EPIC▪MRA STATEWIDE POLL OF ACTIVE & LIKELY NOVEMBER 2024 VOTERS
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Polling Dates: August 6, 2023 through August 11, 2023
Conducted by live interviewers – included 70% cell phones

__03. In the November 2024 general election, are you very certain to vote by going to your polling place, somewhat certain to vote at the polls, somewhat certain to vote by absentee ballot, or are you very certain to vote by absentee ballot?

55%	Very certain to vote at the polls
7%	Somewhat certain to vote at the polls
62%	*TOTAL VOTE POLLS*
33%	*TOTAL VOTE ABSENTEE*
6%	Somewhat certain to vote absentee
27%	Very certain to vote absentee
5%	Undecided/Refused

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 of a name, say so and we'll move on. 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 RESPONSE]**

[ROTATE Q.4 THROUGH Q.8]	NOT RECOG	VERY FAVOR	TOTAL FAVOR	TOTAL UNFAV	VERY UNFAV	REF UNDEC
_04. Joe Biden	0%	17%	*39%*	*52%*	42%	9%
_05. Gretchen Whitmer	0%	32%	*51%*	*41%*	30%	8%
_06. Donald Trump	0%	21%	*37%*	*53%*	46%	10%
_07. Elissa Slotkin	54%	10%	*20%*	*12%*	7%	14%
_08. Mike Rogers	72%	3%	*8%*	*7%*	4%	14%

__09. Overall, how would you rate the job that Joe Biden has done as President? Would you give him a positive rating of excellent or pretty good, or a negative rating of just fair or poor?

9%	Excellent
25%	Pretty good
34%	*TOTAL POSITIVE*
64%	*TOTAL NEGATIVE*
20%	Just fair
44%	Poor
2%	Undecided/Refused

__10. How would you rate the job that Gretchen Whitmer has done as Governor? Would you give her a positive rating of excellent or pretty good, or a negative rating of just fair or poor?

27%   Excellent
24%   Pretty good
51%   *TOTAL POSITIVE*
46%   *TOTAL NEGATIVE*
20%   Just fair
26%   Poor
  3%   Undecided/Refused

__11. Thinking about Michigan's economy over the past several months, do you think Michigan's economy has improved, gotten worse, or remained about the same?

22%   Improved
35%   Gotten worse
39%   Remained about the same
  4%   Undecided/Refused

Thinking about the 2024 November general election for President…

__12. If the election were held today and the candidates were **[ROTATE]** Donald Trump and Joe Biden, would you vote for **[ROTATE]** Donald Trump the Republican or Joe Biden 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]**

40%   Donald Trump the Republican candidate
  5%   Lean toward the Donald Trump the Republican candidate
45%   *TOTAL VOTE TRUMP*
46%   *TOTAL VOTE BIDEN*
43%   Joe Biden the Democrat
  3%   Lean toward Joe Biden the Democrat
  9%   Undecided/Refused

__13. If the election for United States Senate were held today and the candidates were **[ROTATE]** Mike Rogers and Elissa Slotkin, would you vote for **[ROTATE]** Mike Rogers the Republican or Elissa Slotkin 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]**

29%   Mike Rogers the Republican
  8%   Lean toward Mike Rogers the Republican
37%   *TOTAL VOTE ROGERS*
42%   *TOTAL VOTE SLOTKIN*
35%   Elissa Slotkin the Democrat
  7%   Lean toward Elissa Slotkin the Democrat
21%   Undecided/Refused

Turning to another topic…

Q. 14 Commissioned by the Center for Tech and Civic Life

__14. A federal program, called HAVA Security Grants, provides funding for federal, state and local elections, including voting equipment, voting processes, voter registration systems, election auditing, cyber and physical security of elections, voter education, and voter accessibility to elections. Currently, there are attempts in the U.S. Congress to eliminate funding for these election security programs. Do you support or oppose continuing federal funding of these programs? **[IF SUPPORT/OPPOSE, ASK:** "Would that be strongly or just somewhat?" **AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]**

52%	Strongly support
20%	Somewhat support
72%	*TOTAL SUPPORT*
10%	*TOTAL OPPOSE*
3%	Somewhat oppose
7%	Strongly oppose
18%	Undecided/Refused

Q's 16, 17 and 18 Commissioned by the Committee to Protect Health Care

__16. Legislation has been proposed in Michigan that would provide for a cost and affordability review of prescription drugs that are either too costly or have increased in price by excessive amounts. The legislation would establish a Prescription Drug Affordability Board that can evaluate the cost to produce prescription drugs and determine if the cost for consumers is excessive, and if so, reduce the cost and set an upper payment limit for the drug. Based on this description and what you may know or have heard or read about this proposed legislation, do you support or oppose the proposal? **[IF SUPPORT/OPPOSE, ASK:** "Would that be strongly or just somewhat?" **AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]**

56%	Strongly support
28%	Somewhat support
84%	*TOTAL SUPPORT*
7%	*TOTAL OPPOSE*
2%	Somewhat oppose
5%	Strongly oppose
9%	Undecided/Refused

__17. If your state legislator voted to oppose this legislative proposal introduced to control the high cost and rising cost of prescription drugs and medications, would you be more likely to vote for him or her in the next election, less likely to vote for him or her, or would this one issue not influence you one way or the other in how you vote? **[IF MORE/LESS LIKELY, ASK: "**Would that be much or just somewhat (*more/less*) likely?" **AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]**

