



MICHIGAN DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY SURVEY

500 SAMPLE SURVEY
LIKELY AUGUST DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY VOTERS
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METHODOLOGY

The Glengariff Group, Inc. conducted a survey of likely 2026 voters in Michigan's August 4th Democratic Primary. The 500 sample, live operator telephone survey was conducted on July 8-11, 2026 and has a margin of error of +/-4.4% with a 95% level of confidence. 17.4% of respondents were contacted via landline telephone. 82.6% of respondents were contacted via cell phone telephone. This survey was commissioned by the Detroit News and WDIV Local 4.

KEY FINDING

Democrats Greatest Motivation to Vote in August? Donald Trump

Likely August Democratic primary voters were asked in an open-ended question what is the single most important issue motivating them to get out and vote in the primary. Opposition to Donald Trump led the list. All answers coded above 3.0% are listed below.

19.0%	Opposition to Trump Administration
17.8%	Economy/Cost of Living
12.5%	Voting Rights/ Civil Duty/ Protecting Our Voice
11.5%	Elect Democrats/ Taking Control
9.7%	Change/ Reform/ Accountability
4.1%	Choosing the Best Candidate to Win Office
3.8%	Preservation of Democracy.

Noticeably absent from the list is any mention of Gaza, Israel, or AIPAC. Not one voter in the sample said that was their most motivating issue. Three voters did, however, mention stopping Donald Trump from waging war in Iran.

80.2% View Democratic Party Favorably

Likely Democratic Primary voters were asked if they had a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the Democratic Party. By a margin of 80.2%-9.9%, Democratic voters have a favorable opinion of their party. But only 37.6% have a VERY FAVORABLE opinion while 42.6% have a somewhat favorable opinion.

There are deep divisions in intensity, however, among Democrats based on age, and whether they affiliate with Democrat Socialists.

<u>Demographic</u>	<u>Very Favorable</u>	<u>Somewhat Favorable</u>	<u>Total Unfavorable</u>
Democrat	43.0%	40.6%	7.5%
Dem Socialist	22.1%	50.0%	13.8%
18-39	16.9%	51.7%	11.0%
40-54	33.3%	47.5%	12.2%
55-64	44.6%	36.6%	12.8%
65+	48.9%	37.6%	6.4%

43.0% of traditional Democrats view the party very favorably compared to just 22.1% of Democratic Socialists. Just 16.9% of Democrats under the age 40 view the party very favorably compared to 48.9% of Democrats over 65 years old.

57.6% of Democrats View Democratic Socialists Favorably

By a margin of 57.6%-14.8%, Michigan Democratic primary voters have a favorable view of Democratic Socialist of America. But 27.6% were neutral or had no view at all.

Just 25.5% of Democratic primary voters had a VERY FAVORABLE view of Democratic Socialists of America.

25.5%	Very Favorable
32.1%	Somewhat Favorable
9.5%	Somewhat Unfavorable
5.3%	Very Unfavorable
27.6%	Neutral/ No Opinion

Traditional Democrats and Black voters were the least likely Democratic voters to have a very favorable view of Democratic Socialists of America.

<u>Demographic</u>	<u>Very Favorable</u>	<u>Somewhat Favorable</u>	<u>Total Unfavorable</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
Traditional Democrat	17.4%	31.6%	17.1%	34.0%
Dem Socialist	57.0%	34.9%	7.0%	1.2%
White	29.1%	30.4%	12.7%	27.8%
Black	16.8%	32.3%	20.0%	31.0%

Democratic voters over the age of 40 were considerably more likely to have no opinion of the Democratic Socialists of America. 28.0% of Democrats under 40 were unfavorable or had no opinion of Democratic Socialists. Comparatively, this number increased to 43.4% among those aged 40-54, 39.7% among those aged 55-64, and up to 53.2% among Democrats over the age of 65.

<u>Age</u>	<u>Very Favorable</u>	<u>Somewhat Favorable</u>	<u>Total Unfavorable</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
18-39	22.0%	50.0%	16.1%	11.9%
40-54	24.2%	32.3%	13.1%	30.3%
55-64	28.7%	32.7%	14.9%	24.8%
65+	26.9%	19.9%	15.6%	37.6%

54.1% of Democrats Would Vote for a Democratic Socialist

By a margin of 54.1%-16.4%, Democratic primary voters would vote for a candidate that called themselves a Democratic Socialist. *But 26.5% of voters said they did not know or it would depend on the candidate.* 3.0% of voters refused to provide an answer.

96.5% of those who already identified themselves as a Democratic Socialists would vote for one. *But just 45.2% of traditional Democratic primary voters said they would vote for a Democratic Socialist.*

There were particularly sharp differences to this question based on education attainment, age, and race. White, 18-39 year old Democrats, and those with a college degree were considerably more willing to vote for a Democratic Socialists than Democratic voters that did not have a college degree, were older or black.

<u>Demographic</u>	<u>Willing to Vote</u>	<u>Would Not Vote</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>
Non-College	44.0%	21.8%	28.6%
College	63.8%	11.3%	24.5%
18-39	68.6%	12.7%	18.6%
40-54	55.6%	8.1%	30.3%
55-64	59.4%	12.9%	24.8%
65+	41.4%	25.3%	30.1%
White	58.5%	13.0%	26.6%
Black	42.6%	24.5%	27.7%

87.5% of Democrats View Whitmer Favorably

By a margin of 87.5%-8.5%, Michigan Democrats have a favorable view of Gretchen Whitmer. The highest level of ‘unfavorable’ was 15.3% among Democrats aged 18-39, and 14.1% among Democrats aged 40-54. The chart below compares Whitmer’s favorable among Democrats by age which is extremely strong in every age bracket.

<u>Age</u>	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
18-39	72.9%	15.3%	11.9%
40-54	82.8%	14.1%	3.0%
55-64	97.0%	3.0%	0.0%
65+	94.1%	4.3%	3.9%

Benson Dwarfs Swanson in Name ID; Leads Primary By Nearly 60-Points

Jocelyn Benson has 88.9% name identification among likely Democratic primary voters breaking 69.5% favorable to 8.1% unfavorable. 11.3% have no opinion of her. 10.7% of Democratic primary voters have not heard of her.

White voters view her favorably by a margin of 75.0%-5.4%. Black voters view her favorably by a margin of 56.8%-14.2%. 19.4% of black Democratic primary voters have not heard of her.

Democrats aged 18-39 view her favorably by a narrower margin of 50.8%-20.3%. 14.4% have no opinion of her and 12.7% have not heard of her.

Chris Swanson has 48.5% name identification breaking 15.0% favorable to 9.1% unfavorable. 24.4% of Democratic primary voters have heard of him but have no opinion. 50.7% of Democratic primary voters have not heard of Chris Swanson.

51.0% of Democratic union voters and 50.7% of Democratic non-union voters have not heard of Chris Swanson.

Jocelyn Benson leads Chris Swanson for the Democratic nomination for Governor by an overwhelming margin of 71.7%-11.9%. 16.4% of Democrats are undecided.

51.5% Definitely Benson
20.2% Probably Benson
6.9% Definitely Swanson
5.0% Probably Swanson
16.4% Undecided

Benson leads among union voters 67.6%-14.5%, with 17.9% undecided. Benson leads among non-union voters 73.2%-10.8%, with 15.9% undecided.

Benson leads among white Democratic voters 73.1%-11.0%, with 15.8% undecided. Benson leads among black Democratic voters 66.5%-14.8%, with 18.7% undecided.

El-Sayed, Stevens Name Identification Virtually Identical

Abdul El-Sayed has 88.5% name identification breaking 51.5% favorable to 15.4% unfavorable. 21.6% have heard of him but have no opinion. 10.9% of Democratic primary voters have not heard of Abdul El-Sayed

Of particular note is how differently Abdul El-Sayed is viewed by the race of primary voters.

<u>Race</u>	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>	<u>Never Heard</u>
White	64.6%	10.4%	18.0%	6.0%
Black	25.2%	26.5%	26.5%	21.9%

Among traditional Democrats, El-Sayed is 44.4%-17.1% favorable to unfavorable. 24.3% have no opinion of him. 13.4% have not heard of him.

But among Democratic Socialists, El-Sayed is 82.6%-5.8% favorable to unfavorable. 9.3% have no opinion of him. 2.3% have not heard of him.

Among non-college Democrats, El-Sayed is viewed favorably 42.7%-20.2%, with 23.4% having no opinion of him. 12.5% have not heard of him.

Among college Democrats, El-Sayed is viewed favorably 59.9%-10.9%, with 19.8% having no opinion of him. 9.3% have not heard of him.

In Metro Detroit, El-Sayed is viewed favorably by a margin of 45.7%-19.3%, with 16.4% having no opinion of him. 12.9% of Metro voters have not heard of him.

El-Sayed is viewed favorably in out-state by a margin of 58.7%-10.7%, with 16.4% having no opinion of him. 12.9% have not heard of him in out-state.

Haley Stevens has 90.7% name identification breaking 49.5% favorable to 21.0% unfavorable. 20.2% have heard of her but have no opinion. 8.5% of Democratic primary voters have not heard of Haley Stevens.

Of particular note is that Haley Stevens is viewed underwater by Democratic Socialist voters and voters under the age of 40 years old.

<u>Type of Dem</u>	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>	<u>Never Heard</u>
Democrat	54.0%	14.2%	22.7%	8.8%
Dem Socialist	23.3%	51.2%	16.3%	5.8%

<u>Age</u>	<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>	<u>Never Heard</u>
18-39	24.6%	50.0%	19.5%	5.9%
40-54	41.4%	23.2%	20.2%	15.2%
55-64	56.4%	14.9%	17.8%	10.9%
65+	65.6%	4.8%	22.0%	5.4%

Stevens is viewed favorably in Metro Detroit by a margin of 55.0%-22.1%, with 18.2% having no opinion of her. 5.7% of Metro Democrats have not heard of her.

In out-state Stevens is viewed favorably by a margin of 42.7%-20.9%, with 22.7% having no opinion of her. 12.0% of out-state Democrats have not heard of her.

Stevens Leads 48.2%-41.4%; 9.5% Remain Undecided

In a head ot head matchup, Haley Stevens leads Abdul El-Sayed by a margin of 48.2%-41.4%. 0.2% of voters said they had voted for Mallory McMorrow. 9.5% of voters were undecided. 0.7% of voters would not provide an answer.

But it is crucial to look at the intensity of how Democratic primary voters plan to vote.

33.7% DEFINITELY El-Sayed

7.7% PROBABLY El-Sayed

34.1% DEFINITELY Stevens

14.1% PROBABLY Stevens

9.5% Undecided

If we look at just the definite vote it is a tie at 34.1% Stevens to 33.7% El-Sayed. But 14.1% said they will probably vote for Stevens while 7.7% said they will probably vote for El-Sayed.

The ‘probably’ voters are what takes the race from dead even to Stevens in the lead. These voters that say they will just ‘probably’ vote for their candidate indicate that while they are leaning towards a specific candidate, they can still move.

Demographics Show Contours of the Race; Stevens Winning Absentees – El Sayed Winning Election Day

Among DEFINITE primary voters, Stevens leads 48.8%-40.7%. Among voters that say they will just probably vote, El-Sayed leads 51.5%-39.4%.

Haley Stevens leads voters who have turned in their ballots already 51.8%-43.4% (remaining voters would not say how they voted.). Among those who are still holding their ballots, Stevens holds an even larger lead of 59.6%-32.7%. She will need all those absentee voters because El-Sayed leads among likely Election Day voters by a margin of 49.7%-32.3%, with 16.8% of election day voters still undecided.

El-Sayed’s strengths are Democratic Socialists, white voters, college voters, out-state voters and voters under 54. Steven’s strengths are traditional Democrats, Metro Detroit voters, non-college voters, voters over the age of 55, and black voters.

The chart below compares each of these demographic groups.

