

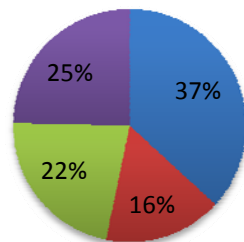
# Congressman Sander Levin Michigan 12<sup>th</sup> District 2009 Federal Issues Survey Results

## What Issues Are Most Important to You and What Are Your Priorities for Action in 2009?

Job Creation	23.24%
Health Care Reform	14.24%
Energy Independence	11.57%
Ending the War in Iraq	10.64%
Cutting Taxes	10.11%
Reducing Foreclosures	9.71%
Social Security	7.64%
Budget Deficit	7.10%
Education	5.76%

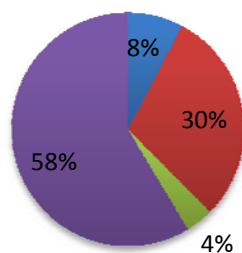
## For each issue below please indicate one item that is important to you.

### Economic Stimulus



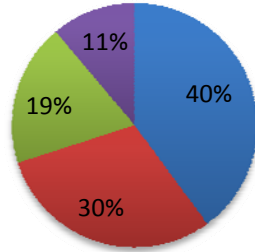
- Invest in infrastructure like fixing roads or schools
- Assist States to pay for health care
- Tax cuts for businesses to offset the costs of equipment or new employees
- Tax rebates for individuals

### Jobs



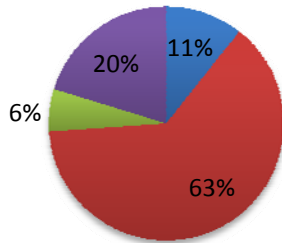
- Strengthen training and re-training programs so workers upgrade skills
- Expand Michigan's economic base into new areas like alternative energy, defense, and life sciences
- Improve Higher Education opportunities
- Change trade and tax policies so we are sending fewer jobs overseas

## Health Care - Overall Policy



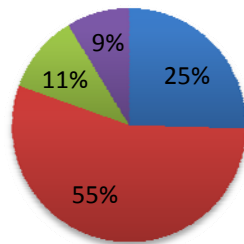
- Cover everyone through a public insurance program like Medicare
  - Expand our current systems (employer-based health insurance, Medicaid, Medicare, and MI Child) to cover more people
  - Give everyone an equal tax credit to buy insurance in the current individual market
  - Encourage the use of Health Savings Accounts for people to purchase their own health care services
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## Health Care - Personal Experience



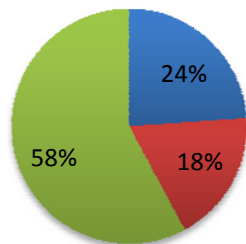
- Insurance coverage so you don't have to use emergency rooms and walk-in clinics
  - Lower health care costs and out-of-pocket expenses
  - Improve health care information technology
  - Add services for prevention, prescriptions, and screenings to basic insurance
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## Energy Independence



- Expand U.S. production of domestic fossil fuels, like oil, coal, and natural gas
  - Invest in renewable sources of energy, like wind, solar and biofuels
  - Build more nuclear power plants
  - Save energy in buildings, vehicles and appliances through investment in energy efficiency
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## War in Iraq



- Keep combat troops in Iraq as long as the Iraqi government needs us
- Withdraw all U.S. troops from Iraq immediately
- Withdraw U.S. troops from Iraq over the next 16 months