

FINAL RESULTS

ReachTEL conducted a survey of 1,015 residents across the Federal electorate of New England during the evening of 15th and 16th of September 2017.

Question 1:

If a Federal election were to be held today which of the following would receive your first preference vote?

	Total	Female	Male	18 – 34	35 – 50	51 – 65	65+
<i>The Nationals</i>	44.6%	46.8%	42.2%	25.0%	39.7%	37.9%	54.4%
<i>Independent – Tony Windsor</i>	26.5%	25.0%	28.2%	22.2%	19.6%	29.8%	27.6%
<i>Labor</i>	8.4%	8.8%	8.0%	9.7%	9.5%	10.3%	6.3%
<i>The Greens</i>	2.4%	2.5%	2.2%	9.7%	5.0%	0.6%	1.3%
<i>One Nation</i>	9.8%	7.6%	12.0%	12.5%	14.5%	12.2%	5.6%
<i>Other / Independent</i>	3.6%	2.9%	4.3%	5.6%	6.7%	4.4%	1.3%
<i>Undecided</i>	4.8%	6.5%	3.1%	15.3%	5.0%	4.7%	3.4%

Two party preferred result based on respondent allocated preferences from Question 1b and undecided allocation from Question 1a

	Total
<i>The Nationals</i>	57%
<i>Independent – Tony Windsor</i>	43%



Question 1a:

Being undecided to which do you have even a slight leaning?

	<i>Total</i>
<i>The Nationals</i>	<i>32.0%</i>
<i>Independent – Tony Windsor</i>	<i>18.0%</i>
<i>Labor</i>	<i>8.0%</i>
<i>The Greens</i>	<i>6.0%</i>
<i>One Nation</i>	<i>12.0%</i>
<i>Other / Independent</i>	<i>24.0%</i>

Note: Only respondents who answered 'Undecided' to Question 1 were asked Question 1a

Question 1b:

Which of the following parties would you preference higher?

	<i>Total</i>
<i>The Nationals</i>	<i>38.3%</i>
<i>Independent – Tony Windsor</i>	<i>61.7%</i>

Note: Respondents who answered 'National' or 'Independent' to Question 1 were excluded from Question 1b.



Question 2:

Which would you prefer the government to invest in, coal or renewables?

	Total	Female	Male	18 – 34	35 – 50	51 – 65	65+
Coal	36.7%	30.7%	43.0%	27.8%	26.8%	34.5%	43.4%
Renewables	50.6%	53.2%	47.9%	62.5%	60.3%	53.0%	43.4%
Don't know / Unsure	12.7%	16.0%	9.2%	9.7%	12.8%	12.5%	13.3%

	Total	Nationals	Ind	Labor	Greens	One Nation	Other	Undecided
Coal	36.7%	51.8%	14.1%	21.2%	8.3%	58.6%	36.1%	16.0%
Renewables	50.6%	32.5%	78.4%	65.9%	87.5%	32.3%	58.3%	54.0%
Don't know / Unsure	12.7%	15.7%	7.4%	12.9%	4.2%	9.1%	5.6%	30.0%



Question 3:

Of the following options, who do you think is most responsible for the current uncertainty in the energy policy?

	Total	Female	Male	18-34	35-50	51-65	65+
<i>The Energy Regulators</i>	7.6%	7.8%	7.3%	11.1%	6.7%	7.2%	7.7%
<i>Energy Companies</i>	14.5%	13.9%	15.1%	19.4%	17.9%	14.7%	12.2%
<i>The Federal Coalition Government</i>	29.9%	28.0%	32.0%	29.2%	29.6%	29.5%	30.4%
<i>Federal Opposition</i>	19.2%	16.8%	21.8%	15.3%	15.6%	20.7%	20.0%
<i>State Governments</i>	7.9%	5.9%	10.0%	2.8%	8.9%	6.9%	9.0%
<i>Other</i>	4.2%	4.2%	4.3%	4.2%	3.4%	6.3%	3.2%
<i>Don't know / Unsure</i>	16.7%	23.4%	9.6%	18.1%	17.9%	14.7%	17.6%

	Total	Nationals	Ind	Labor	Greens	One Nation	Other	Undecided
<i>The Energy Regulators</i>	7.6%	7.5%	5.2%	9.4%	8.3%	12.1%	2.8%	12.0%
<i>Energy Companies</i>	14.5%	17.5%	12.3%	9.4%	4.2%	16.2%	13.9%	10.0%
<i>The Federal Coalition Government</i>	29.9%	19.3%	46.8%	47.1%	45.8%	19.2%	25.0%	22.0%
<i>Federal Opposition</i>	19.2%	29.5%	6.7%	10.6%	8.3%	18.2%	27.8%	8.0%
<i>State Governments</i>	7.9%	6.0%	9.3%	5.9%	0.0%	17.2%	5.6%	8.0%
<i>Other</i>	4.2%	4.0%	4.1%	1.2%	0.0%	7.1%	8.3%	6.0%
<i>Don't know / Unsure</i>	16.7%	16.2%	15.6%	16.5%	33.3%	10.1%	16.7%	34.0%



Question 4:

A Clean Energy Target would require electricity suppliers to source a certain proportion of their power from renewables or other low emission sources, with the aim of reducing emissions.

Do you think the Turnbull government should introduce a Clean Energy Target?

