

**EPIC•MRA STATEWIDE POLL OF ACTIVE AND LIKELY NOVEMBER 2018 VOTERS
[FREQUENCY REPORT OF SURVEY RESPONSES - 600 SAMPLE - ERROR ±4.0%]**

Polling Dates: April 30, 2018 through May 3, 2018

Conducted by live interviewers – included 30% cell phones

__04. Overall, would you say that things in the country are generally headed in the right direction, or, have things pretty seriously gotten off on the wrong track?

52% | Wrong track
34% | Right direction
14% | Undecided/Refused

Country Direction

Partisan Breakdown	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Dem	Dem	Ind	Ind	Gop	Gop
					Men	Wom	Men	Wom	Men	Wom
Right Direction	34	10	29	65	19	4	33	24	72	56
Wrong Track	52	79	44	21	74	83	39	49	19	23
Undecided	14	11	28	14	7	13	28	27	8	20

__05. How about in Michigan -- would you say that things in Michigan are generally headed in the right direction, or, have things pretty seriously gotten off on the wrong track?

44% | Right direction
38% | Wrong track
18% | Undecided/Refused

Michigan Direction

Partisan Breakdown	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Dem	Dem	Ind	Ind	Gop	Gop
					Men	Wom	Men	Wom	Men	Wom
Right Direction	44	27	42	65	31	24	50	34	68	61
Wrong Track	38	54	35	21	49	58	35	34	22	21
Undecided	18	19	23	14	21	18	15	32	10	18

Now, I would like 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. The first name is _____? “Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of that person?” [IF FAVORABLE/UNFAVORABLE, ASK: “Would that be very or generally?” AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]

[ROTATE Q.6 THROUGH Q.13]

<u>DO NOT RECOG</u>	<u>VERY FAVOR</u>	<u>TOTAL FAVOR</u>	<u>TOTAL UNFAV</u>	<u>VERY UNFAV</u>	<u>REF UNDEC</u>
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__06. Donald Trump	---	20%	36%	56%	46%	8%
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Trump Partisan Breakdown	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Dem	Dem	Ind	Ind	Gop	Gop
					Men	Wom	Men	Wom	Men	Wom
Favorable	36	6	30	76	10	3	31	29	83	68
Unfavorable	56	88	59	16	84	91	57	62	12	20
Undecided	8	6	11	8	6	6	12	9	5	11

[ROTATE Q.6 THROUGH Q.13] **DO NOT RECOG** **VERY FAVOR** **TOTAL FAVOR** **TOTAL UNFAV** **VERY UNFAV** **REF UNDEC**

__07. Rick Snyder --- 12% **40%** **47%** 28% 13%

Snyder Partisan Breakdown

	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Dem Men	Dem Wom	Ind Men	Ind Wom	Gop Men	Gop Wom
Favorable	40	20	39	63	24	18	44	34	65	61
Unfavorable	47	68	46	22	68	68	45	48	23	21
Undecided	13	12	14	14	8	14	11	18	12	18

__08. Bill Schuette 22% 6% **25%** **25%** 14% 28%

Schuette Partisan Breakdown

	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Dem Men	Dem Wom	Ind Men	Ind Wom	Gop Men	Gop Wom
No recognize	22	22	25	22	18	25	17	34	20	23
Favorable	25	11	21	44	14	10	21	21	48	39
Unfavorable	25	39	21	7	50	32	20	23	11	4
Undecided	28	27	32	27	18	33	42	22	21	33

__09. Gretchen Whitmer 54% 5% **16%** **9%** 3% 21%

Whitmer Partisan Breakdown

	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Dem Men	Dem Wom	Ind Men	Ind Wom	Gop Men	Gop Wom
No recognize	54	48	61	57	43	52	58	65	53	61
Favorable	16	25	12	8	27	24	10	14	10	6
Unfavorable	9	6	7	13	10	4	6	8	18	7
Undecided	21	20	20	22	20	20	26	13	19	26

__10. Abdul El-Sayed 47% 2% **12%** **15%** 6% 26%

El-Sayed Partisan Breakdown

	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Dem Men	Dem Wom	Ind Men	Ind Wom	Gop Men	Gop Wom
No recognize	47	39	58	52	38	40	55	62	48	56
Favorable	12	22	8	2	21	22	7	9	3	2
Unfavorable	15	9	7	24	11	8	9	5	29	18
Undecided	26	30	27	22	30	30	29	23	19	24

__11. Shri Thanadar 31% 5% **23%** **20%** 9% 26%

Thanadar Partisan Breakdown

	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Dem Men	Dem Wom	Ind Men	Ind Wom	Gop Men	Gop Wom
No recognize	31	28	23	37	24	30	22	23	34	39
Favorable	23	34	25	10	37	32	21	29	8	12
Unfavorable	20	11	18	30	10	12	18	17	37	23
Undecided	26	27	35	23	29	26	39	32	20	25

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__12. Brian Calley	41%	4%	21%	16%	6%	22%

Calley Partisan Breakdown	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Dem Men	Dem Wom	Ind Men	Ind Wom	Gop Men	Gop Wom
No recognize	41	42	47	38	34	48	44	50	40	36
Favorable	21	11	18	33	12	11	16	20	33	33
Unfavorable	16	26	14	6	36	18	14	14	8	3
Undecided	22	21	21	24	18	23	26	16	19	28

__13. Jim Hines	73%	---	5%	3%	1%	19%
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Hines Partisan Breakdown	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Dem Men	Dem Wom	Ind Men	Ind Wom	Gop Men	Gop Wom
No recognize	73	74	73	71	76	72	65	81	75	67
Favorable	5	4	4	6	4	5	5	3	7	6
Unfavorable	3	4	4	2	8	2	5	3	3	1
Undecided	19	18	19	21	13	22	25	14	15	26

__14. Overall, how would you rate the job that Donald Trump is doing as President – would you give him a positive rating of excellent or pretty good, or a negative rating of just fair or poor?

