Michigan Survey Results

Q1  Do you approve or disapprove of President Donald Trump's job performance?
   Approve ............................................. 43%
   Disapprove ........................................... 51%
   Not sure ............................................. 6%

Q2  Do you approve or disapprove of Governor Gretchen Whitmer's job performance?
   Approve ............................................. 55%
   Disapprove ........................................... 38%
   Not sure ............................................. 8%

Q3  If the candidates for President this fall were Democrat Joe Biden and Republican Donald Trump, who would you vote for?
   Joe Biden ............................................. 50%
   Donald Trump ........................................ 42%
   Not sure ............................................. 8%

Q4  If the election for US Senate was held today, and the candidates were Democrat Gary Peters and Republican John James, who would you vote for?
   Gary Peters ........................................... 46%
   John James ............................................ 37%
   Not sure ............................................. 17%

Q5  Do you approve or disapprove of the job President Donald Trump is doing handling the coronavirus?
   Approve ............................................. 44%
   Disapprove ........................................... 50%
   Not sure ............................................. 6%

Q6  Do you approve or disapprove of the job Governor Gretchen Whitmer is doing handling the coronavirus?
   Approve ............................................. 58%
   Disapprove ........................................... 36%
   Not sure ............................................. 6%

Q7  Who do you trust most to handle the coronavirus outbreak: Governor Whitmer, the Republican-led Michigan Legislature, or President Trump?
   Trust Governor Whitmer most...................... 53%
   Trust Republican-led Michigan Legislature most ........................................... 15%
   Trust President Trump most ....................... 24%
   Not sure ............................................. 8%

Q8  Who do you think has done a better job handling the coronavirus: President Trump or Governor Whitmer?
   President Trump ....................................... 43%
   Governor Whitmer .................................... 51%
   Not sure ............................................. 6%

Q9  How concerned are you about the long-term economic impact of the coronavirus: extremely concerned, somewhat concerned, not too concerned, or not concerned at all?
   Extremely concerned ................................ 62%
   Somewhat concerned ................................ 26%
   Not too concerned ................................... 8%
   Not concerned at all .................................. 3%
   Not sure ............................................. 1%

Q10  Due to the coronavirus, do you think every registered Michigan voter should be mailed an absentee ballot, allowing them to vote from home, while also ensuring that voters have the option to vote in-person on Election Day, or not?
    Yes ...................................................... 60%
    No ...................................................... 30%
    Not sure ............................................. 11%
Q11 What do you think is the most pressing need regarding the coronavirus pandemic: getting more ventilators and protective equipment for healthcare providers, more testing of those who may be infected to get the spread of the virus under control, additional economic support for those who have lost their jobs, additional healthcare support like expanding Medicaid and paid sick leave, all of these things, or something else?

- Getting more ventilators and protective equipment for healthcare providers ............... 5%
- More testing of those who may be infected to get the spread of the virus under control ... 25%
- Additional economic support for those who have lost their jobs .................................. 7%
- Additional healthcare support like expanding Medicaid and paid sick leave ................ 2%
- All of these things ............................................................................................................. 48%
- Something else .................................................................................................................. 11%
- Not sure ............................................................................................................................. 3%

Q12 Do you think Donald Trump has done a good job or a bad job making sure there is enough equipment in our hospitals like masks for nurses and ventilators for patients?

- Good job .......................................................................................................................... 42%
- Bad job .............................................................................................................................. 49%
- Not sure ............................................................................................................................. 9%

Q13 Recently, some people have begun protesting to immediately re-open Michigan and end social distancing measures meant to slow the spread of the coronavirus. Do you support or oppose these protesters?

- Support .......................................................................................................................... 25%
- Oppose ............................................................................................................................ 62%
- Not sure ............................................................................................................................ 12%

Q14 Governor Whitmer has said we need to only reopen the economy when health experts say it’s safe to do so, but protesters have said it’s time to end stay-at-home measures immediately. Who do you agree with more?

- Agree more with Governor Whitmer who has said we need to only reopen the economy when health experts say it’s safe to do so .......... 63%
- Agree more with the protesters who have said it’s time to end stay-at-home measures immediately ............................................. 28%
- Not sure ............................................................................................................................. 9%

Q15 Governor Whitmer has used a number of Executive Orders outside of the legislative process to protect public health and economic security of Michigan families, including issuing a stay in place order, closing schools, and shutting down non-essential businesses. Do you agree or disagree with these Executive Orders?

- Agree ............................................................................................................................... 64%
- Disagree .......................................................................................................................... 30%
- Not sure ............................................................................................................................. 6%

Q16 Michigan is beginning to put plans in place to lift restrictions and reopen the state. Which statement do you agree with the most- the state should lift all restrictions on public gatherings, businesses and restaurants, the state should lift restrictions in stages in order to protect vulnerable populations, or do you think it’s too soon to lift restrictions and it could cause a resurgence of the virus?

