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**MICHIGAN STATEWIDE VOTER SURVEY
600 SAMPLE – REGISTERED VOTERS**

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METHODOLOGY

The Glengariff Group, Inc. conducted a Michigan statewide survey of registered voters. The 600 sample, live operator telephone survey was conducted on November 28-December 1, 2022 and has a margin of error of +/-4.0% with a 95% level of confidence. 25.0% of respondents were contacted via landline telephone. 75.0% of respondents were contacted via cell phone telephone. This survey was commissioned by the Detroit Regional Chamber.

KEY FINDINGS

Lay of the Land

- * By a margin of 24.2%-64.0%, Michigan voters believe the nation is on the wrong track. The right track/wrong track number has seen a minor improvement back to 2021 levels. But these numbers still show profound dissatisfaction with the direction of the country.

<u>Survey</u>	<u>Right</u>	<u>Wrong</u>	<u>No Opinion</u>
October 2020	27.4%	55.9%	16.7%
February 2021	36.6%	40.6%	22.9%
May 2021	35.3%	48.2%	16.5%
September 2021	25.5%	58.5%	16.0%
December 2021	22.8%	62.2%	15.0%
May 2022	16.9%	69.0%	14.1%
December 2022	24.2%	64.0%	11.8%

- * By a margin of 47.9% right track to 42.8% wrong track, Michigan voters now believe the state is on the right track. These numbers represent the first time since February 2021 that Michigan's direction has been in positive territory. Independent voters believe the state is on the right track by a margin of 47.2%-40.7%.

<u>Survey</u>	<u>Right</u>	<u>Wrong</u>
January 2020	44.5%	26.2%
October 2020	44.9%	41.3%
February 2021	46.6%	38.9%
May 2021	40.4%	45.2%
September 2021	38.7%	47.2%
December 2021	31.7%	52.8%
May 2022	31.7%	50.1%
December 2022	47.9%	42.8%

Out state voters believe Michigan is on the wrong track by a margin of 43.9%-48.2%. But Metro Detroit voters strongly believe the state is on the right track by a margin of 52.7%-36.5%.

* By a margin of 41.0% right track to 48.9% wrong track, Michigan voters narrowly believe the state’s economy is on the wrong track with independent voters narrowly saying the economy is on the wrong track by a margin of 42.3%-46.3%,

The 48.9% who believe the economy is on the wrong track were asked why they believed Michigan’s economy was on the wrong track with inflation dominating the responses. [Note: These respondents are primarily Republican voters.]

45.8%	Inflation and the cost of goods
10.2%	Anti-Biden / Anti-Democratic
7.8%	Government subsidies/ Nobody wants to work
7.1%	No good jobs/ Unemployment
6.8%	Taxes and government spending
6.1%	Cost of gas prices

Inflation/ Economy Remain Most Pressing Issue Facing Michigan

* Voters were asked what the most important issue was facing Michigan today:

23.7%	Inflation/cost of gas and goods
17.2%	The economy and jobs
7.3%	Abortion and women’s rights
6.8%	Roads and infrastructure
4.5%	Crime and drugs
4.3%	Joe Biden and the Democrats
4.0%	Partisan politics
3.3%	Education quality and funding

The drop in the percentage of respondents citing abortion/women’s right from even one month ago is dramatic.

Food Prices Overtake Gas Prices as Top Worry

* 92.0% of voters are concerned about inflation – 64.5% are VERY CONCERNED about inflation. These numbers are statistically consistent with May 2022 numbers.

* When asked specifically where inflation has most impacted them, voters have shifted their concerns to food prices.

43.4%	Food
22.0%	Gas prices
21.1%	Everything
3.4%	Electricity/Heating
3.1%	Mortgage/Housing/ Rent

There is a statistical difference between how Democrats and Independents answer the questions as compared to Republicans.

Half of Democratic and Independent voters said food with only 12.7%-17.8% saying “everything”. Republican voters were twice as like to say “everything” as Democrats or Independents.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Gas</u>	<u>Food</u>	<u>Everything</u>
Strong Dem	19.7%	52.2%	12.7%
Lean Dem	18.2%	50.0%	15.9%
Independent	22.9%	47.5%	17.8%
Lean GOP	30.2%	26.4%	30.2%
Strong GOP	23.4%	37.1%	28.1%

Among voters with incomes below \$25,000, 48.9% cited food prices with 8.9% citing heat/electric costs.

Only 13.3% of voters with incomes below \$25,000 said ‘everything’ compared to 26.7% of voters with incomes above \$100,000 who said ‘everything’.

Republican Voters Say They are Worse Off

* Voters were asked if they personally were doing better, worse or about the same economically as in the past.

33.3% said they are doing worse
 21.1% said they are doing better.
 45.3% said they are doing the same

The chart below compares how respondents have answered this question over the past three surveys.

<u>Condition</u>	<u>Dec 2021</u>	<u>May 2022</u>	<u>December 2022</u>
Worse	24.3%	28.0%	33.3%
Better	25.5%	22.7%	21.1%
Same	48.0%	48.0%	45.3%

46.7% of voters with incomes below \$25,000 said they are worse off than one year ago.

As the chart below indicates, Republican voters are driving the numbers that they are worse off than one year ago.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Better</u>	<u>Worse</u>	<u>Same</u>	<u>Better/Same</u>
Strong Democratic	35.2%	14.5%	50.3%	85.5%
Lean Democratic	25.0%	32.7%	42.3%	67.3%
Independent	20.3%	30.9%	48.8%	69.1%
Lean Republican	7.1%	46.4%	44.6%	51.7%
Strong Republican	10.3%	49.7%	38.3%	48.6%

* For those that said they were worse off than one year ago, 76.0% of these voters cite the effects of inflation as the reason for being worse off.