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<u>Demographic</u>	<u>El-Sayed</u>	<u>Stevens</u>	<u>Undecided</u>
Out-state	46.7%	38.2%	14.2%
Metro	37.7%	56.0%	5.7%
Democrat	32.6%	55.8%	10.2%
Dem Socialist	76.8%	19.8%	3.5%
Non-College	34.3%	55.6%	9.3%
College	48.3%	40.9%	9.7%
18-39	63.5%	28.9%	7.6%
40-54	50.5%	32.4%	16.2%
55-64	35.6%	56.5%	5.9%
65+	25.8%	64.0%	9.1%
White	51.3%	38.6%	9.8%
Black	20.6%	67.1%	9.7%
Union	44.2%	39.3%	15.2%
Non-Union	40.3%	51.5%	7.2%
Male	41.8%	47.5%	9.4%
Female	41.0%	48.7%	9.6%

The chart below compares the race by region of the state.

IMPORTANT NOTE: CELL SIZES BY REGION ARE CONSIDERABLY SMALLER IN SIZE AND REPRESENT A VERY LARGE MARGIN OF ERROR. THEY SHOULD BE USED STRICTLY FOR TRENDING PURPOSES.

Stevens dominates in Macomb and Wayne counties. But Oakland now appears highly competitive.

<u>Region</u>	<u>El-Sayed</u>	<u>Stevens</u>	<u>Undecided</u>
UP/North	35.5%	45.2%	19.4%
West	52.6%	42.1%	5.3%
Southwest	48.9%	44.5%	6.7%
Mid	55.8%	30.2%	14.0%
East Central	41.2%	33.8%	22.1%
Oakland	44.8%	45.9%	9.4%
Macomb	33.3%	64.6%	2.0%
Wayne	38.6%	59.7%	1.8%
Detroit	22.2%	71.9%	3.1%
MSA Rim	50.0%	31.3%	15.6%

The largest blocs of undecided voters appear to be in out-state, traditional Democrats, aged 40-54 and union households.

Standing Up to Trump Most Important Factor in Choosing a Democratic Nominee

Voters were presented with four different options and asked which ONE was the greatest factor they would consider in choosing a Democratic nominee for US Senate.

38.2%	That the candidate will be a fighter that stands up to Donald Trump.
25.1%	That the candidate can win in November and beat Mike Rogers
19.0%	That the candidate represents my values.
12.7%	That the candidate will get results for Michigan in the US Senate
5.0%	Multiple answers/ Do Not Know

The chart below looks at each factor and which candidate those voters chose.

<u>Key Decision Factor</u>	<u>El-Sayed</u>	<u>Stevens</u>	<u>Undecided</u>
Stand Up to Trump	35.2%	54.9%	9.9%
Beat Mike Rogers	38.6%	55.1%	6.3%
Represent My Values	57.3%	30.2%	12.5%
Get Results for MI	43.8%	39.0%	17.2%

Whitmer Endorsement Would Sway Half of Undecided Voters

Voters were asked if an endorsement from Governor Gretchen Whitmer would make them more or less likely to support a candidate, or whether her endorsement would make no difference to them.

34.4% of voters said a Whitmer endorsement would make them more likely to support a candidate. Just 1.4% said it would make them less likely. 63.2% of voters said it would make no difference to them.

But a Whitmer endorsement would have a substantial impact on the 9.5% of voters that remain undecided in the race.

50.0% of undecided voters said a Whitmer endorsement would make them more likely – with 25.0% of undecided voters saying it would make them MUCH MORE LIKELY to support a specific candidate. 50.0% of undecided voters said it would make no difference to them.

27.3% of El-Sayed voters said it would make them more likely to support a candidate. 37.4% of Stevens voters said it would make the more likely to support a candidate.

El-Sayed Voters Motivated by Anti-AIPAC Language

By a margin of 11.7%-49.3%, primary voters have an unfavorable opinion of AIPAC. But 39.0% of primary voters have no opinion of AIPAC at all. 34.3% of voters have a very unfavorable opinion of AIPAC.

- ***El-Sayed voters have an unfavorable opinion by a margin of 8.2%-65.5%, with 26.3% neutral.***
- Stevens voters have an unfavorable opinion by a margin of 16.5%-38.2%, with 45.3% neutral.
- Undecided voters have an unfavorable opinion by a margin of 3.8%-34.7%, with 61.5% neutral.

Corporate PAC Debate Carries Most Weight With El-Sayed Voters

By a margin of 2.4%-59.4%, a majority of Democratic primary voters would be less likely to vote for a candidate that was supported with corporate PAC money. 33.3% of voters said the issue made no difference to them.

- El-Sayed voters would be less likely by a margin of 1.0%-79.4%, with 17.2% saying the issue had no impact.
- Stevens voters would be less likely by a margin of 4.1%-47.3%, with 45.7% saying the issue had no impact.
- Undecided voters would be less likely by a margin of 0.0%-36.5%, but 38.5% of undecided voters said the issue had no impact with them.

Middle East Issues Not the Dividing Line in the Race Some Make It Out to Be

Democratic primary voters were asked a series of questions about Gaza, Israel and the Middle East. Despite the rancor of the issue, Democratic primary voters are largely in sync on these questions with large majorities of Democratic voters in agreement.

By a margin of 63.3%-14.8%, Democratic primary voters support the creation of an independent Palestinian state in Gaza. 45.3% of Democrats strongly support an independent state while 18.0% somewhat support it. 21.9% of voters said it would depend or they did not know.

- El-Sayed voters support an independent state by a margin of 78.0%-9.1%, with 12.9% unsure.
- Stevens voters support an independent state by a margin of 51.0%-23.1%, with a much larger 25.9% unsure.
- Undecided voters support an independent state by a margin of 61.6%-0.0%, with an even larger 38.5% unsure.

By a margin of 76.8%-11.4%, Democratic primary voters support Israel's right to exist. 11.8% of voters were unsure.

- El-Sayed voters support Israel's right to exist by a margin of 75.1%-12.9%, with 12.0% unsure.
- Stevens voters support Israel's right to exist by a margin of 79.8%-10.7%, with 9.5% unsure.
- Undecided voters support Israel's right to exist by a margin of 69.2%-9.6%, with 21.2% unsure.

But a key difference on this question came from Democratic Socialist voters.

- Traditional Democrats support Israel's right to exist by a margin of 78.8%-8.0%, with 13.1% unsure. 49.7% strongly support Israel's right to exist.
- Democratic Socialists support Israel's right to exist by a margin of 67.4%-**30.2%**, with 2.3% unsure. 36.0% strongly support Israel's right to exist. **20.9% of Democratic Socialists STRONGLY OPPOSE Israel's right to exist.**

69.7% of Democratic voters say Israel's actions against Hamas and Hezbollah have gone too far. 2.8% say they have not gone far enough. 12.7% said they have been about right. 14.8% of voters were unsure.

- 79.9% of El-Sayed voters said they had gone too far. 1.9% said they had not gone far enough. 5.7% said they were about right. 12.4% were unsure.
- 61.3% of Stevens voters said they had gone too far. 4.1% said they had not gone far enough. **21.0% said they were about right.** 13.6% were unsure.
- 67.3% of undecided voters said they had gone too far. No undecided voters said they had not gone far enough. 1.9% said they were about right. But 30.8% of undecided voters said they were unsure.

64.6% of Democratic voters say over the past two years antisemitism against Jewish Americans has increased. Just 3.0% say it has decreased. 23.6% said antisemitism has stayed about the same. 8.8% were unsure.

- 57.4% of El-Sayed voters said it had increased. 2.9% said it had decreased. 30.1% said it had stayed about the same. 9.6% said they were unsure.
- 70.8% of Stevens voters said it had increased. 2.9% said it had decreased. 17.7% said it had stayed about the same. 8.6% were unsure.
- 63.5% of undecided voters said it had increased. 3.8% said had decreased. 25.0% said it had stayed about the same. 7.7% were unsure.

But there were key differences on this question among Democratic Socialists and by age with vastly larger Democratic Socialists and young Democratic voters saying that antisemitism had stayed the same.

Type of Democratic/Age	Increased	Decreased	Stayed the same
Democrat	67.1%	1.3%	21.4%
Dem Socialist	54.7%	5.8%	37.2%
18-39	54.2%	10.2%	31.4%
40-54	54.5%	1.0%	36.4%
55-64	64.4%	2.0%	20.8%
65+	76.3%	0.0%	13.4%

Democratic Primary Voters Rank Middle East Issues at Only 5.6 in Overall Importance

Voters were asked to consider all the different issues they will consider in choosing a Senate nominee and asked how important or not important a candidate's position was on Gaza and Israel compared to the other issues they would consider.

Overall, Michigan Democratic primary voters rated the issue of Gaza and Israel at only a 5.6 on a 10.0-point scale. Typically, rankings above 7.0 show a level of importance with voters with a ranking above 8.0 showing a high level of importance. Rankings of 6.0-6.9 show a middling level of importance. Rankings below 6.0 show a low level of importance.

The only demographic group to rank the issue above a 6.0 were Democratic Socialists at 6.5.

- El-Sayed voters rated it at 6.0
- Stevens voters rated it at 5.2
- Undecided voters rated it at 5.7

Democratic Primary Voters Strongly Support Single Payer System; Support Dwindles When Told They Would Move to System

Voters were asked if they support or oppose changing the American health system to a single payer system in which everyone was covered by a Medicare system of health care. ***By a margin of 82.8%-9.6%, Democratic voters overwhelming support a single payer system. 7.6% of voters were unsure.***

- ***64.2% STRONGLY SUPPORT a single payer system while 18.6% somewhat support the system.***

Voters that said they supported a single payer system were then asked if they would support or oppose it if they knew that anyone with insurance through their employer or negotiated by their union would no longer receive those benefits and would be moved to a federal health care system. The voters that originally supported the single payer system would continue to support it by a margin of 66.5%-21.5%, with 12.0% unsure.

- 40.9% would STRONGLY SUPPORT the single payer system with this caveat while 25.6% would somewhat support it.

Once Democratic primary voters were told that anyone with work or union health insurance would be moved to a federal health care system:

**33.8% STRONGLY SUPPORT a single payer system.
21.2% SOMEWHAT SUPPORT a single payer system
12.5% SOMEWHAT OPPOSE a single payer system
14.9% STRONGLY OPPOSE a single payer system
17.5% UNDECIDED about a single payer system**

Dems Say Schumer Wrong Person to Lead Dems

By a margin of 16.0%-65.0%, Democratic primary voters say another Democratic Senator should lead Democrats in the US Senate. 19.0% of voters were unsure. Schumer has no support above 21.0% across any demographic group.

77.5% of El-Sayed voters think Schumer should be replaced 61.7%% of Stevens voters think he should be replaced. 30.8% of undecided voters think he should be replaced – but 48.1% did not know.

Jeffries Viewed Very Differently; Dems Say He Is Right Leader

By a margin of 42.2%-32.5%, Democratic primary voters say Hakeem Jeffries is the right person to lead Democrats in the US House of Representatives. 25.3% of Democratic voters just do not know.

Traditional Democratic voters say Jeffries is the right leader by a margin of 44.1%-28.6%, with 27.3% unsure.

But Democratic Socialists think Jeffries should be replaced. ***Just 25.6% of Democratic Socialists think Jeffries is the right leader while 50.0% believe he should be replaced. 24.4% were not sure.***

El-Sayed voters believe he should be replaced by a margin of 36.8% retain/ 39.7% replace, with 23.4% unsure.

Stevens voters believe he should be retained by a margin of 48.6%-29.6%, with 21.8% unsure.

Undecided voters believe he should be retained by a margin of 34.6%-17.3%, with 48.1% unsure.

Majority of Dems Say ‘Uncommitted’ Leaders Should Play Smaller Role In Party

57.6% of Democratic primary voters say members of the Democratic Party that led the uncommitted movement against Joe Biden and failed to get behind Kamala Harris should play a smaller role in the party. Just 18.0% said they should play a bigger role. 24.4% said it would depend or they were unsure.