5%	Much more likely
5%	Somewhat more likely
10%	*TOTAL MORE LIKELY*
34%	Would not influence one way or the other
50%	*TOTAL LESS LIKELY*
24%	Somewhat less likely
26%	Much less likely
6%	Undecided/Refused

__18. Would you support or oppose a proposal that would create a prescription drug affordability board in Michigan that would decide the appropriate prices for prescription drugs and medications? **[IF SUPPORT/OPPOSE, ASK:** "Would that be strongly or just somewhat?" **AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]**

53%	Strongly support
25%	Somewhat support
78%	*TOTAL SUPPORT*
12%	*TOTAL OPPOSE*
5%	Somewhat oppose
7%	Strongly oppose
10%	Undecided/Refused

Q's 32 through 37 Commissioned by Caring Across Generations

__32. Which of the following best describes how you believe it is for family caregivers in the U.S. today to access and afford caring for family members, such as minor children, aging parents, or disabled loved ones? **[READ 1 THROUGH 4 BELOW]**

37%	Very difficult
46%	Somewhat difficult
83%	*TOTAL DIFFICULT*
10%	*TOTAL EASY*
9%	Somewhat easy
1%	Very easy
7%	Undecided/Refused

Now I would like to read a description of several new federal programs or policy ideas that would provide assistance for individuals and families who care for their other family members. For each proposal I describe, please tell me if you support or oppose that proposal? The (first/next) one is… **[IF SUPPORT/OPPOSE, ASK:** "Would that be strongly or somewhat?" **AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]**

[ROTATE Q.33 THROUGH Q.36]		Strong Supp	TOT Supp	TOT Opp	Strong Opp	DK/ REF
_33.	New parents, and those who need to care for themselves, or an injured or ill family member would have paid leave provided and job protection guaranteed and funded by the federal government.	52%	*77%*	*18%*	10%	5%
_34.	Relatives of aging or disabled family members would have access to government funded programs that would enable them to hire direct day care workers to provide needed care so they would not have to quit their jobs or move cross-country to provide needed care.	60%	*85%*	*11%*	5%	4%
_35.	A parent of a child would have access to low-cost child-care subsidized with government funding.	55%	*78%*	*16%*	8%	6%
_36.	A worker could take benefits and move from job to job so if they wanted to take a leave or start a business it would not affect their ability to care for their family.	42%	*68%*	*21%*	10%	11%

__37. There are many who promote legislation in Michigan that would do more to help individuals and families trying to navigate the challenges of caregiving, such as requiring that every employer provides paid leave time for new parents and those who need to take time off to care for themselves or other family members. If legislation such as this were introduced in the state legislature, would you Support or Oppose these types of changes? **[IF SUPPORT/OPPOSE, ASK:** "Would that be strongly or just somewhat?" **AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]**

 52%   Strongly support
 24%   Somewhat support
 76%   *TOTAL SUPPORT*
 18%   *TOTAL OPPOSE*
 7%   Somewhat oppose
 11%   Strongly oppose
 6%   Undecided/Refused

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

__38. 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?

60%	Pro-choice – women have the right to an abortion
32%	Pro-life – against abortions except to save life of mother
8%	Undecided/Refused

__39. Do you have school aged children aged 18 or younger living in your household?

31%	Yes
69%	No
0%	Undecided/Refused

__40. Do you, or does any member of your household, belong to a labor union or a teachers association? **[PROBE FOR BEST RESPONSE]**

11%	Respondent belongs
8%	Other household member belongs
3%	More than one household member belongs
22%	*TOTAL UNION*
77%	No members in household
1%	Undecided/Refused

__41. Could you please tell me in what year you were born? **[IF REFUSED, ASK:** 'Would you please tell me into which of the following categories your age would fall? Please stop me when I get to a category that applies to you.' **AND READ 1 TO 4]**

[RECORD YEAR HERE ____ ____ ____ ____ AND THEN CODE BELOW]

17%	18 to 34 years	**(1989 to 2005)**
28%	35 to 49	**(1974 to 1988)**
27%	50 to 64	**(1959 to 1973)**
28%	65 and over	**(1958 or before)**
0%	Undecided/Refused	

__42. What is the last grade or level of schooling you completed? **[DO NOT READ – CODE BEST RESPONSE]**

2%	1st to 11th Grade
18%	High School Graduate
4%	Non-college post high school (technical training)
26%	Some college
34%	College graduate
15%	Post graduate school
1%	Undecided/Refused

__44. Which of the following racial or ethnic groups best describes you - White, African American or Black, Hispanic or Latino, Asian, Native American, of mixed-race, or some other group or race?

- 81% White
- 10% African American/Black
- 2%   Hispanic or Latino (Puerto Rican, Mexican-American etc.)
- 1%   Asian
- 1%   Native American
- 2%   Mixed race
- 1%   Other
- 2%   Undecided/Refused

__45. Would you describe yourself as (**ROTATE**) conservative, moderate, or liberal?

- 36% Conservative
- 33% Moderate
- 22% Liberal
- 9%   Undecided/Refused

__46. 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
- 9%   Not Strong Democrat
- 10% Independent-Lean Democrat
- *43% TOTAL DEMOCRAT*
- 13% Independent
- *41% TOTAL REPUBLICAN*
- 9%   Independent-Lean Republican
- 8%   Not Strong Republican
- 24% Strong Republican
- 1%   Other
- 3%   Undecided/Refused