66.3% of Voters Said They Have Had to Make New Spending Choices

* Voters were asked if due to inflation they have had to make choices about what they can afford to buy that they did not have to make before. 66.3% of voters have altered their purchasing habits.

45.1% of voters said they have made choices that require them to stop specific purchases.

21.2% of voters said they have made choices to buy less or change what they are buying.

33.0% of voters said they have not had to make choices.

* These answers are driven by party affiliation and income level with Republican and lower income voters most likely to say they were making choices of what to buy.

62.2% of those with incomes below \$25,000 are making decisions to cut spending.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Yes, Choices</u>	<u>Yes, Buying Less</u>	<u>No Choices</u>
Strong Democratic	34.1%	16.2%	49.2%
Lean Democratic	38.5%	23.1%	38.5%
Independent	41.5%	28.5%	30.1%
Lean Republican	64.3%	16.1%	19.6%
Strong Republican	56.6%	22.9%	20.0%

<u>Income</u>	<u>Yes, Choices</u>	<u>Yes, Buying Less</u>	<u>No Choices</u>
<\$25,000	62.2%	22.2%	15.6%
\$25-50,000	51.4%	23.8%	23.8%
\$50-75,000	47.2%	23.6%	29.1%
\$75-100,000	45.1%	18.7%	36.3%
\$100,000+	37.9%	16.8%	45.3%

* Among voters that are making choices to stop buying things were asked what specifically they had stopped buying.

43.8% of these respondents cited changes in what types of food they were purchasing at the grocery store. 25.0% of respondents cited travel or entertainment. 9.9% said they were going out to eat less.

21.0%	Expensive/ non-necessary food items
12.9%	Unnecessary luxury items
12.5%	Vacation/Travel
12.5%	Entertainment
10.3%	No more name brand products/ switched to generic
9.9%	Going out to eat
7.7%	Fresh meat
4.8%	Buying bulk food

Voters That Believe Inflation Will Last Years Drops By Eight Points From May

* Voters were asked if inflation would continue at this pace for the next few years or would inflation begin to slow down.

47.3% said inflation will continue at this pace for a few years

39.0% said inflation will begin to slow down

These numbers represent a drop from the May 2022 survey when 54.7% said inflation would last for years compared to 34.0% that said inflation would begin to slow down.

* 36.4% of voters over the age of 65 believe inflation will continue at this pace for year compared to 48.3% that believe it will begin to slow down.

* There is a strong party affiliation correlation to whether or not voters believe inflation will slow down. Democrats believe it will slow down. Republicans strongly believe it will continue for years. Independent voters are split.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Continue</u>	<u>Slow Down</u>
Strong Democratic	29.1%	57.5%
Lean Democratic	25.0%	69.2%
Independent	42.3%	39.8%
Lean Republican	69.6%	16.1%
Strong Republican	69.7%	17.1%

Strong Voter Approval of November 2022 Election

- * 83.5% of voters approve of the process by which they cast their vote with only 12.7% disapproving of the process. The only pocket of disapproval was among base Republican voters.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>
Strong Democratic	98.1%	0.0%
Lean Democratic	93.3%	4.4%
Independent	88.7%	10.2%
Lean Republican	84.6%	13.5%
Strong Republican	63.5%	29.0%

Only 40.9% of Strong Republican voters **STRONGLY** approved of the process of casting their vote.

- * 89.7% of voters approve of the way their community handled the November election. – 69.5% **STRONGLY** approve. Only 4.5% disapprove of how their community handled the November election.

Only 6.9% of Strong Republican voters disapprove of how their community handled the November election.

- * 75.3% of voters approve of the way Michigan handled the November election – with 50.6% **STRONGLY** approving. 11.8% of voters disapprove of how Michigan handled the election, with 13.9% unsure. Again, the only pocket of opposition came primarily from Strong Republican voters where 21.7% disapprove of how Michigan handled the election.

Voters that disapprove of how Michigan handled the election were asked why:

- 30.8% said there was fraud/cheating.
- 23.1% opposed the absentee ballots.
- 15.4% said because the wrong people won the election
- 10.8% said the security of the voting process is too lax.
- 4.6% said somewhat was wrong with the voting machines
- 4.6% said the results took too long.
- 4.6% said there was chaos and miscommunication about voting locations.

* 74.1% of voters believe the election was fair. 13.3% said the election was not fair, with 12.6% unsure.

29.1% of strong Republican voters said the election was not fair.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>Not Fair</u>
Strong Democratic	96.1%	2.2%
Lean Democratic	92.3%	3.8%
Independent	75.6%	10.6%
Lean Republican	58.9%	16.1%
Strong Republican	50.9%	29.1%

* 75.3% of voters believe the election was accurate. 13.3% said the election was inaccurate, with 11.4% unsure.

Again, 29.1% of strong Republican voters said the election was inaccurate. There is a statistically significant decrease in those saying the election was accurate among Republican voters.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Accurate</u>	<u>Inaccurate</u>
Strong Democratic	97.2%	1.7%
Lean Democratic	88.5%	3.8%
Independent	81.3%	9.8%
Lean Republican	62.5%	17.9%
Strong Republican	49.7%	29.1%

* Voters were asked who they trusted most to provide them with accurate results.

37.8% cited their local clerk or county clerk
26.4% cited the Michigan Secretary of State
14.6% cited local newspapers or television station
6.3% said they trusted all three of them while 4.6% said they did not trust any of them.

* Voters were asked if candidates did or did not address the issues that were most important to them.

56.7% of voters said candidates did address their key issues.
26.9% of voters said candidates did not address their key issues.