A majority of EVERY DEMOGRAPHIC GROUP said that Uncommitted leaders that did not get behind Harris should play a smaller role in the party.

- ***57.4% of El Sayed voters said they should play a smaller role. 62.1% of Stevens voters said they should play a smaller role.***
- ***51.6% of white Democrats said they should play a small role. But 71.6% of black Democrats said they should play a smaller role.***

Harris, Buttigieg Lead 2028 Democratic Field in Michigan

Voters were read nine different potential names for the Democratic nomination for President in 2028 and asked who would be their choice for the Democratic nominee. Kamala Harris and Pete Buttigieg lead the field in Michigan.

25.1% Kamala Harris

19.4% Pete Buttigieg

11.5% Alexandria Ocasio Cortez

10.1% Gavin Newsom

8.3% Cory Booker

8.3% Mark Kelly

4.4% Josh Shapiro

2.2% JB Pritzker

1.6% Wes Moore

1.6% Named someone else

7.5% Undecided

Among traditional Democrats, Harris leads with 27.0% and Buttigieg has 17.9%. Among Democratic Socialists, Alexandria Ocasio Cortez leads with 30.2%, Harris is at 23.3%, and Gavin Newsom and Pete Buttigieg each come in at 16.3%.

Among non-college voters, Harris leads with 29.4% and Buttigieg is at 14.9%. Among college voters, Buttigieg leads with 23.7% and Harris is at 21.0%.

Among white voters, Buttigieg leads at 26.9%, Ocasio Cortez is at 14.6% and Newsom is at 13.0%. Among black voters, Harris dominates with 61.9% with Cory Booker at 9.0%.

Buttigieg leads out-state voters at 24.0% with Harris at 14.7%, Ocasio Cortez at 12.4%, and Newsom at 12.0%. Harris leads among Metro voters at 33.6%, with Buttigieg at 15.7%, and Ocasio Cortez at 10.7%.

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Hello, my name is _____. I'm not selling anything. I'm doing a quick survey of voters in Michigan. It should take five minutes.

Are you registered to vote in the state of Michigan?

- | | | |
|----|-----------------|--------|
| 1. | Yes....CONTINUE | 100.0% |
| 2. | No....TERMINATE | |

1. On August 4th, Michigan voters will go to the polls to vote in the primary election for Governor and other offices. Would you say you will definitely vote in the August primary, probably vote, probably not vote or definitely not vote in the August primary election?

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|----|----------------------------------|-------|
| 1. | Definitely vote....CONTINUE | 93.5% |
| 2. | Probably vote....CONTINUE | 6.5% |
| 3. | Probably not vote....TERMINATE | |
| 4. | Definitely not vote....TERMINATE | |

2. In a primary election, Michigan law requires that you pull either a Republican primary ballot or a Democratic primary ballot. Will you be voting in the Republican primary or the Democratic primary in August?

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|----|----------------------------------|--------|
| 1. | Republican Primary...TERMINATE | |
| 2. | Democratic Primary....CONTINUE | 100.0% |
| 3. | Don't Know/ Refused....TERMINATE | |

3. Can you tell me which county you vote in? IF WAYNE COUNTY, ASK: WOULD THAT BE IN THE CITY OF DETROIT OR OUTSIDE OF THE CITY OF DETROIT?

1.	Northern/UP	6.1%
2.	West	7.5%
3.	Southwest	8.9%
4.	Mid Michigan	8.5%
5.	East Central	13.5%
6.	Oakland County	16.8%
7.	Macomb County	8.3%
8.	Wayne County	11.3%
9.	City of Detroit	12.7%
10.	Remainder of Det MSA	6.4%

4. REGION [CODE]

1.	Out-State (Northern/UP, West, Southwest, Mid, East Central)	44.6%
2.	Metro (Oakland, Macomb, Wayne, Remainder of MSA)	55.4%

5. What is the single most important issue that is motivating you to get out and vote in the August 4th primary election?

[RECORD AS STATED/ CODE RESPONSE]

19.0%	Opposition to Trump Administration
17.8%	Economy/ Cost of Living
12.5%	Voting Right/ Civil Duty/ Protecting Our Voice
11.5%	Elect Democrats/ Take Control
9.7%	Change/ Reform/ Accountability
4.1%	Best Candidate to Win the Office
3.8%	Preservation of Democracy
2.6%	Progressive Values
2.6%	Future of Michigan/ Future of our Kids
2.2%	Roads/ Transportation
1.8%	Education
1.8%	ICE/ Immigration
1.6%	Health Care
1.2%	Data Centers
1.2%	Local Ballot Proposal/ Millage
0.8%	Housing/ Homelessness
0.6%	Gun Control
4.4%	No Issue/ Don't Know
0.8%	Miscellaneous

6. Would you say you have a favorable or an unfavorable view of the Democratic Party?
ASK: WOULD THAT BE VERY FAVORABLE/UNFAVORABLE OR JUST SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE/UNFAVORABLE?

1.	Very favorable	37.6%
2.	Somewhat favorable	42.6%
3.	Somewhat unfavorable	5.7%
4.	Very unfavorable	4.2%
5.	Neutral/ No Opinion/ Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	9.9%

I am going to read you the names of some people. For each, please tell me if you have ever heard of them and if you have heard of them, please tell me if you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of that person.

7. Gretchen Whitmer NAME ID: 100.0%

1.	Favorable	87.5%
2.	Unfavorable	8.5%
3.	No Opinion	4.0%
4.	Never heard of	0.0%
5.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	0.0%

8. Abdul El-Sayed NAME ID: 88.5%

1.	Favorable	51.5%
2.	Unfavorable	15.4%
3.	No Opinion	21.6%
4.	Never heard of	10.9%
5.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	0.6%

9.	Haley Stevens	NAME ID: 90.7%
1.	Favorable	49.5%
2.	Unfavorable	21.0%
3.	No Opinion	20.2%
4.	Never heard of	8.5%
5.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	0.8%
10.	Jocelyn Benson	NAME ID: 88.9%
1.	Favorable	69.5%
2.	Unfavorable	8.1%
3.	No Opinion	11.3%
4.	Never heard of	10.7%
5.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	0.4%
11.	Chris Swanson	NAME ID: 48.5%
1.	Favorable	15.0%
2.	Unfavorable	9.1%
3.	No Opinion	24.4%
4.	Never heard of	50.7%
5.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	0.8%

12. If the Democratic primary for Governor was held today, would you vote for [ROTATE] Jocelyn Benson or Chris Swanson to be the Democratic nominee for Governor? ASK: WILL YOU DEFINITELY VOTE FOR THEM OR WILL YOU PROBABLY VOTE FOR THEM?
IF DON'T KNOW, ASK: WHO WOULD YOU CHOOSE TODAY?

1.	Definitely Jocelyn Benson	51.5% BENSON	71.7%
2.	Probably Jocelyn Benson	20.2%	
3.	Definitely Chris Swanson	6.9% SWANSON	11.9%
4.	Probably Chris Swanson	5.0%	
5.	Don't Know/ Refused/ Other...DO NOT OFFER	16.4% UNDECIDED	16.4%

13. If the Democratic primary for US. Senate was held today, would you vote for [ROTATE] Abdul El-Sayed or Haley Stevens to be the Democratic candidate for US Senate? ASK: WILL YOU DEFINITELY VOTE FOR THEM OR WILL YOU PROBABLY VOTE FOR THEM?
IF DON'T KNOW, ASK: WHO WOULD YOU CHOOSE TODAY?

1.	Definitely Abdul El-Sayed	33.7% EL-SAYED	41.4%
2.	Probably Abdul El-Sayed	7.7%	
3.	Definitely Haley Stevens	34.1% STEVENS	48.2%
4.	Probably Haley Stevens	14.1%	
5.	Mallory McMorrow...DO NOT OFFER	0.2% MCMORROW	0.2%
6.	Other _____DO NOT OFFER	0.0%	
7.	Don't Know....DO NOT OFFER	9.5% UNDECIDED	9.5%
8.	Refused....DO NOT OFFER	0.7% REFUSED	0.7%

14. I am going to read you a list of four potential factors that a voter may consider in choosing the Democratic nominee for US Senate. Please tell me which ONE factor on the list is the most important to you in choosing the Democratic nominee. [READ 1-4]. IF MORE THAN ONE, ASK: IF YOU HAD TO CHOOSE JUST ONE WHICH WOULD YOU CHOOSE?

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|----|--|-------|
| 1. | That the candidate will get results for Michigan in the US Senate. | 12.7% |
| 2. | That the candidate will be a fighter that stands up to Donald Trump. | 38.2% |
| 3. | That the candidate represents my values. | 19.0% |
| 4. | That the candidate can win in November and beat Mike Rogers. | 25.1% |
| 5. | Don't Know/ Refused/ Other/ Multiple...DO NOT OFFER | 5.0% |

15. Would an endorsement from Gretchen Whitmer in the US Senate race make you more or less likely to vote for one of the Senate candidates, or would it have no impact on you? IF MORE/ LESS ASK: WOULD THAT BE MUCH MORE/LESS LIKELY OR JUST A LITTLE MORE/LESS LIKELY?

- | | | | |
|----|---|-----------------|-------|
| 1. | Much more likely | 15.2% MORE | 34.4% |
| 2. | Little more likely | 19.2% | |
| 3. | Little less likely | 1.0% LESS | 1.4% |
| 4. | Much less likely | 0.4% | |
| 5. | Have no impact on me | 63.2% NO IMPACT | 63.2% |
| 6. | Don't Know/ Depends/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 1.0% | |

16. Would you say you have a favorable or an unfavorable view of Democratic Socialists of America? ASK: WOULD THAT BE VERY FAVORABLE/UNFAVORABLE OR JUST SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE/UNFAVORABLE?

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|----|---|-------------------|-------|
| 1. | Very favorable | 25.5% FAVORABLE | 57.6% |
| 2. | Somewhat favorable | 32.1% | |
| 3. | Somewhat unfavorable | 9.5% UNFAVORABLE | 14.8% |
| 4. | Very unfavorable | 5.3% | |
| 5. | Neutral/ No Opinion/ Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 27.6% NEUTRAL/ DK | 27.6% |

17. Would you say you have a favorable or an unfavorable view of AIPAC otherwise known as the American Israeli Public Affairs Committee? ASK: WOULD THAT BE VERY FAVORABLE/UNFAVORABLE OR JUST SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE/UNFAVORABLE?

1.	Very favorable	1.8%	FAVORABLE	11.7%
2.	Somewhat favorable	9.9%		
3.	Somewhat unfavorable	15.0%	UNFAVORABLE	49.3%
4.	Very unfavorable	34.3%		
5.	Neutral/ No Opinion/ Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	39.0%	NEUTRAL/DK	39.0%

18. Would you say you would or would not vote for a candidate that called themselves a Democratic Socialist?

1.	Would vote	54.1%
2.	Would not vote	16.4%
3.	Don't Know/ Depends...DO NOT OFFER	26.5%
4.	Refused...DO NOT OFFER	3.0%

19. Would you be more or less likely to vote for a candidate that was supported with corporate pac money, or does the issue make no difference to you? ASK; WOULD THAT BE MUCH MORE/LESS LIKELY OR JUST A LITTLE MORE/LESS LIKELY?

1.	Much more likely	0.8%	MORE	2.4%
2.	Little more likely	1.6%		
3.	Little less likely	17.6%	LESS	59.4%
4.	Much less likely	41.8%		
5.	Makes no difference	33.3%	NO DIFFERENCE	33.3%
6.	Don't Know/ Depends/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	4.9%		

20. Would you be more or less likely to vote for a candidate that was supported by AIPAC, or does the issue make no difference to you? ASK; WOULD THAT BE MUCH MORE/LESS LIKELY OR JUST A LITTLE MORE/LESS LIKELY?

