

EPIC•MRA STATEWIDE POLL
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Polling Dates: January 9, 2020 through January 12, 2020
Conducted by live interviewers – included 30% cell phones

_03. 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?

36%	Right direction
50%	Wrong track
14%	Undecided/Refused

_04. 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?

39%	Right direction
32%	Wrong track
29%	Undecided/Refused

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. If you have not heard of that person, please say so. 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.5 TO Q.11]	<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>
_05. Donald Trump	---	27%	41%	54%	47%	5%
_06. Gretchen Whitmer	3%	17%	44%	34%	17%	19%
_07. Joe Biden	1%	15%	44%	41%	26%	14%
_08. Elizabeth Warren	14%	11%	32%	39%	27%	15%
_09. Pete Buttigieg	30%	9%	27%	27%	17%	16%
_10. Bernie Sanders	---	17%	44%	45%	33%	11%
_11. Mike Bloomberg	16%	6%	26%	34%	22%	24%

__12. 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?

23%	Excellent
20%	Pretty good
43%	TOTAL POSITIVE
55%	TOTAL NEGATIVE
14%	Just fair
41%	Poor
2%	Undecided/Refused

__13. Overall, how would you rate the job that Gretchen Whitmer is doing as Michigan’s Governor – would you give her a positive rating of excellent or pretty good, or a negative rating of just fair or poor?

6%	Excellent
37%	Pretty good
43%	TOTAL POSITIVE
50%	TOTAL NEGATIVE
34%	Just fair
16%	Poor
7%	Undecided/Refused

__14. Thinking about the 2020 general election for President, if the election were held today, will you definitely vote to reelect Donald Trump as President, will you consider voting for someone else, or, will you definitely vote to replace Donald Trump as President?

44%	Vote to replace Trump
34%	Vote to reelect Trump
19%	Consider voting for someone else
3%	Undecided/Refused

__15. Thinking about the Michigan economy and the job situation, would you give the Michigan economy a positive rating of excellent or pretty good, or a negative rating of just fair or poor?

9%	Excellent
51%	Pretty good
60%	TOTAL POSITIVE
36%	TOTAL NEGATIVE
31%	Just fair
5%	Poor
4%	Undecided/Refused

Again, thinking about next year's election for President... [ROTATE Q.16 THROUGH Q.20]

__16. If the candidates were 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]

42%	Donald Trump the Republican
2%	Lean toward Trump the Republican
44%	TOTAL VOTE TRUMP
50%	TOTAL VOTE BIDEN
48%	Joe Biden the Democrat
2%	Lean toward Biden the Democrat
6%	Undecided/Refused

__17. If the candidates were Donald Trump and Elizabeth Warren, would you vote for [ROTATE] Donald Trump the Republican or Elizabeth Warren 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]

44%	Donald Trump the Republican
1%	Lean toward Trump the Republican
45%	TOAL VOTE TRUMP
48%	TOTAL VOTE WARREN
45%	Elizabeth Warren the Democrat
3%	Lean toward Warren the Democrat
7%	Undecided/Refused

__18. If the candidates were Donald Trump and Mike Bloomberg, would you vote for [ROTATE] Donald Trump the Republican or Mike Bloomberg 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]

39%	Donald Trump the Republican
3%	Lean toward Trump the Republican
42%	TOTAL VOTE TRUMP
49%	TOTAL VOTE BLOOMBERG
46%	Mike Bloomberg the Democrat
3%	Lean toward Bloomberg the Democrat
9%	Undecided/Refused

__19. If the candidates were Donald Trump and Bernie Sanders, would you vote for [ROTATE] Donald Trump the Republican or Bernie Sanders 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]

44%	Donald Trump the Republican
1%	Lean toward Trump the Republican
45%	TOTAL VOTE TRUMP
50%	TOTAL VOTE SANDERS
47%	Bernie Sanders the Democrat
3%	Lean toward Sanders the Democrat
5%	Undecided/Refused

__20. If the candidates were Donald Trump and Pete Buttigieg, would you vote for [ROTATE] Donald Trump the Republican or Pete Buttigieg 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]

41%	Donald Trump the Republican
2%	Lean toward Trump the Republican
43%	TOTAL VOTE TRUMP
47%	TOTAL VOTE BUTTIGIEG
45%	Pete Buttigieg the Democrat
2%	Lean toward Buttigieg the Democrat
10%	Undecided/Refused

Questions 21-25 were commissioned by the Detroit Free Press.