Dissatisfaction with issues increased to 44.6% of Leaning GOP voters and up to 37.7% among Strong GOP voters.

Local Media Play Major Role in Informing All Voters

* Voters were asked where they got the most useful information about candidates:

45.4%	Local newspapers and tv stations
7.3%	From candidate mailings
6.6%	Online searches
4.8%	From other political organizations
4.1%	Social media
4.0%	From television ads
3.3%	From your preferred party
2.8%	From your church/religious organizations
1.7%	Unions or teacher associations
1.3%	From your place of employment

* Republican, Democratic and Independent voters were all equally likely to cite their local media as the best source of information about candidates.

- * Among voters aged 18-29, only 27.3% cited local media as their best source of information. 20.5% of 18-29 year old voters cited social media or online searches as their top source of information.

60% of Voters Optimistic About Democracy

- * 60% of voters said they were optimistic about democracy. 29.0% of voters said they were pessimistic. ***This pessimism is concentrated among Republican voters.*** Republican voters are pessimistic about democracy.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Optimistic</u>	<u>Pessimistic</u>
Strong Democratic	78.2%	15.6%
Lean Democratic	84.6%	5.8%
Independent	62.6%	22.8%
Lean Republican	41.1%	46.4%
Strong Republican	39.4%	48.0%

- * Pessimistic respondents were asked why they were pessimistic:

25.1%	Political corruption and lies
13.1%	The Democrats are in power/ Biden in power
10.3%	Polarized parties/ We are divided
6.9%	We are generally heading in the wrong direction
5.7%	Election fraud
5.7%	Democracy is failing
4.6%	We are heading for socialism/communism
4.6%	Inflation is rampant
3.4%	News media spread false information
3.4%	Social/moral division
3.4%	Election deniers

- * 57.5% of voters said they feel the same about the state of democracy now than they did before the November election. 23.4% of voters said they feel better about democracy than before the election while 15.4% said they feel worse about democracy.

Those who felt better about democracy were asked why they felt better. 60.0% of respondents said they felt better because their candidates won. 37.5% of these respondents said they felt better because the election system worked well or without a crisis.

Those who felt worse about democracy were asked why they felt worse. 50.0% of respondents said they felt worse because their candidates/issues lost. 23.7% of these respondents said there was fraud and corruption throughout the election.

- * 60.7% of voters said there was nothing that could be done to improve the voting process for them personally. Of those that could provide improvements, 11.3% offered improvements that made voting easier. 16.7% offered improvements that made voting more limited.

Gun Control Laws Lead Voter Priorities For New Legislature

- * Voters were read a list of seven Democratic priorities and asked which one the new Michigan Legislature should tackle first:

24.0%	Pass red flag and background check laws for new gun purchases
17.9%	Repeal Michigan’s Pension Retirement tax
14.8%	Repeal Michigan 1931 abortion law.
14.3%	Invest more money in training Michigan workers to fill available jobs
11.4%	Go after new jobs projects like battery plants and chip makers.
4.5%	Repeal Michigan’s right to work law
3.8%	Pass legislation prohibiting discrimination against LGBT Michiganders

- * The top choice for Republican voters is to repeal Michigan’s retirement tax. The top choice for both Democratic and Independent voters is to pass gun control legislation.

Half of Voters Undecided on Right to Work Law

* Voters were asked if they support or oppose overturning Michigan’s Right to Work law.

28.6% support overturning the law

21.5% oppose overturning the law

50.0% were either neutral or undecided on the law.

The intensity of the issue has waned from its passage with voters largely unsure about the law and showing little intensity.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Support</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>Neutral/Undecided</u>
Strong Democratic	32.9%	18.5%	48.6%
Lean Democratic	32.6%	19.2%	48.1%
Independent	29.3%	19.5%	51.2%
Lean Republican	23.2%	23.2%	53.6%
Strong Republican	25.7%	27.4%	46.9%

* Even among union voters, they only support overturning the law by a margin of 37.8%-22.4%, with 39.9% of union voters being either neutral or unsure.

Gun Background Checks Has Nearly Universal Support

* 89.9% of Michigan voters support background checks before someone can purchase a gun. 81.1% of Michigan voters STRONGLY SUPPORT background checks for gun purchases.

Even among Republican voters, only 14% oppose background checks for gun purchases.

There is no ambiguity among Michigan voters in their support of background checks for gun purchases.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Support</u>	<u>Oppose</u>
Strong Democratic	99.4%	0.6%
Lean Democratic	98.1%	1.9%
Independent	91.9%	2.4%
Lean Republican	78.5%	14.3%
Strong Republican	80.6%	14.3%

- * By a margin of 74.1%-18.4%, Michigan voters support red flag laws that would allow a court to remove guns from individuals deemed a threat to themselves or others. 60.2% of Michigan voters STRONGLY SUPPORT red flag laws.

Opposition among Strong Republicans rises to 40.6% on red flag laws.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Support</u>	<u>Oppose</u>
Strong Democratic	94.4%	3.3%
Lean Democratic	90.4%	3.8%
Independent	79.7%	11.3%
Lean Republican	60.7%	25.0%
Strong Republican	50.3%	40.6%

- * By a margin of 62.7%-32.5%, Michigan voters support requiring gun owners to safely store their guns in a locked container, unloaded and separate from ammunition. 49.3% of Michigan voters STRONGLY SUPPORT this safe storage law. A majority of Republican voters oppose safe storage laws.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Support</u>	<u>Oppose</u>
Strong Democratic	82.7%	14.0%
Lean Democratic	80.8%	15.4%
Independent	67.5%	28.5%
Lean Republican	46.4%	50.0%
Strong Republican	39.4%	54.9%

Republican Men Isolated on Gun Control Laws

- * The chart below compares support/opposition for each of the three, gun control laws based on a voter’s gender and party affiliation.

