

**ALANA (African Latino Asian Native American)  
Online Voter Exit Poll, November 2014**

**Partner Organizations**

- Minnesota Cameroonian Community
- India Association of Minnesota
- Hmong American Partnership
- Minnesota Black Chamber of Commerce
- Oromo Community of Minnesota
- Oromo Chamber of Commerce
- Insight News
- Mshale
- Minnesota Somali Chamber of Commerce
- Council on Asian Pacific Minnesotans
- Chicano Latino Affairs Council
- The National Coalition Against Racism in Sports and Media
- Isuroon (*Strong Women, Strong Communities*)
- Bridges Network
- SAYEC
- AIS

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The online survey was conducted on November 4, 2014 and kept live over that weekend to allow voters time to complete the survey. 368 ALANA voters completed the survey either completely or partially. These voters were from 64 cities, which includes 83 House and 45 Senate Districts. These voters were spread out across Minnesota. The survey was promoted via partner organization and community networks.

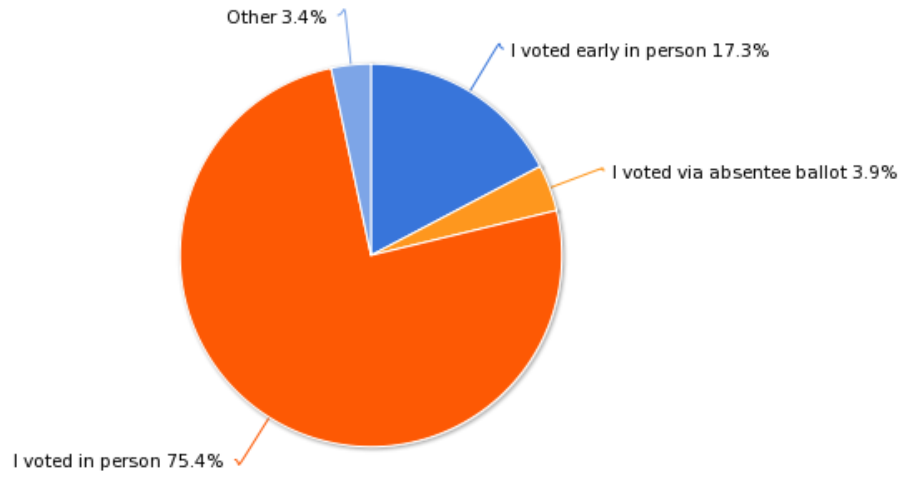
Together these voters represent an ALANA economic base of \$12 billion.

This is perhaps for the first time that the voice of the ALANA voter has been captured in an exit poll. We use the word exit poll in a broader sense than surveying voters leaving the polling station. We surveyed voters online just after they voted. Most of the surveys came in within the 24 hours of Election Day, November 4, 2014. 219 did the survey on November 4 and most were done by November 5, 2014. We kept the survey live over the weekend to allow voters time to complete the survey.

### **Key Facts**

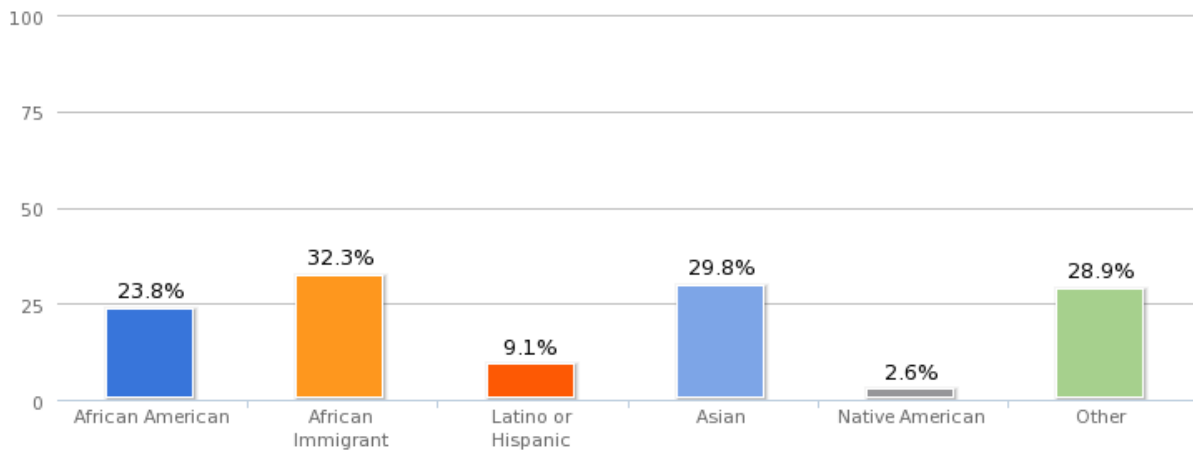
- 368 voters surveyed across 64 cities, 83 House and 45 Senate districts.
- At least 9 of these legislative districts had very competitive races
- ALANA people in these districts represent an economic base of more than \$12 billion as reflected in their total income.
- 21 percent had voted early
- Diverse group of voters across ALANA communities
- Diverse groups of voters across the metro area and greater Minnesota
- Very engaged group of voters: almost a third volunteered in a political campaign and almost half attended a political fundraiser; most were contacted by a candidate
- Top policy priorities on their mind: Jobs, Closing the Achievement Gap, Business Development, Immigration, Health Care.
- List of legislative districts of these voters and the economic base of ALANA communities in those districts are given below.

