

September 2021 Edition

LAKE EFFECT



What's Inside



Welcome to Lake Effect

Welcome to Lake Effect, a monthly research newsletter and a resource for progressive leaders and advocates, presented by Progress Michigan and Public Policy Polling.

Research in this newsletter comes from a survey conducted between September 7th and 8th.

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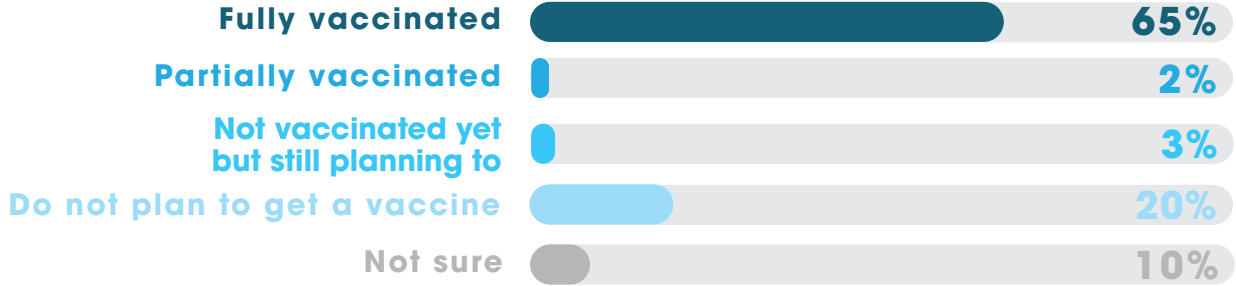




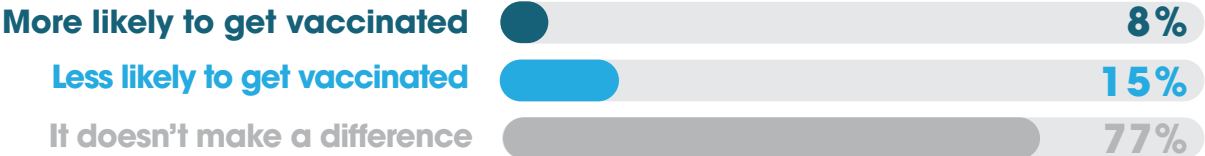
Vaccines and Vaccine Requirements Prove Popular

While the FDA's recent full authorization of the Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine appears to have done little to persuade Michigan's vaccine-hesitant minority to get vaccinated, the majority of Michigan is not only vaccinated but also supports vaccine requirements for individuals participating in indoor public activities.

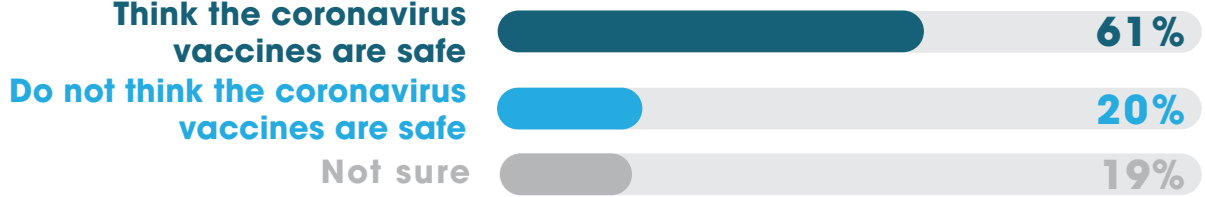
When it comes to vaccines for coronavirus, are you fully vaccinated, partially vaccinated, not vaccinated yet but still planning to, or do you not plan to get a vaccine?