There is wide and deep support for background checks among all the groups. But only Republican men oppose red flag laws and safe storage laws.

<u>Party/Gender</u>	<u>Background Check</u>	<u>Red Flag</u>	<u>Safe Storage</u>
Dem Men	100.0%-0.0%	96.7%-1.6%	72.1%-22.9%
Ind Men	88.6%-4.3%	75.7%-12.9%	64.3%-34.3%
GOP Men	79.4%-18.6%	39.2%-49.5%	34.0%-63.9%
Dem Women	99.2%-0.8%	93.2%-4.2%	88.1%-9.3%
Ind Women	96.2%-1.9%	84.9%-9.5%	71.7%-20.8%
GOP Women	82.1%-12.8%	64.1%-29.4%	46.2%-43.6%

59.6% of Voters Say They Would Consider a State’s Social Policies Before Accepting a Job There

- * Voters were asked if they were offered an attractive job in another states, how important or not important would the state’s policies on social issues like abortion, gay rights and legalized marijuana be in their decision to accept the job.

59.6% of voters said a state’s social positions would be important while 38.4% said it would not be important.

- * 66.7% of female voters it would factor into their decision, with 41.0% saying it would be very important. 51.7% of men said it would factor into their decision.

- * The chart below looks at those that say it is VERY IMPORTANT by age. Nearly half of voters under the age of 40 said a state’s social policies would be VERY IMPORTANT in whether they would consider that opportunity.

<u>Age</u>	<u>'Very' Important</u>	<u>Very/Somewhat Important</u>
18-29	46.6%	61.4%
30-39	45.8%	73.8%
40-49	23.6%	49.1%
50-64	38.8%	60.5%
65+	34.3%	55.3%

Whitmer Job Approval at 56.2%

- * Michigan voters approve of Governor Whitmer's performance by a margin of 56.2%-37.1% -- reflective of her large re-election victory.
- * Whitmer approval is 62.2%-32.4% among female voters. Her approval is 49.6%-42.3% among male voters.
- * Whitmer job approval is 65.8%-25.2% among independent voters.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>
Strong Democratic	97.2%	1.2%
Lean Democratic	82.7%	7.7%
Independent	65.8%	25.2%
Lean Republican	19.6%	67.9%
Strong Republican	12.6%	81.8%

Biden Job Approval at 40.0%

- * Michigan voters disapprove of Joe Biden's performance as President by a margin of 40.0%-55.0%. Biden's numbers have been statistically consistent for the past year.

Independent voters disapprove of Joe Biden by a margin of 38.2%-56.1%.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>
Strong Democratic	78.8%	15.1%
Lean Democratic	73.1%	15.4%
Independent	38.2%	56.1%
Lean Republican	7.2%	89.3%
Strong Republican	3.4%	95.4%

* Biden’s highest job approval comes among older voters. But his approval among voters aged 18-29 is only 29.6%.

<u>Age</u>	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>
18-29	29.6%	62.5%
30-39	34.5%	57.0%
40-49	32.1%	63.2%
50-64	44.1%	54.0%
65+	52.5%	44.1%

**MICHIGAN STATEWIDE SURVEY
DECEMBER 2022**

Hello, my name is _____. I'm not selling anything. I'm doing a quick survey of voters' attitudes in Michigan. It should take approximately six minutes.

A. Are you registered to vote at the address I am calling?

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|----|------------------|--------|
| 1. | Yes.....CONTINUE | 100.0% |
| 2. | No....TERMINATE | |

1. And could you tell me in what county you vote in?

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|-----|--------------------------|-------|
| 1. | UP/North | 10.6% |
| 2. | West | 11.4% |
| 3. | Southwest | 10.8% |
| 4. | Mid Michigan | 10.0% |
| 5. | East Central | 11.3% |
| 6. | Oakland | 12.9% |
| 7. | Macomb | 9.0% |
| 8. | Wayne | 10.8% |
| 9. | City of Detroit | 4.3% |
| 10. | Remainder of Detroit MSA | 9.0% |

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|----|---|-------|
| 1. | Outstate
(UP/North, West, Southwest, Mid, East Central) | 54.1% |
| 2. | Metro Detroit
(Oakland, Macomb, Wayne, Detroit, Detroit MSA) | 45.9% |

3. What do you think is the most important issue facing Michigan today?

[RECORD AS STATED/ CODE RESPONSE]

What do you think is the most important issue facing Michigan today?	Number	Percent
The economy and jobs	104	17.2 %
Inflation/ Cost of gas and goods	143	23.7 %
Roads and infrastructure	41	6.8 %
Biden	2	0.3 %
The Democrats	24	4.0 %
The Republicans	1	0.2 %
Election integrity and voting rights	7	1.2 %
Corrupt government/ partisan politics	24	4.0 %
Taxes and government spending	12	2.0 %
Crime and drugs	27	4.5 %
Abortion/ Women's rights	44	7.3 %
Education quality and funding	21	3.5 %
Covid and the issues it caused	7	1.2 %
Labor shortage/ People don't want to work	10	1.7 %
Quality and cost of health care	4	0.7 %
Cultural/social division	13	2.2 %
Green energy and environmental issues	6	1.0 %
Auto insurance laws and cost	3	0.5 %
Misc	3	0.5 %
Don't know/Refused/Nothing	107	17.7 %
Total	603	100.0 %