### 3. Please list the way you voted



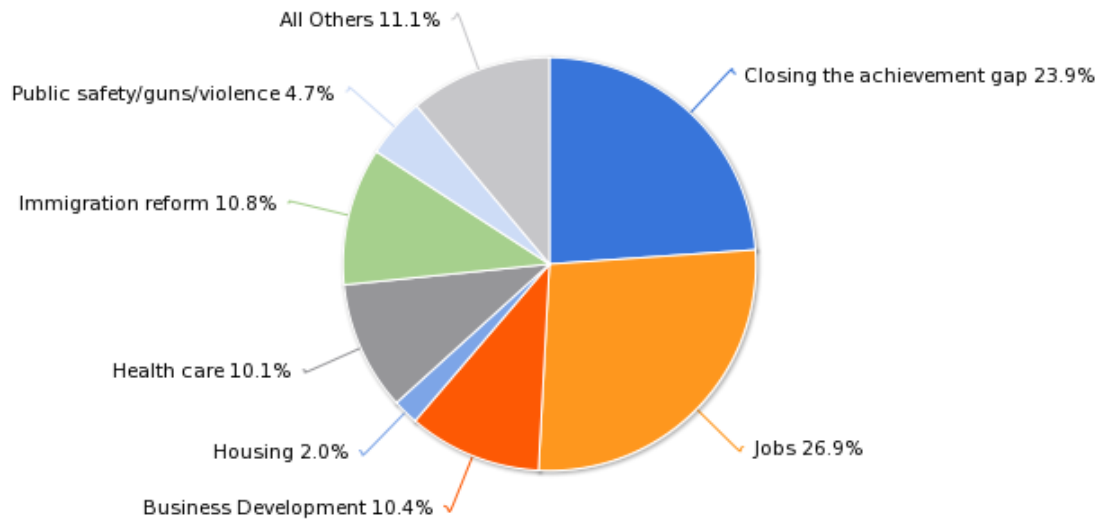
Value	Count	Percent
Yes	358	97.3%
No	10	2.7%

### 4. Please tell us which of the following groups you self-identify with. Use the "other" column to specify any other unique identity, example, Somali, Oromo, Mexican, Hmong, etc.

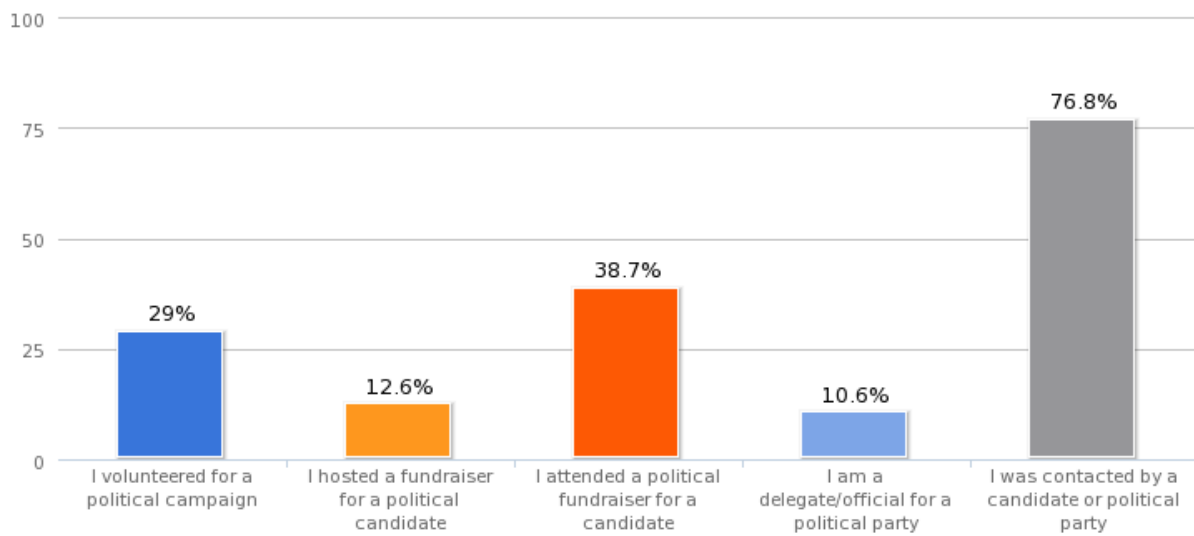


Note: "Other " category includes people listed in the ALANA Groups and who double identified themselves