Turning to another topic...

__21. Thinking about the current conflict with Iran, based on what you know or have heard or read about things in Iran, do you approve or disapprove of President Trump’s handling of that situation? [IF APPROVE/DISAPPROVE, ASK: “Would that be strongly or mostly?” AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]

28%	Strongly approve
16%	Mostly approve
44%	TOTAL APPROVE
46%	TOTAL DISAAPROVE
6%	Mostly disapprove
37%	Strongly disapprove
10%	Undecided/Refused

__22. Do you think President Trump’s decision to authorize a drone attack that killed Iranian General Qasem Soleimani was a good idea or a bad idea? **[IF GOOD/BAD IDEA, ASK: “Would that be a very or somewhat (good/bad) idea?” AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]**

32%	Very good idea
16%	Somewhat good idea
48%	TOTAL GOOD IDEA
41%	TOTAL BAD IDEA
10%	Somewhat bad idea
31%	Very bad idea
11%	Undecided/Refused

__23. As you may know, Iran responded to the killing of its general by firing missiles at U.S. military bases in Iraq, which did not cause any casualties and caused limited damage. President Trump said Iran appeared to be backing away from further conflict with the United States. If Iran threatened U.S. interests or allies in the Middle East, would you favor or oppose further military action by the United States against Iran? **[IF FAVOR/OPPOSE, ASK: “Would that be strongly or somewhat?” AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]**

30%	Strongly favor
27%	Somewhat favor
57%	TOTAL FAVOR
29%	TOTAL OPPOSE
12%	Somewhat oppose
17%	Strongly oppose
14%	Undecided/Refused

__24. Thinking about the current conflict between the United States and Iran, how concerned are you that things could escalate and lead to war between the United States and Iran – very concerned, somewhat concerned, only a little concerned or not concerned at all?

40%	Very concerned
28%	Somewhat concerned
68%	TOTAL CONCERNED
18%	Only a little concerned
13%	Not concerned at all
1%	Undecided/Refused

__25. Has President Trump’s decision to order a drone attack that killed Iran’s General Soleimani and others, made you more likely or less likely to vote for President Trump in the presidential election in 2020, or, would you say that his actions involving Iran have not influenced you one way or the other? **[IF MORE/LESS LIKELY, ASK: “Would that be much or somewhat (**more/less**) likely to vote for President Trump?” AND CODE BEST RESPONSE]**

10%	Much more likely
5%	Somewhat more likely
15%	TOTAL MORE LIKELY
60%	Not influenced decision
23%	TOTAL LESS LIKELY
3%	Somewhat less likely
20%	Much less likely
2%	Undecided/Refused

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

__30. 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?

53%	Pro-choice – women have the right to an abortion
40%	Pro-life – against abortions except to save life of mother
7%	Undecided/Refused

__37. Would you describe yourself as (**ROTATE**) a conservative, a moderate or a liberal?

36%	Conservative
35%	Moderate
19%	Liberal
10%	Undecided/Refused

__38. 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?

30%	Strong Democrat
6%	Not Strong Democrat
7%	Independent-Lean Democrat
43%	TOTAL DEMOCRAT
15%	Independent
38%	TOTAL REPUBLICAN
9%	Independent-Lean Republican
8%	Not Strong Republican
21%	Strong Republican
4%	Other – Undecided/Refused