- Agree most that the state should lift all restrictions on public gatherings, businesses and restaurants ........................................... 15%
- Agree most that the state should lift restrictions in stages in order to protect vulnerable populations ..................................... 56%
- Agree most that it’s too soon to lift restrictions and it could cause a resurgence of the virus .................................................. 27%
- Not sure ............................................................................................................................. 2%
Q17 Republicans in the State Legislature want to strip Governor Whitmer of her powers to issue executive orders during an emergency. Do you support or oppose this?

Support ..................................................... 29%
Oppose ..................................................... 61%
Not sure ..................................................... 10%

Q18 The Michigan Legislature has been meeting in person and voting without real debate or committee process. Would you support or oppose the Michigan State Legislature meeting virtually, in order to have committee meetings and debate on issues?

Support ..................................................... 62%
Oppose ..................................................... 15%
Not sure ..................................................... 23%

Q19 When it comes to dealing with the estimated two billion dollar deficit created by the Coronavirus in the state budget, would you most like to see the Legislature cut state services, raise income taxes, end corporate tax breaks, or increase taxes on the wealthy?

Would most like to see the Legislature cut state services ........................................ 16%
Would most like to see the Legislature raise income taxes ........................................ 4%
Would most like to see the Legislature end corporate tax breaks .............................. 33%
Would most like to see the Legislature increase taxes on the wealthy ....................... 29%
Not sure ..................................................... 18%

Q20 Over the past month, have you experienced symptoms of COVID or coronavirus such as fever, dry cough, trouble breathing, but been unable to receive a test?

Yes ..................................................... 7%
No ..................................................... 86%
Not sure ..................................................... 7%

Q21 If all businesses were allowed to reopen today, would you congregate in large groups knowing the risk to your health and the health of others, or not?

Would congregate ....................................... 10%
Would not congregate .................................. 82%
Not sure ..................................................... 8%

Q22 How important do you think it is to enact stronger protections against toxic chemicals, air pollution, and other health threats that make it harder to fight off the coronavirus: very important, somewhat important, or not very important?

Very important ......................................... 55%
Somewhat important ................................... 23%
Not very important ..................................... 15%
Not sure ..................................................... 7%

Q23 How big of a problem do you think disinformation and false information regarding the coronavirus is: do you think it’s a very serious problem, a somewhat serious problem, a minor problem, or not much of a problem?

Very serious problem ................................. 76%
Somewhat serious problem .......................... 17%
Minor problem .......................................... 4%
Not much of a problem ............................... 1%
Not sure ..................................................... 3%

Q24 In the 2016 election for President, did you vote for Republican Donald Trump, Democrat Hillary Clinton, someone else, or did you not vote in the election?

Donald Trump .......................................... 46%
Hillary Clinton .......................................... 45%
Someone else / Did not vote ........................... 9%

Q25 If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

Woman ..................................................... 53%
Man ......................................................... 47%
Q26 If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If an independent, press 3.

Democrat ........................................ 35%
Republican .................................... 31%
Independent ................................... 34%

Q27 If you are white, press 1. If African-American, press 2. If other, press 3.

White ........................................... 81%
African-American ............................ 14%
Other ........................................... 5%


18 to 29........................................ 10%
30 to 45....................................... 24%
46 to 65....................................... 39%
Older than 65................................. 27%

Q29 Which of the following best describes the highest level of education you have received: some high school but did not finish, high school graduate, some college but did not finish, 2-year college degree, 4-year college degree, post-graduate degree, or do you not care to say?

Some high school but did not finish ........... 3%
High school graduate ........................... 22%
Some college but did not finish ............. 25%
2-year college degree ......................... 13%
4-year college degree ......................... 16%
Post-graduate degree ......................... 15%
Do not care to say ............................. 6%

Q30 Are you or is anyone in your household a member of a labor union?

Yes ........................................... 26%
No ............................................. 74%

Q31 What is your household's annual income–less than $20,000, between $20,000 and $50,000, between $50,000 and $75,000, between $75,000 and $100,000, between $100,000 and $200,000, or greater than $200,000, or do you not care to say?

Less than $20,000 ......................... 4%
Between $20,000 and $50,000 ......... 15%
Between $50,000 and $75,000 ......... 13%
Between $75,000 and $100,000 ....... 8%
Between $100,000 and $200,000 ... 17%
Greater than $200,000 ................. 4%
Do not care to say .......................... 40%

Q32 Mode

Landline ...................................... 50%
Text ........................................... 50%

Q33 Media Market

Detroit ....................................... 49%
Flint .......................................... 11%
Grand Rapids .............................. 20%
Lansing ..................................... 7%
Marquette .................................. 2%
Traverse City ............................... 7%
Other ......................................... 4%