1.	Much more likely	0.6%	MORE	3.0%
2.	Little more likely	2.4%		
3.	Little less likely	10.7%	LESS	40.6%
4.	Much less likely	29.9%		
5.	Makes no difference	47.1%	NO DIFFERENCE	47.1%
6.	Don't Know/ Depends/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	9.3%		

21. I want to ask you a few questions about the situation in the Middle East. Do you support or oppose the creation of an independent Palestinian state in Gaza? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONGLY SUPPORT/OPPOSE OR JUST SOMEWHAT SUPPORT/OPPOSE?

1.	Strongly support	45.3%	SUPPORT	63.3%
2.	Somewhat support	18.0%		
3.	Somewhat oppose	8.1%	OPPOSE	14.8%
4.	Strongly oppose	6.7%		
5.	Depends/ Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	21.9%	DK/DEPENDS	21.9%

22. Do you support or oppose Israel's right to exist as a country? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONGLY SUPPORT/OPPOSE OR JUST SOMEWHAT SUPPORT/OPPOSE?

1.	Strongly support	47.3%	SUPPORT	76.8%
2.	Somewhat support	29.5%		
3.	Somewhat oppose	5.5%	OPPOSE	11.4%
4.	Strongly oppose	5.9%		
5.	Depends/ Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	11.8%	DK/ DEPENDS	11.8%

23. Would you say Israel's actions against Hamas and Hezbollah have gone too far, not far enough, or would you say their actions have been about right?

1.	Gone too far	69.7%
2.	Not far enough	2.8%
3.	About right	12.7%
4.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	14.8%

24. Over the past two years, would you say antisemitism against Jewish Americans in the United States has increased, decreased or stayed about the same?

1.	Increased	64.6%
2.	Decreased	3.0%
3.	Stayed about the same	23.6%
4.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	8.8%

25. When you think of all the different issues you will consider in choosing a Senate nominee, on a scale of one to ten how important or not important is a candidate's position on Gaza and Israel compared to all those other issues you will consider? One means their position on Gaza and Israel is not at all important compared to other issues and ten means it is extremely important. You can choose any number between one and ten.

SCORE: 5.6

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	DK/Ref
9.9%	4.2%	6.7%	6.9%	25.0%	7.5%	12.3%	13.9%	4.2%	8.3%	1.1%

26. Shifting topics. Would you support or oppose changing the American health care system to a single payer system in which everyone was covered by a Medicare style system of health care? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONGLY SUPPORT/OPPOSE OR JUST SOMEWHAT SUPPORT/OPPOSE?

1.	Strongly support...MOVE TO Q27	64.2%	SUPPORT	82.8%
2.	Somewhat support...MOVE TO Q27	18.6%		
3.	Somewhat oppose...MOVE TO Q28	4.8%	OPPOSE	9.6%
4.	Strongly oppose...MOVE TO Q28	4.8%		
5.	Depends/ Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER/ Q28	7.6%	DK/ DEPENDS	7.6%

27. Would you support or oppose that change if knew you that anyone with insurance through their employer or negotiated by their union would no longer receive those benefits and would be moved to a federal health care system? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONGLY SUPPORT/OPPOSE OR JUST SOMEWHAT SUPPORT/OPPOSE?
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|----|---|------------------|-------|
| 1. | Strongly support | 40.9% SUPPORT | 66.5% |
| 2. | Somewhat support | 25.6% | |
| 3. | Somewhat oppose | 9.3% OPPOSE | 21.5% |
| 4. | Strongly oppose | 12.2% | |
| 5. | Depends/ Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 12.0% DK/DEPENDS | 12.0% |
28. Do you believe Chuck Schumer is the right person to lead Democrats in the US Senate or do you think another Democratic Senator should lead the party in the Senate?
- | | | |
|----|---|-------|
| 1. | Right person | 16.0% |
| 2. | Someone new | 65.0% |
| 3. | Depends/ Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 19.0% |
29. Do you believe Hakeem Jeffries is the right person to lead Democrats in the US House of Representatives or do you think another Democrat should lead the party in the House?
- | | | |
|----|---|-------|
| 1. | Right person | 42.2% |
| 2. | Someone new | 32.5% |
| 3. | Depends/ Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 25.3% |
30. In 2024, some members of the Democratic party led the uncommitted movement against Joe Biden and in many cases did not endorse Kamala Harris against Donald Trump. Do you support leaders of the Uncommitted movement taking a bigger role in the Democratic Party or do you think they should have a smaller role in the Democratic Party?
- | | | |
|----|---|-------|
| 1. | Bigger role | 18.0% |
| 2. | Smaller role | 57.6% |
| 3. | Depends/ Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 24.4% |

31. Thinking ahead to 2028, I am going to read you a list of potential candidates for the Democratic nomination for President in alphabetical order. Please tell me, at this point, who you would support to be the next Democratic candidate for President?

1.	Cory Booker	8.3%
2.	Pete Buttigieg	19.4%
3.	Alexandria Ocasio Cortez	11.5%
4.	Kamala Harris	25.1%
5.	Mark Kelly	8.3%
6.	Wes Moore	1.6%
7.	Gavin Newsom	10.1%
8.	J.B. Pritzker	2.2%
9.	Josh Shapiro	4.4%
10.	Someone else _____ [RECORD]	1.6%
11.	Depends/ Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	7.5%

32. Do you plan to vote in the August 4th primary by absentee ballot, will you go in and vote early, or do you plan to vote on Election Day? IF ABSENTEE BALLOT, ASK: AND HAVE YOU CAST YOUR BALLOT ALREADY OR WOULD YOU SAY YOU ARE STILL HOLDING YOUR BALLOT?

1.	Absentee, Already Voted	21.0%
2.	Absentee, Holding Ballot	41.2%
3.	Vote Early	5.7%
4.	Election Day	31.9%
5.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	0.2%

33. Would you say you are a Democrat or would you say you are a Democratic Socialist?

1.	Democrat	74.0%
2.	Democratic Socialist	17.1%
3.	Both...DO NOT OFFER	3.2%
4.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	5.7%

34. On a scale of one to ten, with one being very low and ten being very high, how motivated are you to vote in the August primary election. You can choose any number between one and ten.

SCORE: 9.4

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	DK/Ref
0.8%	1.0%	2.6%	0.4%	0.2%	1.6%	2.6%	3.6%	3.8%	83.4%	0.2%

35. What would be the last year of schooling you completed?

1.	High school graduate or less	20.6%
2.	Vocational Training/ Community College/ Some College/ Trade Cert	28.5%
3.	College Graduate	50.9%
4.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	0.0%

36. Could you please tell me in what year you were born?

1.	18-39	1987-2008	23.4%
2.	40-54	1972-1986	19.6%
3.	55-64	1962-1971	20.0%
4.	65 and older	1961 and earlier	36.8%
5.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER		0.2%

37. And what is your race or ethnic background?

1.	Caucasian	62.6%
2.	African American	30.7%
3.	Hispanic/ Puerto Rican/ Mexican American	1.0%
4.	Asian	0.6%
5.	Mixed Race....DO NOT OFFER	3.2%
6.	Native American	0.4%
7.	Other/ Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	1.5%

38. Are you or any member of your household a member of a union or a teachers' association?

- | | | |
|----|------------------------------------|-------|
| 1. | Yes | 28.7% |
| 2. | No | 71.1% |
| 3. | Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 0.2% |

39. Gender

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|----|--------|-------|
| 1. | Male | 46.3% |
| 2. | Female | 53.7% |

40. Telephone

- | | | |
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| 1. | Cell phone | 82.6% |
| 2. | Landline | 17.4% |

41. This survey was commissioned by the news media. Occasionally, they choose to talk to several participants of the survey. Can we release your name and telephone number to them if they want to talk to you? Or would you prefer that your opinions remain confidential? IF YES, ASK:

AND CAN YOU CONFIRM YOUR NAME? _____

WRITE IN TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

THANK YOU. THAT COMPLETES OUR SURVEY.

6. Would you say you have a favorable or an unfavorable view of the Democratic Party?

	Very Favorable	Somewhat Favorable	Somewhat Unfavorable	Very Unfavorable
Definite	39.2%	42.4%	4.2%	4.2%
Probable	15.2%	45.5%	27.3%	3.0%
AB Voted	46.2%	41.5%	6.6%	1.9%
AB Holding	40.9%	36.5%	6.7%	3.4%
Early	31.0%	37.9%	10.3%	3.4%
Election Day	29.2%	52.2%	3.1%	6.8%
Outstate	38.2%	45.8%	4.9%	1.3%
Metro	37.1%	40.0%	6.4%	6.4%
Democrat	43.0%	40.6%	4.3%	3.2%
Dem Soc	22.1%	50.0%	10.5%	3.5%
Non-College	41.1%	42.3%	4.4%	0.8%
College	34.2%	42.8%	7.0%	7.4%
18-39	16.9%	51.7%	5.1%	5.9%
40-54	33.3%	47.5%	5.1%	7.1%
55-64	44.6%	36.6%	6.9%	5.9%
65+	48.9%	37.6%	5.9%	0.5%
White	36.4%	42.7%	7.0%	3.8%
Black	39.4%	41.3%	3.2%	5.2%
Union	39.3%	44.1%	7.6%	2.1%
Non-Union	36.8%	42.1%	5.0%	5.0%
Male	29.1%	47.0%	5.6%	4.7%

Female	45.0%	38.7%	5.9%	3.7%
7. Gretchen Whitmer				
	Favorable	Unfavorable	No Opinion	Never Heard
Definite	89.2%	6.8%	4.0%	0.0%
Probable	63.6%	33.3%	3.0%	0.0%
AB Voted	88.7%	6.6%	4.7%	0.0%
AB Holding	92.3%	5.3%	2.4%	0.0%
Early	89.7%	6.9%	3.4%	0.0%
Election Day	80.1%	14.3%	5.6%	0.0%
Outstate	81.8%	11.6%	6.7%	0.0%
Metro	92.1%	6.1%	1.8%	0.0%
Democrat	89.0%	8.0%	2.9%	0.0%
Dem Soc	88.4%	3.5%	8.1%	0.0%
Non-College	88.3%	8.5%	3.2%	0.0%
College	86.8%	8.6%	4.7%	0.0%
18-39	72.9%	15.3%	11.9%	0.0%
40-54	82.8%	14.1%	3.0%	0.0%
55-64	97.0%	3.0%	0.0%	0.0%
65+	94.1%	4.3%	1.6%	0.0%
White	85.1%	10.4%	4.4%	0.0%
Black	92.3%	3.9%	3.9%	0.0%
Union	86.9%	9.0%	4.1%	0.0%
Non-Union	87.7%	8.4%	3.9%	0.0%
Male	90.6%	3.8%	5.6%	0.0%
Female	84.9%	12.5%	2.6%	0.0%

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8. Abdul El-Sayed

	Favorable	Unfavorable	No Opinion	Never Heard
Definite	51.1%	15.7%	22.5%	10.2%
Probable	57.6%	12.1%	9.1%	21.2%
AB Voted	56.6%	22.6%	18.9%	1.9%
AB Holding	46.2%	20.2%	21.2%	12.0%
Early	44.8%	3.4%	34.5%	17.2%
Election Day	55.9%	6.8%	21.7%	14.3%
Outstate	58.7%	10.7%	16.4%	12.9%
Metro	45.7%	19.3%	25.7%	9.3%
Democrat	44.4%	17.1%	24.3%	13.4%
Dem Soc	82.6%	5.8%	9.3%	2.3%
Non-College	42.7%	20.2%	23.4%	12.5%
College	59.9%	10.9%	19.8%	9.3%
18-39	66.1%	12.7%	16.9%	4.2%
40-54	56.6%	9.1%	18.2%	16.2%
55-64	50.5%	10.9%	22.8%	15.8%
65+	40.3%	23.1%	25.3%	9.7%
White	64.6%	10.4%	18.0%	6.0%
Black	25.2%	26.5%	26.5%	21.9%
Union	54.5%	10.3%	22.1%	11.0%
Non-Union	50.4%	17.5%	21.2%	10.9%
Male	56.4%	13.7%	22.6%	7.3%
Female	47.2%	17.0%	20.7%	14.0%