17%	Excellent
20%	Pretty good
37%	TOTAL POSITIVE
61%	TOTAL NEGATIVE
14%	Just fair
47%	Poor
2%	Undecided/Refused

Trump Job Partisan Breakdown	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Dem Men	Dem Wom	Ind Men	Ind Wom	Gop Men	Gop Wom
Positive Rating	37	7	28	77	11	4	33	23	83	70
Negative Rating	61	92	68	21	88	94	60	77	14	28
Undecided	2	1	4	2	1	2	7	0	3	2

__15. Overall, how would you rate the job that Rick Snyder is doing as Michigan's Governor – would you give him a positive rating of excellent or pretty good, or a negative rating of just fair or poor?

8%	Excellent
30%	Pretty good
38%	TOTAL POSITIVE
59%	TOTAL NEGATIVE
32%	Just fair
27%	Poor
3%	Undecided/Refused

Snyder Job Partisan Breakdown	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Dem Men	Dem Wom	Ind Men	Ind Wom	Gop Men	Gop Wom
Positive Rating	38	17	40	63	21	15	42	38	62	63
Negative Rating	59	81	58	34	78	84	56	59	34	33
Undecided	3	2	2	3	1	1	2	3	4	4

__16. Thinking about the economy in Michigan, do you believe Michigan's economy...[READ 1 TO 3]

63%	Is now improving
18%	Has bottomed out but has not yet started to improve
12%	Has not yet bottomed out and will still get worse
7%	Undecided/Refused

Mich Econ Partisan Breakdown	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Dem Men	Dem Wom	Ind Men	Ind Wom	Gop Men	Gop Wom
Improving	63	52	60	77	59	47	55	65	79	75
Not improving	18	23	19	13	23	23	26	12	12	15
Will get worse	12	17	15	6	11	21	14	15	7	4
Undecided	7	8	6	4	7	9	5	8	2	6

Thinking about the November general election later this year... **[ROTATE Q.17 AND Q.18]**

__17. If the candidates for Governor were Gretchen Whitmer and Bill Schuette, would you vote for **[ROTATE]** Bill Schuette the Republican or Gretchen Whitmer the Democrat?

[IF UNDECIDED, ASK: "Well, if the election was being held today, and you had to decide right now, which candidate would you lean toward?" AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]

31% | Bill Schuette the Republican
 7% | Lean Schuette the Republican
38% | TOTAL VOTE SCHUETTE
43% | TOTAL VOTE WHITMER
 35% | Gretchen Whitmer the Democrat
 8% | Lean Whitmer the Democrat
 19% | Undecided/Refused

Schuette vs Whitmer Partisan Breakdown					Dem	Dem	Ind	Ind	Gop	Gop
	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Men	Wom	Men	Wom	Men	Wom
Schuette	38	6	29	80	9	3	31	26	81	79
Whitmer	43	81	22	5	73	86	20	24	6	5
Undecided	19	13	49	15	18	11	49	50	13	16

__18. If the candidates for Governor were Shri Thanadar and Bill Schuette, would you vote for **[ROTATE]** Bill Schuette the Republican or Shri Thanadar the Democrat?

[IF UNDECIDED, ASK: "Well, if the election was being held today, and you had to decide right now, which candidate would you lean toward?" AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]

32% | Bill Schuette the Republican
 6% | Lean Schuette the Republican
38% | TOTAL VOTE SCHUETTE
44% | TOTAL VOTE THANEDAR
 36% | Shri Thanadar the Democrat
 8% | Lean Thanadar the Democrat
 18% | Undecided/Refused

Schuette vs Thanadar Partisan Breakdown					Dem	Dem	Ind	Ind	Gop	Gop
	All	Dems	Ind	Gop	Men	Wom	Men	Wom	Men	Wom
Schuette	38	7	23	82	9	5	29	16	85	78
Thanadar	44	79	28	7	75	83	24	33	7	7
Undecided	18	14	49	11	16	12	47	51	8	15

_31. Based on your personal experience or what you know or have heard or read, do you support or oppose the efforts of the Tea Party movement? **[IF SUPPORT OR OPPOSE, ASK: “Do you strongly or somewhat (**support/oppose**) the Tea Party movement?” AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]**

6%	Strongly supports Tea Party movement
13%	Somewhat supports Tea Party movement
19%	TOTAL SUPPORT
46%	TOTAL OPPOSE
15%	Somewhat opposes Tea Party movement
31%	Strongly opposes Tea Party movement
35%	Undecided/Refused

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

_32. Do you think of yourself as pro-choice, meaning that you support allowing women to have the right to an abortion, or do you consider yourself pro-life, meaning that you oppose abortions, except when it is necessary to save the life of the mother?

55%	Pro-choice – women have the right to an abortion
38%	Pro-life – against abortions except to save life of mother
7%	Undecided/Refused

_39. Would you describe yourself as (**ROTATE**) a conservative, a moderate or a liberal?

36%	Moderate
33%	Conservative
24%	Liberal
7%	Undecided/Refused

_40. 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?

24%	Strong Democrat
11%	Not Strong Democrat
10%	Independent-Lean Democrat
45%	TOTAL DEMOCRAT
13%	Independent
39%	TOTAL REPUBLICAN
9%	Independent-Lean Republican
11%	Not Strong Republican
19%	Strong Republican
---	Other
3%	Undecided/Refused