

**EPIC•MRA STATEWIDE POLL OF LIKELY NOVEMBER 2026 VOTERS  
[FREQUENCY REPORT OF SURVEY RESPONSES - 600 SAMPLE - ERROR ±4.0 pts.]**

*Polling Dates: April 28, 2025 through May 3, 2025*

*Conducted by live interviewers – included 80% cell phones*

Now I am going to read the names of several political figures. For each one, please tell me if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of that person. If you have not heard a name, please say so. The first name is... “Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of (him/her)?” **[IF FAVORABLE/ UNFAVORABLE, ASK: “Would that be very or generally?” AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]**

**[ROTATE Q’S 4 AND 5]**

	<u>DO NOT</u>	<u>VERY</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>VERY</u>	<u>REF</u>
	<u>RECOG</u>	<u>FAVOR</u>	<u>FAVOR</u>	<u>UNFAV</u>	<u>UNFAV</u>	<u>UNDEC</u>
_04. Donald Trump	---	30%	43%	50%	46%	7%
_05. Gretchen Whitmer	---	35%	54%	38%	26%	8%

\_\_06. Overall, how would you rate the job that Donald Trump is doing so far as President? Would you give him a positive rating of excellent or pretty good, or a negative rating of just fair or poor?

- 24% Excellent
- 17% Pretty good
- 41% TOTAL POSITIVE**
- 56% TOTAL NEGATIVE**
- 11% Just fair
- 45% Poor
- 3% Undecided/Refused

**[ROTATE Q.7 THROUGH Q.11]**

Specifically...

\_\_07. How would you rate the job Donald Trump is doing on the handling of the US economy? Would you give him a positive rating of excellent or pretty good, or a negative rating of just fair or poor?

- 19% Excellent
- 19% Pretty good
- 38% TOTAL POSITIVE**
- 58% TOTAL NEGATIVE**
- 11% Just fair
- 47% Poor
- 4% Undecided/Refused

\_\_08. How would you rate the job Donald Trump is doing on immigration and the southern border? Would you give him a positive rating of excellent or pretty good, or a negative rating of just fair or poor?

34% Excellent  
 14% Pretty good  
**48% TOTAL POSITIVE**  
**48% TOTAL NEGATIVE**  
 10% Just fair  
 38% Poor  
 4% Undecided/Refused

\_\_09. How would you rate the job Donald Trump is doing on reducing inflation and the cost of living? Would you give him a positive rating of excellent or pretty good, or a negative rating of just fair or poor?

14% Excellent  
 19% Pretty good  
**33% TOTAL POSITIVE**  
**62% TOTAL NEGATIVE**  
 11% Just fair  
 51% Poor  
 5% Undecided/Refused

\_\_10. How would you rate the job Donald Trump is doing on ending the war between Russia and Ukraine? Would you give him a positive rating of excellent or pretty good, or a negative rating of just fair or poor?

13% Excellent  
 18% Pretty good  
**31% TOTAL POSITIVE**  
**58% TOTAL NEGATIVE**  
 12% Just fair  
 46% Poor  
 11% Undecided/Refused

\_\_11. How would you rate the job Donald Trump is doing on ending the war in Gaza between Israel and Hamas? Would you give him a positive rating of excellent or pretty good, or a negative rating of just fair or poor?

13% Excellent  
 16% Pretty good  
**29% TOTAL POSITIVE**  
**55% TOTAL NEGATIVE**  
 14% Just fair  
 41% Poor  
 16% Undecided/Refused

\_\_12. How would you rate the job that Gretchen Whitmer has done as Governor of Michigan? Would you give her a positive rating of excellent or pretty good, or a negative rating of just fair or poor for the job she has done as Governor?

22% Excellent  
 30% Pretty good  
**52% TOTAL POSITIVE**  
**46% TOTAL NEGATIVE**  
 21% Just fair  
 25% Poor  
 2% Undecided/Refused

\_\_13. Based on what you know or have heard or read about President Donald Trump's actions and policies on tariffs with other countries, do you support or oppose his efforts? **[IF SUPPORT/OPPOSE, ASK: "Would that be strongly or somewhat?" AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]**

29% Strongly support  
 11% Somewhat support  
**40% TOTAL SUPPORT**  
**52% TOTAL OPPOSE**  
 6% Somewhat oppose  
 46% Strongly oppose  
 8% Undecided/Refused

Finally, I would like to ask a few questions about you - for statistical purposes only.

\_\_43. On the issue of abortion, do you think . . . **[READ 1 THROUGH 5]**

38% Abortion should be legal in all cases  
 19% Legal in most cases  
 23% It should be legal only in cases of rape, incest or to save the life of the mother  
 10% Legal only when necessary to save the life of the mother, or  
 5% Abortion should be against the law in all cases  
 5% Undecided/Refused

\_\_50. Would you describe yourself as **(ROTATE)** conservative, moderate, or liberal?

36% Conservative  
 34% Moderate  
 21% Liberal  
 9% Undecided/Refused

\_\_51. Generally speaking, do you consider yourself a Republican or a Democrat?

**(IF DEM)** Do you consider yourself a strong Democrat or a not very strong Democrat?

**(IF INDEP)** Do you consider yourself closer to the Republican or Democratic Party?

**(IF REP)** Do you consider yourself a strong Republican or not a very strong Republican?

27%	Strong Democrat
6%	Not Strong Democrat
8%	Independent-Lean Democrat
<b>41%</b>	<b>TOTAL DEMOCRAT</b>
12%	Independent
<b>43%</b>	<b>TOTAL REPUBLICAN</b>
10%	Independent-Lean Republican
5%	Not Strong Republican
28%	Strong Republican
1%	Other
3%	Undecided/Refused