4. Generally speaking, do you think the nation is on the right track or would you say things are on the wrong track?
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|----|------------------------------------|-------|
| 1. | Right track | 24.2% |
| 2. | Wrong track | 64.0% |
| 3. | Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 11.8% |
5. And do you think Michigan is on the right track, or would you say things are on the wrong track?
- | | | |
|----|------------------------------------|-------|
| 1. | Right track | 47.9% |
| 2. | Wrong track | 42.8% |
| 3. | Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 11.8% |
6. And would you say the Michigan economy is on the right track or would you say the Michigan economy is on the wrong track?
- | | | |
|----|--|-------|
| 1. | Right track...MOVE TO Q8 | 41.0% |
| 2. | Wrong track...MOVE TO Q7 | 48.9% |
| 3. | Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER/ MOVE TO Q8 | 10.1% |

7. And why specifically do you think the Michigan economy is on the wrong track?

And why specifically do you think the Michigan economy is on the wrong track?	Number	Percent
No good jobs/ Unemployment	21	7.1 %
Wages are too low/ Not paying enough	11	3.7 %
Inflation/ Cost of goods	135	45.8 %
Covid related concerns	5	1.7 %
Anti-Biden or Democrats	30	10.2 %
Anti-Trump or Republicans	1	0.3 %
Nobody wants to work/ Government subsidies	23	7.8 %
There are not enough workers	4	1.4 %
Cost of gas prices	18	6.1 %
Supply chain issues/ Can't get anything	6	2.0 %
Taxes and government spending	20	6.8 %
Going green and closing power plants	8	2.7 %
Partisan divide in politics	1	0.3 %
Misc	1	0.3 %
Don't know/Refused	11	3.7 %
Total	295	100.0 %

8. And how about you personally, would you say you are doing better economically, worse, or about the same as in the past?

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|----|--|-------|
| 1. | Better | 21.1% |
| 2. | Worse....ASK:
AND WHY SPECIFICALLY ARE YOU DOING WORSE? | 33.3% |

[RECORD AS STATED/ CODE RESPONSE]

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|----|------------------------------------|-------|
| 3. | About the same | 45.3% |
| 4. | Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 0.7% |

AND WHY SPECIFICALLY ARE YOU
DOING WORSE?

	Number	Percent
Inflation in general	102	51.3 %
Wages aren't keeping up with inflation	26	13.1 %
I'm on a fixed income which doesn't go as far now	14	7.0 %
Cost of gas	10	5.0 %
Job loss/ Lack of work	16	8.0 %
The stock market is down	14	7.0 %
My health issues	2	1.0 %
Covid and its consequences	3	1.5 %
The economy	5	2.5 %
Trouble keeping personal finances in order	3	1.5 %
Biden	2	1.0 %
Misc	2	1.0 %
<u>Don't know/Refused/Nothing</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0.0 %</u>
Total	199	100.0 %

9. Do you approve or disapprove of the job being done by Gretchen Whitmer as Governor of Michigan? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONGLY APPROVE/DISAPPROVE OR JUST SOMEWHAT APPROVE/DISAPPROVE?

1.	Strongly approve	39.3%	APPROVE:	56.2%
2.	Somewhat approve	16.9%		
3.	Somewhat disapprove	6.3%		
4.	Strongly disapprove	30.8%	DISAPPROVE:	37.1%
5.	Neither/ Don't Know/ Refused....DO NOT OFFER	6.6%		

10. Do you approve or disapprove of the job being done by Joe Biden as President of the United States? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONGLY APPROVE/DISAPPROVE OR JUST SOMEWHAT APPROVE/DISAPPROVE?

1.	Strongly approve	18.4%	APPROVE:	40.0%
2.	Somewhat approve	21.6%		
3.	Somewhat disapprove	4.8%		
4.	Strongly disapprove	50.2%	DISAPPROVE:	55.0%
5.	Neither/ Don't Know/ Refused....DO NOT OFFER	5.0%		

11. Thinking about the economy, would you say you are very concerned, somewhat concerned, not very concerned, or not concerned at all about inflation?

1.	Very concerned....MOVE TO Q12	64.5%
2.	Somewhat concerned....MOVE TO Q12	27.5%
3.	Not very concerned...MOVE TO Q13	4.6%
4.	Not concerned at all...MOVE TO Q13	3.0%
5.	Don't Know/ Refused....DO NOT OFFER/ MOVE TO Q13	0.3%

12. And where specifically has inflation impacted you the most?

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And where specifically has inflation impacted you the most?	Number	Percent
Gas prices	122	22.0 %
Food	241	43.4 %
Medicine	4	0.7 %
Rent	5	0.9 %
Heating/ Electricity	19	3.4 %
Household goods	6	1.1 %
Mortgage/ Housing market	13	2.3 %
Cost of doing business	6	1.1 %
Savings and retirement	3	0.5 %
Taxes	2	0.4 %
Travel and transportation	3	0.5 %
Everything	117	21.1 %
It hasn't impacted me	12	2.2 %
Misc	1	0.2 %
<u>Don't know/Refused</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0.2 %</u>
Total	555	100.0 %

13. Would you say yes or no, that because of inflation you have had to make choices about what you can afford to buy that you did not have to make before? IF YES, ASK: AND DID THESE CHOICES FORCE YOU TO STOP BUYING SPECIFIC THINGS?