	Total	Female	Male	18-34	35-50	51-65	65+
Yes	59.7%	61.8%	57.4%	65.3%	65.9%	60.5%	55.9%
No	24.1%	17.4%	31.4%	20.8%	23.5%	26.0%	23.4%
Don't know/Not sure	16.2%	20.8%	11.2%	13.9%	10.6%	13.5%	20.7%

	Total	Nationals	Ind	Labor	Greens	One Nation	Other	Undecided
Yes	59.7%	45.7%	82.5%	74.1%	91.7%	39.4%	52.8%	68.0%
No	24.1%	33.1%	9.7%	2.4%	8.3%	45.5%	33.3%	16.0%
Don't know/Not sure	16.2%	21.2%	7.8%	23.5%	0.0%	15.2%	13.9%	16.0%

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Question 1:

If a Federal election were to be held today which of the following would receive your first preference vote?

	Total	Female	Male	18 – 34	35 – 50	51 – 65	65+
<i>Liberal</i>	37.6%	36.1%	39.1%	16.4%	34.7%	37.6%	41.6%
<i>Labor</i>	28.4%	28.3%	28.5%	31.1%	27.5%	27.6%	28.9%
<i>The Greens</i>	5.3%	6.3%	4.3%	19.7%	8.4%	5.0%	2.4%
<i>One Nation</i>	13.9%	13.4%	14.5%	13.1%	12.0%	16.5%	12.9%
<i>Other / Independent</i>	6.0%	5.3%	6.7%	6.6%	8.4%	4.7%	6.0%
<i>Undecided</i>	8.8%	10.6%	6.9%	13.1%	9.0%	8.7%	8.2%

Two party preferred result based on respondent allocated preferences from Question 1b and undecided allocation from Question 1a

	Total
<i>Liberal</i>	58%
<i>Labor</i>	42%



Question 1a:

Being undecided to which do you have even a slight leaning?

	<i>Total</i>
<i>Liberal</i>	<i>42.5%</i>
<i>Labor</i>	<i>19.5%</i>
<i>The Greens</i>	<i>5.7%</i>
<i>One Nation</i>	<i>13.8%</i>
<i>Other / Independent</i>	<i>18.4%</i>

Note: Only respondents who answered 'Undecided' to Question 1 were asked Question 1a

Question 1b:

Which of the following parties would you preference higher?

	<i>Total</i>
<i>Liberal</i>	<i>57.5%</i>
<i>Labor</i>	<i>42.5%</i>

Note: Respondents who answered 'Liberal National' or 'Labor' to Question 1 were excluded from Question 1b.



Question 2:

Which would you prefer the government to invest in, coal or renewables?

	<i>Total</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>18 – 34</i>	<i>35 – 50</i>	<i>51 – 65</i>	<i>65+</i>
<i>Coal</i>	42.8%	39.2%	46.5%	16.4%	29.9%	41.2%	52.2%
<i>Renewables</i>	46.7%	48.2%	45.1%	75.4%	61.1%	47.7%	36.7%
<i>Don't know / Unsure</i>	10.5%	12.5%	8.4%	8.2%	9.0%	11.1%	11.1%

	<i>Total</i>	<i>Liberal</i>	<i>Labor</i>	<i>Greens</i>	<i>One Nation</i>	<i>Other</i>	<i>Undecided</i>
<i>Coal</i>	42.8%	53.8%	14.4%	7.5%	83.5%	45.0%	42.0%
<i>Renewables</i>	46.7%	29.7%	78.5%	90.6%	12.2%	51.7%	40.9%
<i>Don't know / Unsure</i>	10.5%	16.4%	7.0%	1.9%	4.3%	3.3%	17.0%



Question 3:

Of the following options, who do you think is most responsible for the current uncertainty in the energy policy?

	Total	Female	Male	18-34	35-50	51-65	65+
<i>The Energy Regulators</i>	7.1%	6.5%	7.7%	6.6%	7.8%	5.6%	8.0%
<i>Energy Companies</i>	11.9%	12.0%	11.8%	16.4%	11.4%	11.5%	11.8%
<i>The Federal Coalition Government</i>	32.7%	30.9%	34.6%	31.1%	33.5%	33.2%	32.1%
<i>Federal Opposition</i>	18.7%	15.6%	22.0%	11.5%	16.8%	22.4%	17.8%
<i>State Governments</i>	5.8%	3.7%	7.9%	1.6%	6.6%	5.6%	6.2%
<i>Other</i>	3.5%	3.7%	3.3%	4.9%	1.8%	2.8%	4.7%
<i>Don't know / Unsure</i>	20.2%	27.6%	12.6%	27.9%	22.2%	18.9%	19.4%

	Total	Liberal	Labor	Greens	One Nation	Other	Undecided
<i>The Energy Regulators</i>	7.1%	8.5%	6.0%	3.8%	5.8%	5.0%	10.2%
<i>Energy Companies</i>	11.9%	13.6%	11.3%	5.7%	12.9%	6.7%	12.5%
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<i>State Governments</i>	5.8%	4.8%	6.7%	9.4%	5.0%	6.7%	5.7%
<i>Other</i>	3.5%	3.2%	2.1%	1.9%	7.9%	1.7%	5.7%
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Question 4:

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Do you think the Turnbull government should introduce a Clean Energy Target?

	Total	Female	Male	18-34	35-50	51-65	65+
Yes	55.8%	56.8%	54.7%	72.1%	61.7%	55.1%	51.9%
No	31.5%	26.5%	36.7%	21.3%	26.9%	33.1%	33.4%
Don't know/Not sure	12.7%	16.7%	8.6%	6.6%	11.4%	11.8%	14.7%

	Total	Liberal	Labor	Greens	One Nation	Other	Undecided
Yes	55.8%	46.0%	82.0%	88.7%	22.3%	56.7%	45.5%
No	31.5%	38.6%	9.2%	3.8%	66.2%	38.3%	30.7%
Don't know/Not sure	12.7%	15.4%	8.8%	7.5%	11.5%	5.0%	23.9%

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