9. Haley Stevens				
	Favorable	Unfavorable	No Opinion	Never Heard
Definite	49.4%	21.8%	19.5%	8.5%
Probable	51.5%	9.1%	30.3%	9.1%
AB Voted	59.4%	20.8%	17.0%	2.8%
AB Holding	51.9%	16.8%	23.1%	6.3%
Early	44.8%	31.0%	24.1%	0.0%
Election Day	41.0%	24.8%	17.4%	16.8%
Outstate	42.7%	20.9%	22.7%	12.0%
Metro	55.0%	21.1%	18.2%	5.7%
Democrat	54.0%	14.2%	22.7%	8.8%
Dem Soc	23.3%	51.2%	16.3%	5.8%
Non-College	52.0%	20.2%	17.3%	8.9%
College	47.1%	21.8%	23.0%	8.2%
18-39	24.6%	50.0%	19.5%	5.9%
40-54	41.4%	23.2%	20.2%	15.2%
55-64	56.4%	14.9%	17.8%	10.9%
65+	65.6%	4.8%	22.0%	5.4%
White	50.0%	19.6%	22.8%	6.3%
Black	51.0%	24.5%	12.3%	12.3%
Union	44.1%	22.8%	20.0%	12.4%
Non-Union	51.5%	20.3%	20.3%	7.0%
Male	47.9%	23.9%	23.1%	5.1%
Female	50.9%	18.5%	17.7%	11.4%

10. Jocelyn Benson

	Favorable	Unfavorable	No Opinion	Never Heard
Definite	71.2%	7.6%	10.0%	10.8%
Probable	45.5%	15.2%	30.3%	9.1%
AB Voted	84.0%	2.8%	6.6%	6.6%
AB Holding	74.0%	7.7%	11.1%	7.2%
Early	82.8%	3.4%	6.9%	0.0%
Election Day	51.6%	13.0%	15.5%	19.9%
Outstate	68.0%	10.2%	11.1%	10.7%
Metro	70.7%	6.4%	11.4%	10.7%
Democrat	69.5%	7.2%	11.5%	11.2%
Dem Soc	70.9%	15.1%	5.8%	8.1%
Non-College	64.5%	11.7%	12.5%	11.3%
College	74.3%	4.7%	10.1%	10.1%
18-39	50.8%	20.3%	14.4%	12.7%
40-54	66.7%	8.1%	13.1%	12.1%
55-64	85.1%	4.0%	2.0%	8.9%
65+	74.2%	2.7%	13.4%	9.7%
White	75.0%	5.4%	12.3%	6.6%
Black	56.8%	14.2%	9.7%	19.4%
Union	65.5%	13.8%	9.0%	11.7%
Non-Union	71.0%	5.8%	12.3%	10.3%
Male	71.4%	9.8%	12.8%	6.0%
Female	67.9%	6.6%	10.0%	14.8%

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11. Chris Swanson

	Favorable	Unfavorable	No Opinion	Never Heard
Definite	15.0%	9.7%	23.7%	50.6%
Probable	15.2%	0.0%	33.3%	51.5%
AB Voted	18.9%	11.3%	28.3%	41.5%
AB Holding	14.4%	7.2%	23.1%	54.3%
Early	20.7%	6.9%	3.4%	69.0%
Election Day	12.4%	10.4%	27.3%	48.4%
Outstate	24.0%	9.8%	20.9%	44.4%
Metro	7.9%	8.6%	27.1%	55.7%
Democrat	16.8%	6.4%	24.3%	52.1%
Dem Soc	8.1%	19.8%	23.3%	46.5%
Non-College	16.5%	12.1%	23.8%	47.2%
College	13.6%	6.2%	24.9%	54.1%
18-39	16.9%	18.6%	31.4%	33.1%
40-54	14.1%	6.1%	18.2%	60.6%
55-64	15.8%	8.9%	26.7%	47.5%
65+	14.0%	4.8%	21.5%	58.6%
White	15.5%	6.0%	24.4%	52.8%
Black	15.5%	16.1%	27.1%	41.3%
Union	11.7%	13.1%	22.8%	51.0%
Non-Union	16.4%	7.5%	24.8%	50.7%
Male	15.0%	11.1%	20.5%	53.4%
Female	15.1%	7.4%	27.7%	48.3%

12. If the Democratic primary for Governor was held today, would you vote for [ROTATE] Jocelyn Benson or Chris Swanson to be the Democratic nominee for Governor?

	Definite Benson	Probable Benson	Definite Swanson	Probable Swanson	Undecided
Definite	53.6%	19.9%	7.0%	4.4%	15.0%
Probable	21.2%	24.2%	6.1%	12.1%	36.4%
AB Voted	75.5%	7.5%	8.5%	0.0%	8.5%
AB Holding	53.4%	25.5%	5.8%	3.4%	12.0%
Early	65.5%	24.1%	3.4%	0.0%	6.9%
Election Day	30.4%	21.1%	8.1%	11.2%	29.2%
Outstate	45.8%	17.8%	13.3%	8.4%	14.7%
Metro	56.1%	22.1%	1.8%	2.1%	17.9%
Democrat	54.0%	21.7%	7.2%	2.9%	14.2%
Dem Soc	46.5%	11.6%	4.7%	16.3%	20.9%
Non-College	47.6%	18.1%	9.3%	6.5%	18.5%
College	55.3%	22.2%	4.7%	3.5%	14.4%
18-39	31.4%	15.3%	10.2%	14.4%	28.8%
40-54	34.3%	35.4%	10.1%	2.0%	18.2%
55-64	62.4%	17.8%	6.9%	2.0%	10.9%
65+	67.2%	16.7%	3.2%	2.2%	10.8%
White	53.5%	19.6%	8.5%	2.5%	15.8%
Black	46.5%	20.0%	4.5%	10.3%	18.7%
Union	41.4%	26.2%	5.5%	9.0%	17.9%
Non-Union	55.4%	17.8%	7.5%	3.3%	15.9%

Male	47.0%	21.8%	8.5%	5.1%	17.5%
Female	55.4%	18.8%	5.5%	4.8%	15.5%

13. If the Democratic primary for US. Senate was held today, would you vote for [ROTATE] Abdul El-Sayed or Haley Stevens to be the Democratic candidate for US Senate?

	Definite El-Sayed	Probable El-Sayed	Definite Stevens	Probable Stevens	Undecided	
Definite	33.9%	6.8%	35.0%	13.8%	9.5%	
Probable	30.3%	21.2%	21.2%	18.2%	9.1%	
AB Voted	40.6%	2.8%	44.3%	7.5%	3.8%	0.9% McMorrow
AB Holding	24.5%	8.2%	38.0%	21.6%	6.7%	
Early	44.8%	6.9%	37.9%	0.0%	10.3%	
Election Day	39.1%	10.6%	21.7%	10.6%	16.8%	
Outstate	35.6%	11.1%	24.9%	13.3%	14.2%	
Metro	32.1%	5.6%	41.4%	14.6%	5.7%	
Democrat	25.4%	7.2%	39.0%	16.8%	10.2%	
Dem Soc	73.3%	3.5%	14.0%	5.8%	3.5%	
Non-College	27.0%	7.3%	43.5%	12.1%	9.3%	
College	40.1%	8.2%	24.9%	16.0%	9.7%	
18-39	55.9%	7.6%	13.6%	15.3%	7.6%	
40-54	40.4%	10.1%	19.2%	13.2%	16.2%	
55-64	28.7%	6.9%	44.6%	11.9%	5.9%	
65+	18.8%	7.0%	48.9%	15.1%	9.1%	
White	39.9%	11.4%	25.6%	13.0%	9.8%	
Black	20.0%	0.6%	50.3%	16.8%	9.7%	
Union	41.4%	2.8%	27.6%	11.7%	15.2%	
Non-Union	30.6%	9.7%	36.5%	15.0%	7.2%	

Male	35.0%	6.8%	32.1%	15.4%	9.4%
Female	32.5%	8.5%	35.8%	12.9%	9.6%

14. I am going to read you a list of four potential factors that a voter may consider in choosing the Democratic nominee for US Senate. Please tell me which ONE factor on the list is the most important to you in choosing the Democratic nominee.

	Results	Fighter	Values	Beat Rogers
Definite	11.9%	38.8%	19.1%	26.3%
Probable	24.2%	30.3%	18.2%	9.1%
AB Voted	9.4%	40.6%	16.0%	27.4%
AB Holding	13.5%	45.7%	16.8%	20.2%
Early	6.9%	37.9%	10.3%	44.8%
Election Day	14.9%	27.3%	25.5%	26.1%
Outstate	11.6%	31.1%	22.2%	28.0%
Metro	13.6%	43.9%	16.4%	22.9%
Democrat	14.4%	39.3%	14.7%	28.9%
Dem Soc	5.8%	27.9%	43.0%	15.1%
Non-College	10.9%	43.1%	19.4%	20.2%
College	14.4%	33.5%	18.7%	30.0%
18-39	17.8%	24.6%	33.9%	16.1%
40-54	11.1%	31.3%	35.4%	20.2%
55-64	4.0%	50.5%	5.0%	35.6%
65+	15.1%	44.1%	8.6%	27.4%
White	13.0%	38.9%	16.1%	25.9%
Black	11.6%	38.7%	26.5%	19.4%
Union	14.5%	33.1%	26.2%	23.4%
Non-Union	12.0%	40.4%	16.2%	25.6%
Male	12.4%	32.1%	17.9%	33.8%
Female	12.9%	43.5%	19.9%	17.7%

15. Would an endorsement from Gretchen Whitmer in the US Senate race make you more or less likely to vote for one of the Senate candidates, or would it have no impact on you?

	MML	LML	LLL	MLL	No Impact
Definite	15.5%	19.9%	1.1%	0.2%	62.3%
Probable	12.1%	9.1%	0.0%	3.0%	75.8%
AB Voted	16.0%	14.2%	2.8%	0.0%	67.0%
AB Holding	15.9%	20.7%	1.0%	0.5%	59.6%
Early	0.0%	27.6%	0.0%	3.4%	69.0%
Election Day	16.1%	19.3%	0.0%	0.0%	64.6%
Outstate	12.0%	18.7%	0.0%	0.0%	65.0%
Metro	17.9%	19.6%	1.8%	0.7%	59.3%
Democrat	19.0%	18.2%	1.3%	0.3%	60.7%
Dem Soc	5.8%	27.9%	0.0%	1.2%	65.1%
Non-College	14.9%	14.1%	1.2%	0.0%	68.1%
College	15.6%	24.1%	0.8%	0.8%	58.4%
18-39	9.3%	24.6%	0.0%	0.8%	65.3%
40-54	5.1%	21.2%	2.0%	1.0%	70.7%
55-64	30.7%	14.9%	0.0%	0.0%	51.5%
65+	16.1%	17.2%	1.6%	0.0%	64.0%
White	10.4%	21.8%	0.9%	0.3%	65.2%
Black	26.5%	14.8%	1.3%	0.0%	56.8%
Union	15.9%	26.9%	0.0%	0.7%	56.6%
Non-Union	15.0%	16.2%	1.4%	0.3%	65.7%
Male	14.5%	23.5%	0.0%	0.0%	61.1%
Female	15.9%	15.5%	1.8%	0.7%	64.9%

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16. Would you say you have a favorable or an unfavorable view of Democratic Socialists of America?