1. Yes, have had to make choices.....ASK: 45.1%
AND WHAT DID YOU STOP BUYING?

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2. Yes, have had to make choice but did not stop buying/ buying less 21.2%
3. No, have not had to make choices 33.0%
4. Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER 0.7%

<u>AND WHAT DID YOU STOP BUYING?</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Name brand products/ We switched to generic	28	10.3 %
More expensive/ Non necessary food items	57	21.0 %
Fresh meat	21	7.7 %
Bulk food/Stocking up	13	4.8 %
Going out to eat	27	9.9 %
Vacation and travel	34	12.5 %
Entertainment	34	12.5 %
Clothing	12	4.4 %
A house/property	3	1.1 %
A car	10	3.7 %
Christmas gifts/toys	3	1.1 %
Self-care like salon trips	5	1.8 %
Electronics/ Appliances	4	1.5 %
Medications	4	1.5 %
Cigarettes	1	0.4 %
Heat fuel/ Propane	3	1.1 %
We shop sales and deals	8	2.9 %
Unnecessary things/ Luxury items	35	12.9 %
Misc	1	0.4 %
<u>Don't know/Refused</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>2.6%</u>

14. And do you think inflation will continue at this pace for the next few years, or do you think inflation will begin to slow down?
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|----|---------------------------|-------|--|--|
| 1. | Will continue for years | 47.3% | | |
| 2. | Will begin to slow down | 39.0% | | |
| 3. | Don't Know...DO NOT OFFER | 13.6% | | |
| 4. | Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 0.2% | | |
15. Changing topics, would you say you did or did not vote in this November's election?
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|----|---|-------|--|--|
| 1. | Did vote...MOVE TO Q16 | 87.7% | | |
| 2. | Did not vote...MOVE TO Q18 | 12.1% | | |
| 3. | Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER/ MOVE TO Q18 | 0.2% | | |
16. And did you cast an absentee ballot or did you vote on election day?
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|----|------------------------|-------|--|--|
| 1. | Absentee Ballot | 36.1% | | |
| 2. | Election Day | 63.7% | | |
| 3. | Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 0.2% | | |
17. And do you approve or disapprove of the process of casting your vote? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONGLY APPROVE/DISAPPROVE OR JUST SOMEWHAT APPROVE/DISAPPROVE?
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|----|------------------------------------|-------|------------|-------|
| 1. | Strongly approve | 64.8% | APPROVE | 83.5% |
| 2. | Somewhat approve | 18.7% | | |
| 3. | Somewhat disapprove | 5.1% | | |
| 4. | Strongly disapprove | 7.6% | DISAPPROVE | 12.7% |
| 5. | Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 3.8% | | |

18. Do you approve or disapprove of the way your community handled the November election?

1.	Strongly approve	69.5%	APPROVE	89.7%
2.	Somewhat approve	20.2%		
3.	Somewhat disapprove	2.0%	DISAPPROVE	4.5%
4.	Strongly disapprove	2.5%		
5.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	5.8%		

19. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Michigan handled the November election?

1.	Strongly approve	50.6%	APPROVE	75.3%
2.	Somewhat approve	24.7%		
3.	Somewhat disapprove....ASK: AND WHY DO YOU DISAPPROVE?	3.0%	DISAPPROVE	10.8%

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4.	Strongly disapprove....ASK: AND WHY DO YOU DISAPPROVE?	7.8%		
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5.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	13.9%	DON'T KNOW	13.9%
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<u>AND WHY DO YOU DISAPPROVE?</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>
The absentee ballots	15	23.1 %
There was fraud/cheating	20	30.8 %
The security of the voting process is too lax	7	10.8 %
Because the wrong person/proposal won	10	15.4 %
Something was wrong with the voting machines	3	4.6 %
Results took too long	3	4.6 %
The people who run it	2	3.1 %
Chaos and miscommunication about polling locations	3	4.6 %
Proposals weren't clearly explained	1	1.5 %
My candidate wasn't allowed to run	0	0.0 %
Misc	0	0.0 %
<u>Don't know/Refused/Nothing</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1.5 %</u>

20.	Would you say the election was fair or not fair?	
1.	Fair	74.1%
2.	Not Fair	13.3%
3.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	12.6%
21.	Would you say the election results were accurate or inaccurate?	
1.	Accurate	75.3%
2.	Inaccurate	13.3%
3.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	11.4%
22.	Who do you trust the most to provide you with accurate results? [READ 1-3]	
1.	Your local or county clerk	37.8%
2.	The Michigan Secretary of State	26.4%
3.	Your local newspaper or television station	14.6%
4.	All of them...DO NOT OFFER	6.3%
5.	None of them...DO NOT OFFER	4.6%
4.	Someone else....AND WHO WOULD THAT BE?	1.7%
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5.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	8.6%
23.	Would you say the candidates for office this year did or did not address the issues that were most important to you?	
1.	Did address	56.7%
2.	Did not address	26.9%
3.	Sometimes...DO NOT OFFER	9.1%
4.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	7.3%

24. And where do you get the most useful information about the candidates? [READ 1-9]

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|----|---|-------|
| 1. | From your local newspapers or tv stations | 45.4% |
| 2. | From your preferred party | 3.3% |
| 3. | From other political organizations | 4.8% |
| 4. | From mailings from the candidates | 7.3% |
| 5. | From television ads | 4.0% |
| 6. | From your church or religious organizations | 2.8% |
| 7. | From unions or teacher associations | 1.7% |
| 8. | From your place of employment | 1.3% |
| 9. | Or would you say from somewhere else: | 18.2% |

ASK: AND WHERE WOULD THAT BE?

[Online 6.6%, 4.1% Social Media, 2.3% Word of Mouth, 2.0% Candidate Websites, 1.8%. City/State websites, 0.7% Radio, 0.7% from someone else.]

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| 10. | Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 11.1% |
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25. Would you say you are optimistic or pessimistic about the future of democracy in America?

