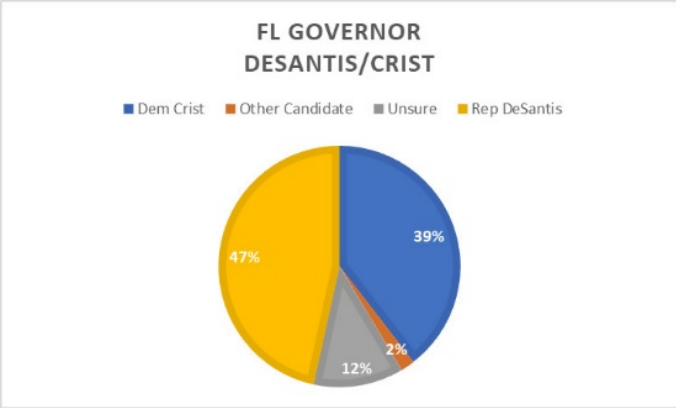
To: Tom Donelson, Chairman Americas PAC

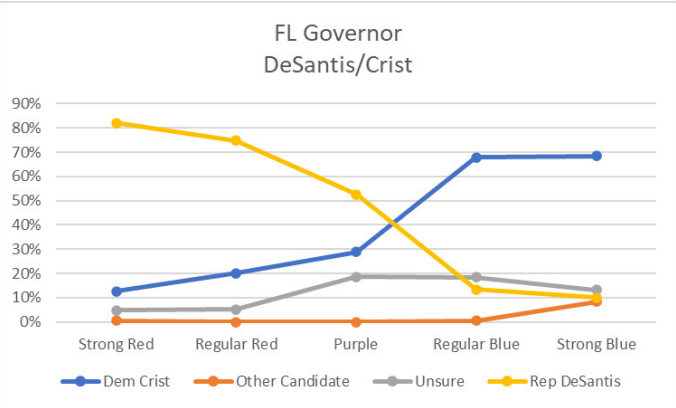
From: JD Johannes, VCreek/AMG

Re: Florida Governor Poll Results

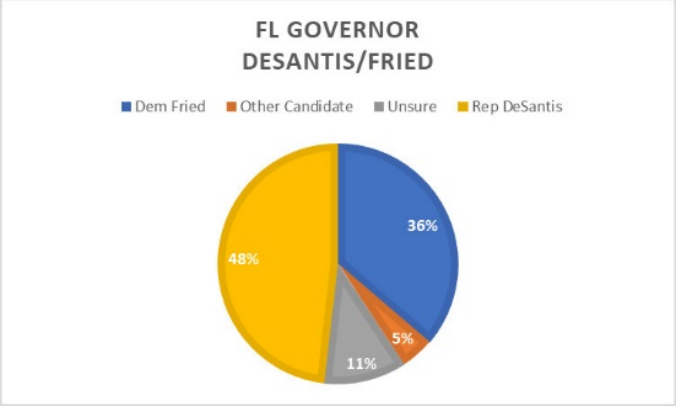
Governor Ron DeSantis currently has quality leads over Charlie Crist and Nikki Fried, and Florida voters show opposition to President Biden's Vaccine Mandates.

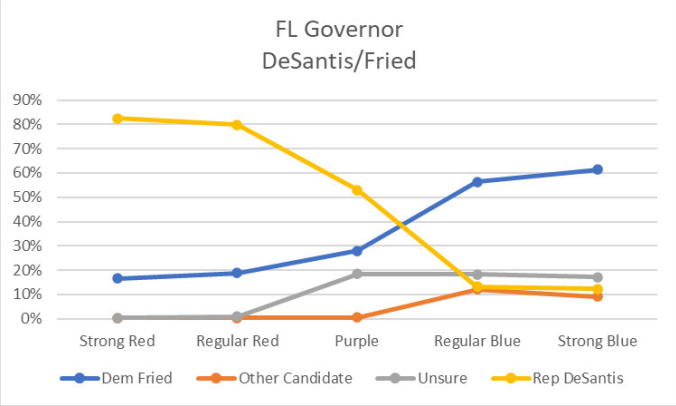
VCreek polled Likely General Election Voters asking about hypothetical match ups between DeSantis and Crist, and DeSantis and Fried in the 2022 Florida Governor Election.




DeSantis leads Crist 47% to 39% with 12% undecided and 2% saying they would vote for a different candidate.




DeSantis leads Fried 48% to 36% with 11% undecided and 5% saying they would vote for a different candidate.

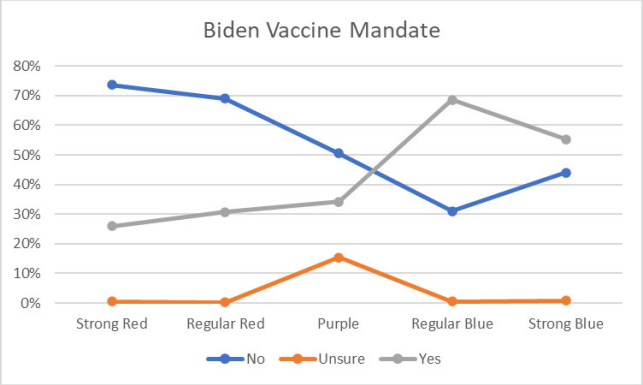
In both hypothetical match ups, the largest groups of undecided voters are in the voter segments that model as "Purple" "Regular Blue" and "Strong Blue."

If DeSantis can expand his share of "Purple" voters over the next 12 months, he will be in strong position heading into November 2022.

To put DeSantis' results in context, in 2018 he won with 49.6%. In 2010 Rick Scott won the Governor Election with 48.9% and re-election with 48.1%.

This frame of reference indicates DeSantis' base is still strongly aligned with him even through the turbulence of COVID.

COVID is a salient issue and Florida voters are opposed to a key consequence of President Biden's Vaccine Mandate. VCreek asked, *"Should the Biden Administration be allowed to create a workplace regulation that could result in people being fired from their job for not getting vaccinated?"*




Fifty-four percent of Florida Voters indicated "No" and 43% indicated "Yes."

On other issues, Florida Voters rate Controlling Inflation (61%), Stopping the Increase in Violent Crime (61%) and Controlling the high price of Health Insurance and Prescriptions (61%) as the most "Very Important" subjects for politicians to address.

Controlling Inflation (40%) ranked as the "Top Priority" for politicians to deal with.

**Methodology**:

• CI = 4.87

• September 23-27, 2021

• N= 405 Completed Surveys of Likely Voters via Live Calls to Cell and Land Lines were able to be joined back to the database of voters for weighting and stratification by proprietary voter model score based on correlations of consumer behavior.

• ABOUT: VCreek/AMG has conducted Polling, Data Analysis and Research for political clients ranging from Federal and Statewide campaigns to municipal and legislative campaigns as well as corporations, public policy groups and political action committees since 2012. VCreek/AMG's Principal, JD Johannes, has twenty-three years of experience in campaign management, campaign consulting and advertising in campaigns across the U.S. VCreek's most recent public statewide U.S. Senate Pre-Election Poll accurately captured Republican Roger Marshall taking the lead in Kansas' Senate election.

• DISCLOSURES: This poll was paid by Americas PAC, a Federal Independent Expenditure Committee that supports Republican Candidates. Media inquiries should be directed to Tom Donelson, Chairman of Americas PAC.