	Very Favorable	Somewhat Favorable	Somewhat Unfavorable	Very Unfavorable	Neutral
Definite	26.3%	31.8%	10.0%	4.4%	27.5%
Probable	15.2%	36.4%	3.0%	18.2%	27.3%
AB Voted	28.3%	37.7%	10.4%	1.9%	21.7%
AB Holding	26.9%	25.5%	11.5%	7.2%	28.8%
Early	13.8%	37.9%	6.9%	0.0%	41.4%
Election Day	23.6%	36.0%	6.8%	6.2%	27.3%
Outstate	25.8%	32.0%	7.1%	4.0%	31.1%
Metro	25.4%	32.1%	11.4%	6.4%	24.6%
Democrat	17.4%	31.6%	10.7%	6.4%	34.0%
Dem Soc	57.0%	34.9%	7.0%	0.0%	1.2%
Non-College	26.6%	29.0%	8.1%	5.6%	30.6%
College	24.5%	35.0%	10.9%	5.1%	24.5%
18-39	22.0%	50.0%	13.6%	2.5%	11.9%
40-54	24.2%	32.3%	10.1%	3.0%	30.3%
55-64	28.7%	32.7%	8.9%	5.0%	24.8%
65+	26.9%	19.9%	7.0%	8.6%	37.6%
White	29.1%	30.4%	8.9%	3.8%	27.8%
Black	16.8%	32.3%	12.3%	7.7%	31.0%
Union	22.1%	26.9%	13.8%	4.1%	33.1%
Non-Union	27.0%	34.0%	7.8%	5.8%	25.3%
Male	20.9%	34.2%	12.0%	8.1%	24.8%
Female	29.5%	30.3%	7.4%	3.0%	29.9%

17. Would you say you have a favorable or an unfavorable view of AIPAC otherwise known as the American Israeli Public Affairs Committee?

	Very Favorable	Somewhat Favorable	Somewhat Unfavorable	Very Unfavorable	Neutral
Definite	1.7%	8.9%	15.7%	34.3%	39.4%
Probable	3.0%	24.2%	6.1%	33.3%	33.3%
AB Voted	0.0%	9.4%	23.6%	36.8%	30.2%
AB Holding	3.8%	7.7%	13.0%	34.6%	40.9%
Early	0.0%	13.8%	27.6%	34.5%	24.1%
Election Day	0.6%	12.4%	9.9%	31.7%	45.3%
Outstate	0.4%	4.9%	13.3%	34.7%	46.7%
Metro	2.9%	13.9%	16.4%	33.9%	32.9%
Democrat	2.1%	9.4%	15.2%	29.7%	43.6%
Dem Soc	1.2%	7.0%	16.3%	53.5%	22.1%
Non-College	1.6%	14.1%	8.1%	29.8%	46.4%
College	1.9%	5.8%	21.8%	38.5%	31.9%
18-39	0.8%	10.2%	16.1%	44.9%	28.0%
40-54	1.0%	3.0%	15.2%	37.4%	43.4%
55-64	1.0%	15.8%	11.9%	38.6%	32.7%
65+	3.2%	10.2%	15.6%	23.7%	47.3%
White	1.9%	6.0%	15.8%	36.7%	39.6%
Black	0.0%	20.0%	12.3%	30.3%	37.4%
Union	2.8%	4.8%	12.4%	30.3%	49.7%
Non-Union	1.4%	12.0%	15.9%	35.9%	34.8%

Male	1.7%	9.0%	17.1%	37.6%	34.6%
Female	1.8%	10.7%	13.3%	31.4%	42.8%

18. Would you say you would or would not vote for a candidate that called themselves a Democratic Socialist?

	Would Vote	Would Not Vote	Don't Know
Definite	54.9%	15.0%	26.9%
Probable	42.4%	36.4%	21.2%
AB Voted	57.5%	12.3%	30.2%
AB Holding	50.0%	22.1%	21.2%
Early	48.3%	6.9%	44.8%
Election Day	57.8%	13.7%	28.0%
Outstate	53.8%	12.9%	29.3%
Metro	54.3%	19.3%	24.3%
Democrat	45.2%	19.8%	31.8%
Dem Soc	96.5%	0.0%	3.5%
Non-College	44.0%	21.8%	28.6%
College	63.8%	11.3%	24.5%
18-39	68.6%	12.7%	18.6%
40-54	55.6%	8.1%	30.3%
55-64	59.4%	12.9%	24.8%
65+	41.4%	25.3%	30.1%
White	58.5%	13.0%	26.6%
Black	42.6%	24.5%	27.7%
Union	54.5%	10.3%	35.2%
Non-Union	54.0%	18.9%	22.8%
Male	52.6%	21.4%	23.5%
Female	55.4%	12.2%	29.2%

19. Would you be more or less likely to vote for a candidate that was supported with corporate pac money, or does the issue make no difference to you

	MML	LML	LLL	MLL	No Difference
Definite	0.8%	1.7%	17.2%	42.8%	32.4%
Probable	0.0%	0.0%	24.2%	27.3%	45.5%
AB Voted	3.8%	2.8%	9.4%	42.5%	40.6%
AB Holding	0.0%	2.4%	24.0%	335.6%	32.2%
Early	0.0%	0.0%	10.3%	62.1%	24.1%
Election Day	0.0%	0.0%	16.1%	45.3%	31.7%
Outstate	0.0%	1.3%	14.7%	43.6%	34.2%
Metro	1.4%	1.8%	20.0%	40.4%	32.5%
Democrat	1.1%	1.9%	17.9%	36.1%	37.2%
Dem Soc	0.0%	1.2%	12.8%	66.3%	18.6%
Non-College	1.6%	0.4%	11.7%	45.2%	35.5%
College	0.0%	2.7%	23.3%	38.5%	31.1%
18-39	0.0%	0.8%	16.9%	55.9%	21.2%
40-54	0.0%	1.0%	25.3%	32.3%	35.4%
55-64	0.0%	3.0%	19.8%	40.6%	34.7%
65+	2.2%	1.6%	12.9%	38.7%	38.7%
White	0.0%	1.3%	19.3%	45.6%	28.2%
Black	2.6%	1.9%	12.3%	34.2%	44.5%
Union	0.0%	2.8%	15.2%	35.9%	38.6%
Non-Union	1.1%	1.1%	18.7%	44.3%	30.9%
Male	0.0%	1.7%	20.9%	47.4%	23.9%
Female	1.5%	1.5%	14.8%	36.9%	41.3%

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20. Would you be more or less likely to vote for a candidate that was supported by AIPAC, or does the issue make no difference to you?

	MML	LML	LLL	MLL	No Difference
Definite	0.6%	1.5%	10.4%	30.9%	47.2%
Probable	0.0%	15.2%	15.2%	15.2%	45.5%
AB Voted	0.9%	0.9%	10.4%	27.4%	51.9%
AB Holding	0.5%	2.9%	12.5%	31.3%	40.4%
Early	0.0%	0.0%	6.9%	44.8%	48.3%
Election Day	0.6%	3.1%	9.3%	26.7%	52.8%
Outstate	0.9%	2.7%	11.6%	29.3%	49.3%
Metro	0.4%	2.1%	10.0%	30.4%	45.4%
Democrat	0.5%	1.6%	10.7%	25.1%	52.7%
Dem Soc	1.2%	1.2%	12.8%	52.3%	24.4%
Non-College	0.4%	3.2%	4.8%	25.4%	56.9%
College	0.8%	1.6%	16.3%	34.2%	37.7%
18-39	0.0%	4.2%	11.95	47.5%	32.2%
40-54	1.0%	0.0%	19.2%	29.3%	43.4%
55-64	0.0%	1.0%	11.9%	29.7%	48.5%
65+	1.1%	3.2%	4.8%	19.4%	57.5%
White	0.6%	2.2%	13.3%	31.3%	41.1%
Black	0.6%	1.9%	6.5%	25.2%	61.3%
Union	1.4%	1.4%	9.7%	26.9%	53.1%
Non-Union	0.3%	2.8%	11.1%	31.2%	44.6%
Male	0.4%	0.9%	12.4%	29.9%	50.0%
Female	0.7%	3.7%	9.2%	29.9%	44.6%

21. I want to ask you a few questions about the situation in the Middle East. Do you support or oppose the creation of an independent Palestinian state in Gaza?

	Strongly Support	Somewhat Support	Somewhat Oppose	Strongly Oppose	DK/ Depends
Definite	46.6%	16.5%	8.5%	7.2%	21.2%
Probable	27.3%	39.4%	3.0%	0.0%	30.3%
AB Voted	41.5%	14.2%	10.4%	6.6%	27.4%
AB Holding	51.9%	16.3%	7.2%	9.6%	14.9%
Early	58.6%	6.9%	10.3%	3.4%	20.7%
Election Day	37.3%	24.8%	7.5%	3.7%	26.7%
Outstate	47.6%	18.2%	8.0%	3.1%	23.1%
Metro	43.6%	17.9%	8.2%	9.6%	20.7%
Democrat	39.6%	17.4%	9.1%	8.8%	25.1%
Dem Soc	68.6%	15.1%	5.8%	1.2%	9.3%
Non-College	44.0%	14.1%	9.7%	9.7%	22.6%
College	46.7%	21.8%	6.6%	3.9%	21.0%
18-39	50.8%	24.6%	11.0%	2.5%	11.0%
40-54	49.5%	18.2%	6.1%	4.0%	22.2%
55-64	39.6%	16.8%	7.9%	7.9%	27.7%
65+	42.5%	14.5%	7.5%	10.2%	25.3%
White	48.7%	21.2%	6.6%	2.8%	20.6%
Black	36.8%	12.3%	11.6%	14.2%	25.2%
Union	44.8%	18.6%	7.6%	5.5%	23.4%
Non-Union	45.4%	17.8%	8.4%	7.2%	21.2%

Male	50.4%	22.6%	8.1%	3.4%	15.4%
Female	41.0%	14.0%	8.1%	9.6%	27.3%

22. Do you support or oppose Israel's right to exist as a country?

	Strongly Support	Somewhat Support	Somewhat Oppose	Strongly Oppose	DK/ Depends
Definite	47.2%	29.2%	5.5%	6.1%	11.9%
Probable	48.5%	33.3%	6.1%	3.0%	9.1%
AB Voted	50.9%	23.6%	1.9%	5.7%	17.9%
AB Holding	53.4%	25.5%	11.1%	3.4%	6.7%
Early	48.3%	31.0%	6.9%	0.0%	13.8%
Election Day	37.3%	38.5%	0.6%	9.9%	13.7%
Outstate	47.6%	28.9%	1.3%	9.3%	12.9%
Metro	47.1%	30.0%	8.9%	3.2%	10.7%
Democrat	49.7%	29.1%	5.1%	2.9%	13.1%
Dem Soc	36.0%	31.4%	9.3%	20.9%	2.3%
Non-College	44.0%	26.6%	10.1%	6.9%	12.5%
College	50.6%	32.3%	1.2%	5.1%	10.9%
18-39	30.5%	37.3%	11.9%	12.7%	7.6%
40-54	47.5%	41.4%	3.0%	4.0%	4.0%
55-64	44.6%	26.7%	6.9%	5.0%	16.8%
65+	59.1%	19.9%	2.2%	3.2%	15.6%
White	51.9%	30.7%	3.8%	3.2%	10.4%
Black	41.3%	25.2%	10.3%	10.3%	12.9%
Union	52.4%	26.9%	0.7%	9.7%	10.3%
Non-Union	45.1%	30.6%	7.5%	4.5%	12.3%
Male	49.1%	28.6%	9.0%	6.4%	6.8%
Female	45.8%	30.3%	2.6%	5.5%	15.9%

23. Would you say Israel's actions against Hamas and Hezbollah have gone too far, not far enough, or would you say their actions have been about right?