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| 1. | Optimistic | 60.0% |
| 2. | Pessimistic....ASK: AND WHY ARE YOU PESSIMISTIC? | 29.0% |

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| 3. | Neutral...DO NOT OFFER | 6.5% |
| 4. | Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 4.5% |

<u>AND WHY ARE YOU PESSIMISTIC?</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Biden	5	2.9 %
The Democrats	18	10.3 %
Trump	4	2.3 %
The Republicans	3	1.7 %
Polarized parties/ We're divided	18	10.3 %
Political corruption and lies	44	25.1 %
Election deniers	6	3.4 %
Election fraud	10	5.7 %
We're heading toward socialism/communism	8	4.6 %
Generally heading in the wrong direction	12	6.9 %
Many rights are being taken from us	3	1.7 %
Inflation is rampant	8	4.6 %
The news media and false information	6	3.4 %
Social/moral division	6	3.4 %
Our democracy is failing	10	5.7 %
Things are changing	2	1.1 %
Nothing is changing	2	1.1 %
Misc	2	1.1 %
<u>Don't know/Refused</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>4.6 %</u>
Total	175	100.0 %

26. Regardless of who you voted for, would you say you feel better, worse or the same about the state of democracy now than you did before this November’s election?

1. Yes, feel better.... 23.4%
 ASK: AND WHY DO YOU FEEL BETTER ABOUT DEMOCRACY NOW?

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2. No, do not feel better.... 15.4%
 ASK: AND WHY DO YOU NOT FEEL BETTER ABOUT DEMOCRACY NOW?

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3. The same 57.5%
 4. Don’t Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER 3.6%

AND WHY DO YOU FEEL BETTER ABOUT
 DEMOCRACY NOW?

	Number	Percent
The right people/my people won	39	27.7 %
Trump endorsed candidates didn't win	11	7.8 %
Democrats came out ahead	18	12.8 %
Republicans took the House/ More balance	13	9.2 %
There was a large and diverse group out to vote	9	6.4 %
It happened without major drama or denial	20	14.2 %
The process was fair and secure	15	10.6 %
Women won in Michigan	3	2.1 %
We're working together a little more	3	2.1 %
I have hope for positive change	3	2.1 %
The social issues addressed	3	2.1 %
Misc	1	0.7 %
Don't know/Refused	3	2.1 %
Total	141	100.0 %

AND WHY DO YOU NOT FEEL BETTER
ABOUT DEMOCRACY NOW?

	Number	Percent
It didn't go the way I wanted	27	29.0 %
The fraud and corruption throughout the elections	22	23.7 %
I don't trust the government	4	4.3 %
Democrats have complete control	7	7.5 %
We're going to become socialists/communists	4	4.3 %
Inflation isn't going to get better	5	5.4 %
Nothing will change or get better	8	8.6 %
I can't believe the proposals passed/ People must have been confused	8	8.6 %
Our rights are being taken away	4	4.3 %
No one is willing to compromise	2	2.2 %
Misc	0	0.0 %
Don't know/Refused	2	2.2 %
Total	93	100.0 %

27. What more should Michigan do to improve the voting process for you personally?

What more should Michigan do to improve the voting process for you personally?	Number	Percent
No absentee voting at all	23	3.8 %
Better monitor and limit absentee votes	22	3.6 %
Require a voter to be registered and show ID	38	6.3 %
Have a single day for voting	6	1.0 %
Make it more secure and transparent	35	5.8 %
Overturn Proposal 2	7	1.2 %
A longer time frame for voting, like weekend voting	22	3.6 %
Have a place for positive, non-biased information about candidates and proposals	29	4.8 %
Make sure people know how and where to vote	2	0.3 %
Continue allowing absentee voting	12	2.0 %
More locations and polling stations	9	1.5 %
Make the process more accessible to the handicapped and homeless	6	1.0 %
Allow online voting	7	1.2 %
Make election day a holiday	4	0.7 %
Make it more efficient and streamlined	6	1.0 %
Make sure everyone votes	6	1.0 %
Paper ballots only	3	0.5 %
Improve the counting system so we have results the same night	7	1.2 %
Use different voting machines or get rid of them	2	0.3 %
Get better candidates	4	0.7 %
Misc	4	0.7 %
<u>Don't know/Refused/Nothing</u>	<u>366</u>	<u>60.7 %</u>

28. I am going to read you a list of six things that the new Michigan Legislature might do. Please tell me which ONE thing you think they should do first. IF MORE THAN ONE ANSWER, ASK WHICH ONE IS MOST IMPORTANT TO YOU? [READ/ROTATE 1-7]

1.	Repeal Michigan’s 1931 abortion law.	14.8%
2.	Pass red flag and background check laws for new gun purchases.	24.0%
3.	Repeal Michigan’s Right to Work Law.	4.5%
4.	Invest more money in training Michigan workers to fill available jobs	14.3%
5.	Go after new jobs projects like battery plants and chip makers.	11.4%
6.	Pass legislation prohibiting discrimination against LGBT Michiganders.	3.8%
7.	Repeal Michigan Pension Retirement Tax	17.9%
8.	None/ Don’t Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	9.3%

29. Do you support or oppose overturning Michigan’s Right to Work law? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONG SUPPORT/OPPOSE OR JUST SOMEWHAT SUPPORT/OPPOSE?

1.	Strongly support	20.1%	SUPPORT	28.6%
2.	Somewhat support	8.5%		
3.	Somewhat oppose	5.6%	OPPOSE	21.5%
4.	Strongly oppose	15.9%		
5.	Neither support, nor oppose	8.0%	NEUTRAL	
6.	Undecided/ Not Sure/ Refused....DO NOT OFFER	42.0%	UNDECIDED	50.0%

30. If you were offered an attractive job in another state, how important or not important would you say that state’s policies on social issues like abortion, gay rights and legalized marijuana would be in your decision about whether to accept that job? Would you say a state’s social positions are very important, somewhat important, not very important or not important at all?