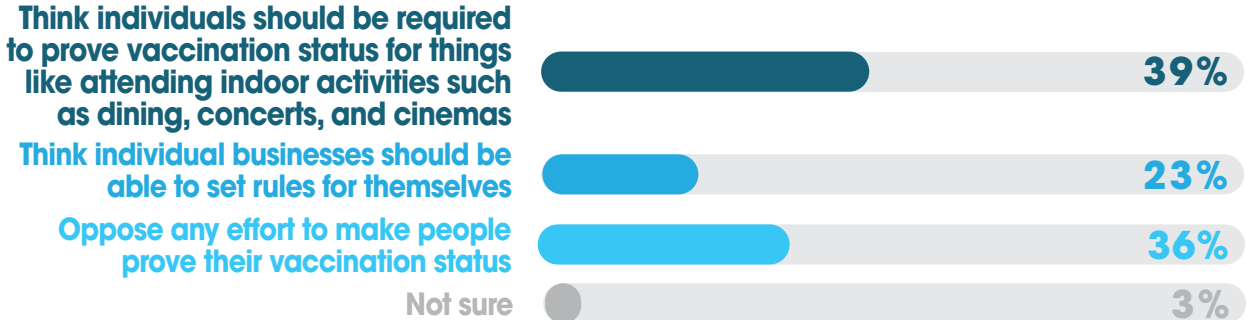
(Among those who don't have any plans to get vaccinated or unsure)The Food and Drug Administration has recently given full approval of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine. Does hearing the FDA has fully authorized the vaccine make you more likely or less likely to get the vaccine, or does it not make a difference?



Generally speaking, do you think the coronavirus vaccines are safe, or not?



Do you think that all individuals should be required to prove COVID-19 vaccination status for things like attending indoor activities such as dining, concerts, and cinemas; do you think that individual businesses should be able to set rules for themselves; or do you oppose any effort to make people prove their vaccination status?



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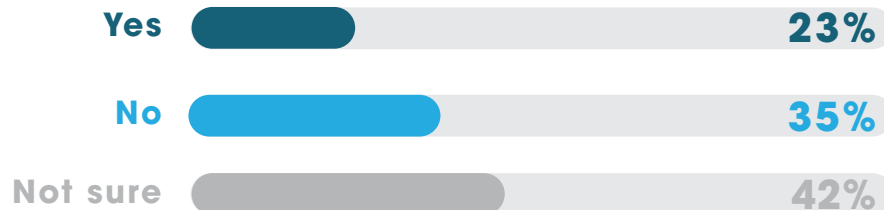
Divisions on Michigan's Redistricting

Michiganders are split on their opinion of current districts and most are unsure the Commission will produce fair maps that accurately represent Michigan communities.

Michigan's Independent Citizens Redistricting Commission is beginning the process of drawing new district maps. Do you believe that your current representation in the Michigan state legislature accurately reflects your community, or not?



Based on what you know about their work, do you think Michigan's Independent Citizens Redistricting Commission will produce fair election maps that accurately represent Michigan communities, or not?