### 6. List your top policy priority for Minnesota in 2015



### 7. Please check all that apply



House	Representative	ALANA Economic Interests	House	Representative	ALANA Economic Interests
04A	Rep. Ben Lien	\$73 million	46A	Rep. Ryan Winkler	\$122 million
11A	Rep. Mike Sundin	\$70 million	46B	Rep. Cheryl Youakim	\$159 million
20A	Rep. Bob Vogel	\$45 million	47B	Rep. Joe Hoppe	\$88 million
22A	Rep. Joe Schomacker	\$35 million	48A	Rep. Yvonne Selcer	\$79 million
22B	Rep. Rod Hamilton	\$144 million	48B	Rep. Jenifer Loon	\$162 million
25A	Rep. Duane Quam	\$66 million	49A	Rep. Ron Erhardt	\$69 million
25B	Rep. Kim Norton	\$134 million	49B	Rep. Paul Rosenthal	\$124 million
26A	Rep. Tina Liebling	\$170 million	50A	Rep. Linda Slocum	\$232 million
26B	Rep. Nels Pierson	\$50 million	50B	Rep. Ann Lenczewski	\$149 million
27B	Rep. Jeanne Poppe	\$94 million	51A	Rep. Sandra Masin	\$179 million
28A	Rep. Gene Pelowski, Jr.	\$46 million	51B	Rep. Laurie Halverson	\$122 million
28B	Rep. Greg Davids	\$16 million	52A	Rep. Rick Hansen	\$131 million
29A	Rep. Joe McDonald	\$26 million	52B	Rep. Joe Atkins	\$112 million
29B	Rep. Marion O'Neill	\$42 million	53A	Rep. JoAnn Ward	\$156 million
31B	Rep. Tom Hackbarth	\$40 million	53B	Rep. Kelly Fenton	\$143 million
33A	Rep. Jerry Hertaus	\$ 41 million	54A	Rep. Dan Schoen	\$122 million
33B	Rep. Cindy Pugh	\$42 million	54B	Rep. Denny McNamara	\$59 million
34A	Rep. Joyce Peppin	\$89 million	55A	Rep. Bob Loonan	\$175 million
34B	Rep. Dennis Smith	\$107 million	55B	Rep. Tony Albright	\$57 million
35A	Rep. Abigail Whelan	\$73 million	56A	Rep. Drew Christensen	\$154 million
35B	Rep. Peggy Scott	\$ 63 million	56B	Rep. Roz Peterson	\$135 million
36A	Rep. Mark Uglem	\$91 million	57A	Rep. Tara Mack	\$125 million
36B	Rep. Melissa Hortman	\$203 million	58A	Rep. Jon Koznick	\$80 million
37A	Rep. Jerry Newton	\$110 million	58B	Rep. Pat Garofalo	\$55 million
37B	Rep. Tim Sanders	\$133 million	59A	Rep. Joe Mullery	\$ 410 million
38A	Rep. Linda Runbeck	\$71 million	59B	Rep. Raymond Dehn	\$ 389 million
38B	Rep. Matt Dean	\$59 million	60A	Rep. Diane Loeffler	\$195 million
39A	Rep. Bob Dettmer	\$35 million	60B	Rep. Phyllis Kahn	\$246 million
39B	Rep. Kathy Lohmer	\$63 million	61A	Rep. Frank Hornstein	\$98 million
40A	Rep. Michael Nelson	\$394 million	61B	Rep. Paul Thissen	\$109 million
40B	Rep. Debra Hilstrom	\$354 million	62A	Rep. Karen Clark	\$382 million
41A	Rep. Connie Bernardy	\$160 million	62B	Rep. Susan Allen	\$303 million
41B	Rep. Carolyn Laine	\$174 million	63A	Rep. Jim Davnie	\$181 million
42A	Rep. Barb Yarusso	\$106 million	63B	Rep. Jean Wagenius	\$164 million
42B	Rep. Jason Isaacson	\$138 million	64A	Rep. Erin Murphy	\$ 120 million
43A	Rep. Peter Fischer	\$143 million	64B	Rep. Dave Pinto	\$108 million
43B	Rep. Leon Lillie	\$150 million	65A	Rep. Rena Moran	\$429 million
44A	Rep. Sarah Anderson	\$126 million	65B	Rep. Carlos Mariani	\$290 million
44B	Rep. Jon Applebaum	\$88 million	66A	Rep. Alice Hausman	\$155 million
45A	Rep. Lyndon Carlson, Sr.	\$165 million	66B	Rep. John Lesch	\$ 290 million
45B	Rep. Mike Freiberg	\$135 million	67A	Rep. Tim Mahoney	\$423 million
			67B	Rep. Sheldon Johnson	\$372 million

Note: ALANA Economic Interest reflected in Total Income estimated from ACS 2012