	Too Far	Not Far Enough	About Right	DK
Definite	70.8%	2.8%	12.3%	14.2%
Probable	54.5%	3.0%	18.2%	24.2%
AB Voted	59.4%	1.9%	16.0%	22.6%
AB Holding	75.0%	4.8%	12.5%	7.7%
Early	62.1%	0.0%	13.8%	24.1%
Election Day	70.8%	1.2%	10.6%	17.4%
Outstate	66.7%	2.2%	13.3%	17.8%
Metro	72.1%	3.2%	12.1%	12.5%
Democrat	66.0%	3.7%	15.5%	14.7%
Dem Soc	88.4%	0.0%	1.2%	10.5%
Non-College	64.5%	2.8%	16.1%	16.5%
College	74.7%	2.7%	9.3%	13.2%
18-39	81.4%	2.5%	0.0%	16.1%
40-54	58.6%	7.1%	16.2%	18.2%
55-64	72.3%	2.0%	9.9%	15.8%
65+	66.7%	1.1%	20.4%	11.8%
White	73.1%	0.9%	13.9%	12.0%
Black	60.6%	5.8%	10.3%	23.2%
Union	71.7%	1.4%	11.7%	15.2%
Non-Union	68.8%	3.3%	13.1%	14.8%
Male	76.5%	2.6%	10.3%	10.7%
Female	63.8%	3.0%	14.8%	18.5%

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24. Over the past two years, would you say antisemitism against Jewish Americans in the United States has increased, decreased or stayed about the same?

	Increased	Decreased	Stayed the Same
Definite	65.9%	2.1%	23.5%
Probable	45.5%	15.2%	24.2%
AB Voted	71.7%	3.8%	18.9%
AB Holding	68.3%	1.9%	20.2%
Early	58.6%	0.0%	27.6%
Election Day	55.9%	4.3%	30.4%
Outstate	60.0%	5.3%	23.1%
Metro	68.2%	1.1%	23.9%
Democrat	67.1%	1.3%	21.4%
Dem Soc	54.7%	5.8%	37.2%
Non-College	67.7%	2.0%	21.8%
College	61.5%	3.9%	25.3%
18-39	54.2%	10.2%	31.4%
40-54	54.5%	1.0%	36.4%
55-64	64.4%	2.0%	20.8%
65+	76.3%	0.0%	13.4%
White	68.4%	2.2%	18.4%
Black	56.8%	5.2%	31.6%
Union	63.4%	0.7%	29.0%
Non-Union	64.9%	3.9%	21.4%
Male	64.1%	2.1%	20.5%
Female	64.9%	3.7%	26.2%

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25. When you think of all the different issues you will consider in choosing a Senate nominee, on a scale of one to ten how important or not important is a candidate's position on Gaza and Israel compared to all those other issues you will consider? One means their position on Gaza and Israel is not at all important compared to other issues and ten means it is extremely important. You can choose any number between one and ten.

	RANK
Definite	5.6
Probable	5.3
AB Voted	5.4
AB Holding	5.6
Early	5.2
Election Day	5.7
Outstate	5.4
Metro	5.7
Democrat	5.5
Dem Soc	6.5
Non-College	5.7
College	5.5
18-39	5.8
40-54	5.3
55-64	5.1
65+	5.9
White	5.6
Black	5.6

Union	5.6
Non-Union	5.6
Male	5.4
Female	5.8

26. Shifting topics. Would you support or oppose changing the American health care system to a single payer system in which everyone was covered by a Medicare style system of health care? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONGLY SUPPORT/OPPOSE OR JUST SOMEWHAT SUPPORT/OPPOSE?

	Strongly Support	Somewhat Support	Somewhat Oppose	Strongly Oppose
Definite	64.2%	18.0%	4.9%	5.1%
Probable	63.6%	27.3%	3.0%	0.0%
AB Voted	67.9%	17.0%	3.8%	7.5%
AB Holding	63.0%	23.1%	4.8%	3.8%
Early	69.0%	10.3%	3.4%	6.9%
Election Day	62.1%	15.5%	5.6%	3.7%
Outstate	65.3%	18.2%	3.1%	3.6%
Metro	63.2%	18.9%	6.1%	5.7%
Democrat	59.9%	20.1%	5.1%	5.6%
Dem Soc	84.9%	14.0%	0.0%	1.2%
Non-College	65.7%	15.7%	3.6%	7.3%
College	62.6%	21.4%	5.8%	2.3%
18-39	64.4%	23.7%	0.0%	4.2%
40-54	68.7%	20.2%	3.0%	4.0%
55-64	57.4%	18.8%	6.9%	2.0%
65+	65.1%	14.5%	7.5%	7.0%
White	65.5%	18.0%	4.7%	4.7%
Black	61.9%	18.1%	4.5%	5.2%
Union	63.4%	15.2%	4.1%	6.9%
Non-Union	64.3%	20.1%	5.0%	3.9%

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Male	65.8%	20.1%	3.0%	3.8%
Female	62.7%	17.3%	6.3%	5.5%

27. Would you support or oppose that change if knew you that anyone with insurance through their employer or negotiated by their union would no longer receive those benefits and would be moved to a federal health care system? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONGLY SUPPORT/OPPOSE OR JUST SOMEWHAT SUPPORT/OPPOSE?

	Strongly Support	Somewhat Support	Somewhat Oppose	Strongly Oppose
Definite	41.0%	24.5%	10.1%	12.1%
Probable	40.0%	40.0%	0.0%	13.3%
AB Voted	50.0%	18.9%	13.3%	2.2%
AB Holding	38.5%	21.8%	9.5%	17.9%
Early	52.2%	4.3%	4.3%	26.1%
Election Day	35.2%	40.0%	7.2%	8.8%
Outstate	43.1%	28.7%	5.9%	8.5%
Metro	39.1%	23.0%	12.2%	15.2%
Democrat	38.5%	22.1%	10.0%	16.4%
Dem Soc	42.4%	38.8%	8.2%	1.2%
Non-College	31.2%	27.7%	9.4%	18.8%
College	50.0%	23.6%	9.3%	6.0%
18-39	44.2%	32.7%	10.6%	8.7%
40-54	52.3%	28.4%	6.8%	6.8%
55-64	35.1%	29.9%	10.4%	14.3%
65+	34.5%	16.9%	9.5%	16.9%
White	45.5%	25.0%	8.7%	7.2%
Black	29.8%	27.4%	10.5%	24.2%
Union	36.0%	28.9%	14.0%	12.3%
Non-Union	42.6%	24.4%	7.6%	12.2%

Male	41.8%	28.4%	6.5%	15.4%
Female	40.1%	23.0%	12.0%	9.2%

28. Do you believe Chuck Schumer is the right person to lead Democrats in the US Senate or do you think another Democratic Senator should lead the party in the Senate?

	Right Person	Someone New
Definite	16.1%	66.5%
Probable	15.2%	42.4%
AB Voted	13.2%	72.6%
AB Holding	16.8%	64.9%
Early	17.2%	62.1%
Election Day	16.8%	60.2%
Outstate	18.7%	64.4%
Metro	13.9%	65.4%
Democrat	20.3%	59.1%
Dem Soc	2.3%	89.5%
Non-College	21.0%	62.1%
College	11.3%	67.7%
18-39	11.9%	61.0%
40-54	11.1%	61.6%
55-64	18.8%	72.3%
65+	19.4%	65.6%
White	12.7%	68.0%
Black	20.6%	59.4%
Union	19.3%	60.7%
Non-Union	14.5%	66.9%
Male	17.9%	67.9%
Female	14.4%	62.4%

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29. Do you believe Hakeem Jeffries is the right person to lead Democrats in the US House of Representatives or do you think another Democrat should lead the party in the House?

	Right Person	Someone New
Definite	41.3%	32.6%
Probable	54.5%	30.3%

AB Voted	38.7%	41.5%
AB Holding	36.5%	38.5%
Early	44.8%	34.5%
Election Day	50.9%	18.6%

Outstate	43.6%	28.4%
Metro	41.1%	35.7%

Democrat	44.1%	28.6%
Dem Soc	25.6%	50.0%

Non-College	43.5%	35.1%
College	40.9%	30.0%

18-39	33.1%	30.5%
40-54	31.3%	36.4%
55-64	51.5%	36.6%
65+	48.4%	29.6%

White	43.7%	33.2%
Black	36.1%	32.9%

Union	44.1%	23.4%
Non-Union	41.2%	36.2%

Male	40.6%	31.2%
Female	43.5%	33.6%

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30. In 2024, some members of the Democratic party led the uncommitted movement against Joe Biden and in many cases did not endorse Kamala Harris against Donald Trump. Do you support leaders of the Uncommitted movement taking a bigger role in the Democratic Party or do you think they should have a smaller role in the Democratic Party?

	Bigger	Smaller	Depends
Definite	18.4%	58.5%	23.1%
Probable	12.1%	45.5%	42.4%
AB Voted	21.7%	52.8%	25.5%
AB Holding	18.3%	57.2%	24.5%
Early	13.8%	65.5%	20.7%
Election Day	16.1%	59.6%	24.2%
Outstate	16.9%	51.1%	32.0%
Metro	18.9%	62.9%	18.2%
Democrat	19.8%	57.5%	22.7%
Dem Soc	12.8%	65.1%	22.1%
Non-College	19.4%	58.9%	21.8%
College	16.7%	56.4%	26.8%
18-39	15.3%	55.9%	28.8%
40-54	15.2%	53.5%	31.3%
55-64	12.9%	68.3%	18.8%
65+	24.2%	54.8%	21.0%
White	20.6%	51.6%	27.8%
Black	12.9%	71.6%	15.5%
Union	19.3%	57.2%	23.4%
Non-Union	17.5%	57.7%	24.8%

Male	23.5%	50.0%	26.5%
Female	13.3%	64.2%	22.5%

31. Thinking ahead to 2028, I am going to read you a list of potential candidates for the Democratic nomination for President in alphabetical order. Please tell me, at this point, who you would support to be the next Democratic candidate for President?

	Booker	Buttigieg	AOC	Harris	Kelly	Moore	Newsom	Pritzker	Shapiro	DK
Definite	8.1%	19.7%	10.2%	26.1%	8.5%	1.7%	10.4%	2.3%	4.7%	6.8%
Probable	12.1%	15.2%	30.3%	12.1%	6.1%	0.0%	6.1%	0.0%	0.0%	18.2%
AB Voted	7.5%	29.2%	7.5%	21.7%	13.2%	0.9%	8.5%	1.9%	6.6%	1.9%
AB Holding	8.2%	17.8%	9.6%	22.1%	6.3%	0.5%	15.9%	2.9%	3.8%	10.6%
Early	6.9%	13.8%	17.2%	17.2%	6.9%	13.8%	13.8%	3.4%	0.0%	3.4%
Election Day	9.3%	16.1%	15.5%	32.9%	8.1%	12%	2.5%	1.2%	4.3%	8.1%
Outstate	9.3%	24.0%	12.4%	14.7%	11.6%	0.0%	12.0%	0.9%	4.9%	9.3%
Metro	7.5%	15.7%	10.7%	33.6%	5.7%	2.9%	8.6%	3.2%	3.9%	6.1%
Democrat	9.6%	17.9%	5.9%	27.0%	9.9%	2.1%	9.1%	2.7%	4.8%	10.2%
Dem Soc	2.3%	16.3%	30.2%	23.3%	4.7%	0.0%	16.3%	1.2%	3.5%	0.0%
Non-College	9.7%	14.9%	8.1%	29.4%	9.3%	1.6%	10.5%	0.4%	5.2%	9.7%
College	7.0%	23.7%	14.8%	21.0%	7.4%	1.6%	9.7%	3.9%	3.5%	5.4%
18-39	6.8%	11.9%	26.3%	33.9%	1.7%	2.5%	0.8%	3.4%	5.1%	7.6%
40-54	8.1%	18.2%	17.2%	23.2%	9.1%	0.0%	9.1%	1.0%	5.1%	7.1%
55-64	7.9%	24.8%	2.0%	25.7%	5.9%	5.0%	15.8%	2.0%	5.9%	3.0%
65+	9.7%	22.0%	4.3%	19.9%	13.4%	0.0%	13.4%	2.2%	2.7%	10.2%
White	8.5%	26.9%	14.6%	7.6%	12.7%	0.6%	13.0%	2.5%	4.1%	7.6%
Black	9.0%	3.9%	5.2%	61.9%	0.6%	0.6%	4.5%	0.0%	5.2%	7.7%
Union	8.3%	13.8%	13.1%	33.1%	6.2%	2.8%	3.4%	2.1%	5.5%	10.3%
Non-Union	8.4%	21.7%	10.9%	21.7%	9.2%	1.1%	12.8%	2.2%	3.9%	6.4%
Male	6.4%	17.3%	11.5%	20.1%	13.7%	3.0%	9.4%	2.1%	4.3%	11.1%
Female	10.0%	21.0%	11.4%	29.5%	3.7%	0.4%	10.7%	2.2%	4.4%	4.4%

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34. On a scale of one to ten, with one being very low and ten being very high, how motivated are you to vote in the August primary election. You can choose any number between one and ten.