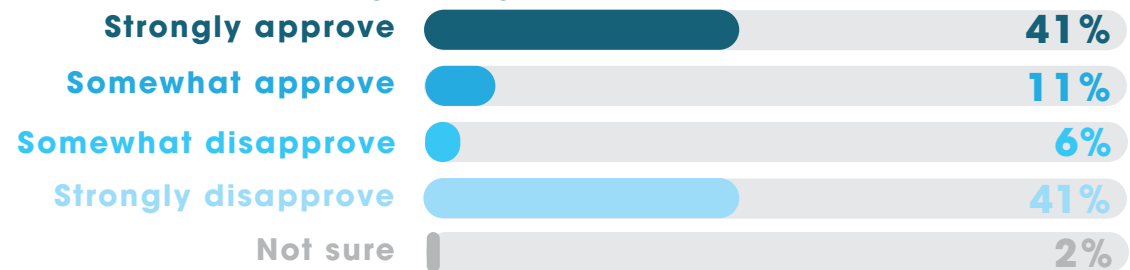




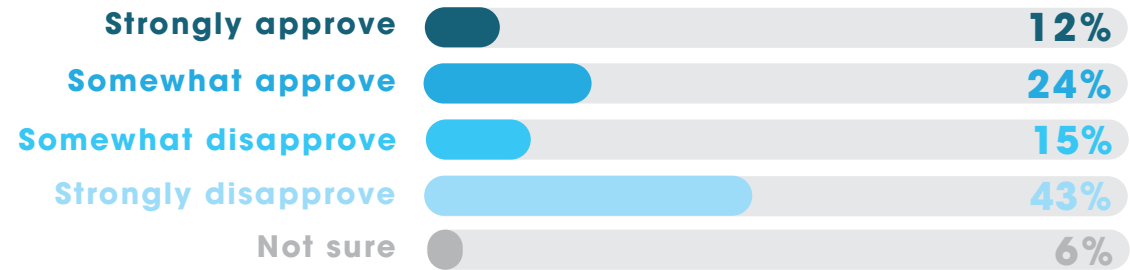
Steady approval ratings for Michigan's leadership

Even as Republicans attack them over every decision imaginable AG Nessel and SOS Benson remain steady in their job approval ratings and Governor Whitmer still soars far above the Republican legislature with approval of her handling of the COVID crisis.

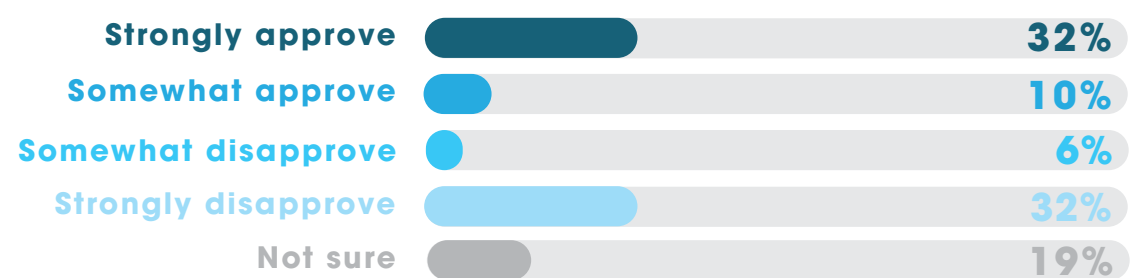
Do you strongly approve, somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove or strongly disapprove of the job Governor Whitmer is doing handling the coronavirus?



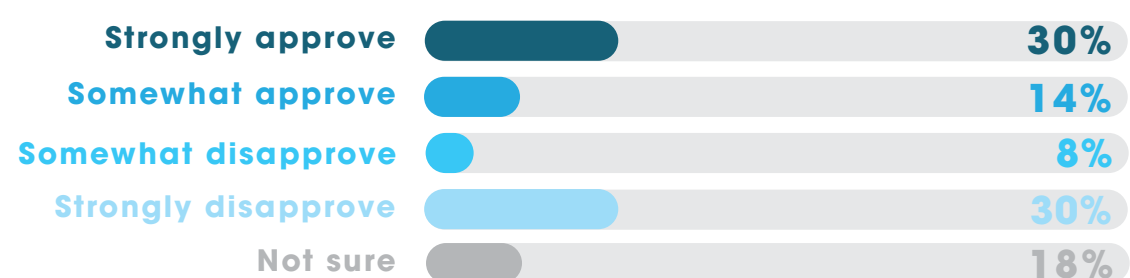
Do you strongly approve, somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove or strongly disapprove of the job Republicans in the State Legislature are doing handling the coronavirus?



Do you strongly approve, somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove or strongly disapprove of Attorney General Dana Nessel's job performance?



Do you strongly approve, somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove or strongly disapprove of Secretary of State Jocelyn Benson's job performance?



About Lake Effect

Presented by Progress Michigan, Lake Effect is a monthly research newsletter that follows public opinion in Michigan. Each month, Public Policy Polling will survey registered voters across Michigan about their opinions of important issues and public figures in the state. These newsletters will break down the results and provide readers with key takeaways and analysis from the data.

About This Study

PPP interviewed 805 Michigan voters by phone and text from September 7th and September 8th on behalf of Progress Michigan. The margin of error is +/- 3.5%

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