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Sample: 403 New Brunswickers (18 years plus)  
 Interview Dates: May 17 to May 31, 2010  
 Margin of Sampling Error: ±4.9 percentage points (95% confidence level)

<b>Which one of the following issues do you consider the most important issue in the upcoming provincial election in September? Would it be....</b>	
<b>Party</b>	<b>New Brunswick</b>
Dealing with current economic concerns	22%
Health care funding	22%
Handling of the NB Power deal	17%
Education funding	14%
Provincial debt	10%
Leadership of the parties	6%
Other	3%
All of the above	2%
Don't know/No answer/None of the above	4%

<b>Which provincial political party, in your opinion....</b>						
	<b>PC</b>	<b>Liberal</b>	<b>NDP</b>	<b>Green</b>	<b>None/Other/ Don't know</b>	<b>Total</b>
Is best able to maintain a balanced budget	26	15	5	2	52	<b>100%</b>
Is best able to deal with current economic problems	24	21	6	2	48	<b>101%</b>
Is best able to deal with social problems including public safety and crime	23	23	8	1	45	<b>100%</b>
Offers the best vision for the future of the province	22	22	8	3	45	<b>100%</b>
Is best able to solve transportation problems	22	19	5	2	52	<b>100%</b>
Is best able to deal with issues in the health care system	21	21	10	1	47	<b>100%</b>