SCORE

Definite 9.5
Probable 7.3

AB Voted 9.5
AB Holding 9.3
Early 9.9
Election Day 9.3

Outstate 9.3
Metro 9.5

Democrat 9.4
Dem Soc 9.6

Non-College 9.2
College 9.6

18-39 **8.7**
40-54 9.5
55-64 9.8
65+ 9.5

White 9.5
Black 9.0

Union 9.6
Non-Union 9.3

Male 9.3
Female 9.4

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APPENDIX A: QUESTION 5

5. What is the single most important issue that is motivating you to get out and vote in the August 4th primary election?

	Number	Percent
Nothing.	2	0.4 %
Voting for governor.	1	0.2 %
Crazy president needs to stop.	1	0.2 %
Democrats need more say in the government.	1	0.2 %
Check on activities of Trump and his cohorts.	2	0.4 %
The direction the county is going.	1	0.2 %
Voting.	1	0.2 %
Getting our values back in place.	1	0.2 %
Looking for someone who isn't corrupt.	1	0.2 %
Change of power.	1	0.2 %
The economy.	20	4.0 %
Justice in discrimination.	1	0.2 %
Getting accountability back into our government.	3	0.6 %
I always vote.	6	1.2 %
The war.	2	0.4 %
Removing Republicans from power.	1	0.2 %
Give the government back to the people.	3	0.6 %
Trump out of office.	2	0.4 %
I just don't like the Republican party.	2	0.4 %
The Republican administration.	2	0.4 %
Trump.	6	1.2 %
It's my right.	11	2.2 %
Flipping as many seats to Democrat as we can.	2	0.4 %
Improving the economy.	1	0.2 %
Political advantage.	1	0.2 %
Democracy.	2	0.4 %
Beating the Republicans.	1	0.2 %
General cost of living.	1	0.2 %

Get Trump out of office.	6	1.2 %
To help straighten out our country and bring some sanity back to our government.	1	0.2 %
High cost of things.	1	0.2 %
Defeat Republican weasels.	3	0.6 %
To screw the Republicans.	1	0.2 %
Getting rid of Trump.	10	2.0 %
Balanced individuals who are looking to benefit the greater good, not just themselves.	1	0.2 %
Because of who's in office now.	1	0.2 %
The governor's race.	1	0.2 %
It's my duty.	1	0.2 %
Human decency.	1	0.2 %
Social issues.	1	0.2 %
Economy.	12	2.4 %
Affordability.	10	2.0 %
Antisemitism.	1	0.2 %
The congress.	1	0.2 %
Money in politics.	1	0.2 %
The right to vote.	1	0.2 %
Affordable housing.	1	0.2 %
None.	3	0.6 %
Taxes.	3	0.6 %
Don't know.	18	3.6 %
Keeping Republicans out of power.	3	0.6 %
Trump is a huge ass.	1	0.2 %
Stop Trump from having the war.	1	0.2 %
Road conditions.	5	1.0 %
Have Democrats take over.	3	0.6 %
To try to defeat Republicans.	1	0.2 %
Lack of education funding.	2	0.4 %
Getting the majority for the Democrats in the House and Senate.	2	0.4 %

Our terrible president.	1	0.2 %
Better services for special needs.	5	1.0 %
To get rid of Republicans.	3	0.6 %
To stop Trump.	1	0.2 %
Voter integrity.	1	0.2 %
Our president.	2	0.4 %
Economic stability.	1	0.2 %
I want to see change.	2	0.4 %
Getting the best candidate.	4	0.8 %
Donald Trump.	3	0.6 %
The lack of bipartisan work.	1	0.2 %
Get rid of Trump.	5	1.0 %
Climate change.	1	0.2 %
Health care.	2	0.4 %
Getting the redistribution of wealth for funding of services.	1	0.2 %
The very fact that we have the ability to vote.	1	0.2 %
Common sense and honesty.	2	0.4 %
That we don't get more Republicans.	1	0.2 %
Our current administration in the federal government.	3	0.6 %
Getting the economy back to where it was before this mess.	5	1.0 %
The cost of living.	13	2.6 %
Seeing the new laws.	1	0.2 %
We need the blue wave.	1	0.2 %
High costs.	2	0.4 %
To vote for Democrats.	1	0.2 %
Growing economic disparity.	2	0.4 %
It's my civic duty.	4	0.8 %
Education reform.	1	0.2 %
Stopping Trump.	2	0.4 %
It's a duty.	1	0.2 %
Making the House back to blue.	2	0.4 %

Keeping Democrats in control.	1	0.2 %
Republican party is corrupt.	1	0.2 %
I have immigrant family to protect.	1	0.2 %
It's a privilege to vote.	2	0.4 %
Immigrants not having rights after they've already been here.	2	0.4 %
Road Commission voting.	1	0.2 %
Impeach Trump.	1	0.2 %
New faces to vote for.	3	0.6 %
High gas prices.	3	0.6 %
To try to limit the powers of the current national administration.	2	0.4 %
Keeping Republicans out of office.	1	0.2 %
For a complete change in D.C.	1	0.2 %
The drug prices everywhere.	1	0.2 %
For us to come out on top in the numbers.	1	0.2 %
Making things better for my kids.	7	1.4 %
Stopping the Republicans from having power.	1	0.2 %
The administration destroying America.	1	0.2 %
To oppose Trump.	1	0.2 %
My civil responsibility.	2	0.4 %
The millage for the arts.	1	0.2 %
The future of Michigan.	3	0.6 %
A more progressive government.	9	1.8 %
To get control of the House and Senate for Democrats.	1	0.2 %
The price of everything.	1	0.2 %
Bond proposals.	3	0.6 %
The corruption.	1	0.2 %
Healthcare.	1	0.2 %
Removing Republicans.	1	0.2 %
Inflation.	2	0.4 %
We need to exercise our right to vote.	2	0.4 %
Doing my civic duty.	2	0.4 %

I know it's what I'm supposed to do.	1	0.2 %
To put an end to the right's stranglehold.	1	0.2 %
I'm anti-Trump.	1	0.2 %
I've got to do what I do and make my voice heard.	2	0.4 %
Preventing MAGA from keeping control.	2	0.4 %
I'm against the data centers and don't want them.	2	0.4 %
The direction the country is going.	1	0.2 %
Quality of life.	1	0.2 %
Affordability of housing.	1	0.2 %
To get more Democrats into office.	1	0.2 %
To remove the current administration.	1	0.2 %
Data centers.	3	0.6 %
I vote every year.	1	0.2 %
Removing Donald Trump from office.	1	0.2 %
Putting checks and balances in place.	1	0.2 %
To change prices.	2	0.4 %
Abolishing ICE.	1	0.2 %
I feel it's important to vote.	2	0.4 %
There is a millage that will directly impact my income.	1	0.2 %
To control the senate and stop Trump.	6	1.2 %
Civil Rights.	1	0.2 %
For control of the senate.	1	0.2 %
Getting Trump out of office.	3	0.6 %
I vote no matter what.	1	0.2 %
Getting rid of the Trump administration.	1	0.2 %
To make changes in Michigan.	4	0.8 %
Governmental corruption.	1	0.2 %
Our current administration.	1	0.2 %
I'm concerned about how far left the world is going.	1	0.2 %
To get someone elected.	1	0.2 %
Taking back the House and Senate.	1	0.2 %
Understanding the candidates morals.	2	0.4 %
Candidate electability.	1	0.2 %

Going against Trump.	1	0.2 %
Better gun control.	3	0.6 %
My right to vote.	4	0.8 %
Trying to get the president out of office.	1	0.2 %
Make holistic decisions based on candidates.	3	0.6 %
Transparency.	1	0.2 %
Getting control back from Trump.	1	0.2 %
Taking control of the senate.	2	0.4 %
Stop discrimination.	2	0.4 %
My rights.	2	0.4 %
The governor candidate choice.	1	0.2 %
Putting the choices back in the peoples' hands.	2	0.4 %
Independent thinking.	2	0.4 %
I just vote to get it over with.	2	0.4 %
ICE.	2	0.4 %
Getting big corporate money out of politics.	1	0.2 %
Everything is in chaos.	2	0.4 %
The GOP.	2	0.4 %
Making sure my voice is heard.	2	0.4 %
Take back control.	1	0.2 %
Getting the President out of office.	2	0.4 %
To change the government.	2	0.4 %
Opposing the Trump administration.	1	0.2 %
Continuation of fixing the roads.	1	0.2 %
Preservation of our democracy.	2	0.4 %
Anything to get Trump out.	1	0.2 %
Affordability within our economy.	1	0.2 %
To change government as a whole.	1	0.2 %
Immigration.	1	0.2 %
Getting Republicans out.	1	0.2 %
Preventing data centers.	1	0.2 %
To be a better community.	2	0.4 %
To make my voice count.	2	0.4 %

It's important to not agree with what's going on in the White House.	1	0.2 %
The goals they are not achieving.	8	1.6 %
For democracy.	1	0.2 %
Stop taking our medical options away.	1	0.2 %
For justice.	2	0.4 %
Idiots in the White House.	1	0.2 %
The quality of schools for children.	1	0.2 %
The budget.	2	0.4 %
Eliminating Trump.	2	0.4 %
Trump is insane and we need to stop him.	2	0.4 %
Overturning the Republicans.	2	0.4 %
Housing.	2	0.4 %
To defeat the Republicans.	1	0.2 %
Our millages.	1	0.2 %
Getting the clown out of office.	1	0.2 %
The US Senate having the possibility of someone good.	1	0.2 %
The country is messed up because of the president.	1	0.2 %
Leadership.	2	0.4 %
More jobs.	2	0.4 %
Energy prices.	2	0.4 %
It's important to vote.	2	0.4 %
Fairness by getting rid of Trump.	1	0.2 %
The governor.	1	0.2 %
Immigration and policing in my community.	1	0.2 %
I want to get Trump out of office.	2	0.4 %
I've never missed an election.	4	0.8 %
Mental health issues.	2	0.4 %
Roads.	2	0.4 %
Get racism out of politics.	1	0.2 %
Providing more access to care.	2	0.4 %
Overreach of government officials.	3	0.6 %
The Republicans need to go.	3	0.6 %

Having the ability to vote.	1	0.2 %
The cost of things are rising.	1	0.2 %
It's my right, too.	1	0.2 %
Corruption.	1	0.2 %
A change in transportation for seniors.	3	0.6 %
To get rid of all the stuff going on, especially from Trump.	2	0.4 %
I want to get more Democrats into Congress.	1	0.2 %
Cost of living.	2	0.4 %
Getting Trump out.	2	0.4 %
To keep corruption out of government by getting rid of corporate money.	1	0.2 %
Keeping Republicans out of DC.	1	0.2 %
Having my opinion heard.	1	0.2 %
Protecting our democracy	1	0.2 %
We need to work together to get things done.	1	0.2 %
Republicans.	1	0.2 %
Socialism.	1	0.2 %
Trump administration.	1	0.2 %
The Trump, MAGA cult going on.	1	0.2 %
I'm looking for a progressive candidate.	1	0.2 %
To get rid of Trump.	1	0.2 %
The Republicans.	2	0.4 %
Getting Trump gone.	1	0.2 %
Total	505	100.0 %