do you feel about natural gas extraction from the Marcellus Shale region?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Strongly oppose	12.6	14.1	11.2
2. Somewhat oppose	16.5	21.1	12.0
3. Neither oppose nor support	22.7	20.8	24.5
4. Somewhat support	27.4	25.3	29.6
5. Strongly support	20.7	18.8	22.7

ENERGY10: Do you believe that increasing reliance on natural gas is...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Better for the environment than coal and oil	47.3	47.3	47.3
2. Worse for the environment than coal and oil	6.5	7.2	5.7
3. Is neither better nor worse for the environment than coal and oil	46.2	45.5	47.0

SECTION: PARKS & RECREATION

PARKS1: How would you rate the overall quality of public recreational areas in the region, such as parks, trails and playgrounds?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Excellent	11.8	13.0	10.5
2. Very Good	30.6	32.1	29.1
3. Good	32.5	32.7	32.3
4. Fair	18.7	17.3	20.1
5. Poor	6.4	4.8	8.0

PARKS2: How often do you go to recreational areas in the region, such as parks, trails and playgrounds?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. Never	12.2	11.2	13.1
2. 1-5 times a year	24.9	23.0	26.7
3. 6-10 times a year	16.3	13.8	18.8
4. 11-20 times a year	12.4	12.0	12.9
5. More than 20 times a year	34.2	40.0	28.5

PARKS3: How frequently do you participate in recreational activities on regional streams, rivers and lakes?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Never	33.2	31.5	34.8
2. 1-5 times a year	30.2	33.8	26.7
3. 6-10 times a year	11.3	11.8	10.9
4. 11-20 times a year	10.4	9.5	11.4
5. More than 20 times a year	14.9	13.5	16.3

PARKS4: Do you have a hunting or fishing license?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. Yes	24.9	21.5	28.2
2. No	75.1	78.5	71.8

SECTION: PARKS & RECREATION

PARKS5: Do you favor allowing the use of the hydrofracturing technique, also called fracking, to occur in state parks, wildlife and nature reserves and state game commission lands?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Yes	29.9	27.6	32.1
2. No	70.1	72.4	67.9

SECTION: CONSERVATION

CONS1: What conservation issue is of greatest concern to you?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. Land acquisition and protection	11.4	10.8	12.0
2. River and stream restoration	36.9	35.7	38.0
3. Wildlife habitat	37.3	36.2	38.3
4. Protection of scenic views	4.5	6.8	2.3
5. Other (please specify)	10.0	10.5	9.4

CONS2: Do you generally favor or oppose providing tax deductions to Americans who place their land into conservation programs?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Favor	77.1	78.3	76.0
2. Oppose	22.9	21.7	24.0

SECTION: CLIMATE CHANGE

CLIM1: To what extent, if any, is climate change a problem? Do you think it's a...

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County**	6 County MSA**
1. Severe problem	27.0	32.0	22.1
2. Moderate problem	37.3	37.1	37.6
3. Minor problem	17.2	15.5	18.9
4. Not a problem at all	18.5	15.5	21.4

CLIM2: Do you generally favor or oppose imposing mandatory controls on carbon dioxide emissions and other greenhouse gases?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County*	6 County MSA*
1. Favor	73.1	76.4	69.8
2. Oppose	26.9	23.6	30.2

CLIM3: From what you have heard or read, do you believe increases in the Earth's temperature over the last century are due more to – the effects of pollution from human activities (or) natural changes in the environment that are not due to human activities?

	7 County Pittsburgh MSA	Allegheny County	6 County MSA
1. Human activities	56.2	59.4	53.1
2. Natural causes	43.8	40.6	46.9