1.	Very important	37.0%	IMPORTANT	59.6%
2.	Somewhat important	22.6%		
3.	Not very important	12.9%		
4.	Not important at all	25.5%	NOT IMPORTANT	38.4%
5.	Don’t Know/ Depends/ Refused....DO NOT OFFER	2.0%		

31. Do you support or oppose a Michigan law that would require background checks before someone can purchase a gun? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONG SUPPORT/OPPOSE OR JUST SOMEWHAT SUPPORT/OPPOSE?

1.	Strongly support	81.1%	SUPPORT	89.9%
2.	Somewhat support	8.8%		
3.	Somewhat oppose	1.2%	OPPOSE	6.3%
4.	Strongly oppose	5.1%		
5.	Neither support, nor oppose	2.2%	NEUTRAL	
6.	Undecided/ Not Sure/ Refused....DO NOT OFFER	1.7%	UNDECIDED	3.9%

32. Do you support or oppose a Michigan law that would require red flag laws that would allow a court to remove guns from individuals deemed a threat to themselves or others? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONG SUPPORT/OPPOSE OR JUST SOMEWHAT SUPPORT/OPPOSE?

1.	Strongly support	60.2%	SUPPORT	74.1%
2.	Somewhat support	13.9%		
3.	Somewhat oppose	3.3%	OPPOSE	18.4%
4.	Strongly oppose	15.1%		
5.	Neither support, nor oppose	2.3%	NEUTRAL	
6.	Undecided/ Not Sure/ Refused....DO NOT OFFER	5.1%	UNDECIDED	7.4%

33. Do you support or oppose a Michigan law that would require gun owners to safely store their guns in a locked container, unloaded and separate from ammunition? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONG SUPPORT/OPPOSE OR JUST SOMEWHAT SUPPORT/OPPOSE?

1.	Strongly support	49.3%	SUPPORT	62.7%
2.	Somewhat support	13.4%		
3.	Somewhat oppose	5.1%	OPPOSE	32.5%
4.	Strongly oppose	27.4%		
5.	Neither support, nor oppose	1.7%	NEUTRAL	
6.	Undecided/ Not Sure/ Refused....DO NOT OFFER	3.2%	UNDECIDED	4.9%

Now just a couple of questions for statistical purposes.

34. Generally speaking, would you say you tend to vote mostly for Republican candidates, do you vote mostly for Democratic candidates, or would you say you vote equally for both Republican and Democratic candidates? IF VOTE EQUALLY ASK: WOULD YOU SAY YOU LEAN MORE TO THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY OR MORE TO THE REPUBLICAN PARTY, OR WOULD YOU SAY YOU ARE AN INDEPENDENT VOTER?

1.	Strongly Democratic	29.7%	DEMOCRATIC	38.3%
2.	Lean Democratic	8.6%		
3.	Independent	20.4%	INDEPENDENT	20.4%
4.	Lean Republican	9.3%		
5.	Strong Republican	29.0%	REPUBLICAN	38.3%
6.	Other/ Refused/ Don't Know....DO NOT OFFER	3.0%		

35. What would be the last year of schooling you completed?

1.	High school graduate or less	27.5%	NON COLLEGE	59.2%
2.	Vocational Training/ Some Community College/ Some College	31.7%		
3.	College Graduate	40.3%	COLLEGE	40.3%
4.	Don't Know/ Refused....DO NOT OFFER	0.5%		

36. Do you have any children 18 years old or younger? IF YES, ASK: AND ARE YOUR CHILDREN IN SCHOOL OR ARE THEY TOO YOUNG FOR SCHOOL?

1.	Yes, Too young for school	3.8%
2.	Yes, School age children	29.2%
3.	No children	66.3%
4.	Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER	0.7%

37. Do you or any member of your household belong to a labor union or a teacher's association?
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|----|------------------------------------|-------|
| 1. | Yes | 23.7% |
| 2. | No | 75.1% |
| 3. | Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 1.2% |
38. Could you please tell me in what year you were born?
- | | | | |
|----|-------------------------------------|-------------------|-------|
| 1. | 18-29 | (1993-2004) | 14.6% |
| 2. | 30-39 | (1983-1992) | 17.7% |
| 3. | 40-49 | (1973-1982) | 17.6% |
| 4. | 50-64 | (1958-1972) | 25.2% |
| 5. | 65+ | (1957 and before) | 23.7% |
| 6. | Don't Know/ Refused....DO NOT OFFER | | 1.2% |
39. And what is your race or ethnic background?
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|----|---|-------|
| 1. | Caucasian | 71.8% |
| 2. | African American | 12.1% |
| 3. | Hispanic/ Puerto Rican/ Mexican American | 2.8% |
| 4. | Asian | 1.7% |
| 5. | Mixed Race....DO NOT OFFER | 2.5% |
| 6. | Native American | 1.8% |
| 7. | Other/ Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 7.3% |
40. I am going to read you several categories. Please tell me which ONE category best fits your total household income.
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|----|------------------------------------|-------|
| 1. | Under \$25,000 | 7.5% |
| 2. | \$25,000-50,000 | 17.4% |
| 3. | \$50,000-\$75,000 | 21.1% |
| 4. | \$75,000-100,000 | 15.1% |
| 5. | More than \$100,000 | 26.7% |
| 6. | Don't Know/ Refused...DO NOT OFFER | 12.3% |

41. Gender: BY OBSERVATION

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|----|--------|-------|
| 1. | Male | 48.0% |
| 2. | Female | 52.0% |

42. Telephone

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|----|----------|-------|
| 1. | Cell | 75.0% |
| 2. | Landline | 25.0% |

3. What do you think is the most important issue facing Michigan today?

	Economy	Inflation	Roads	Democrats	Partisanship	Crime	Abortion
Out	16.3%	23.0%	7.4%	4.0%	5.2%	3.4%	6.7%
Metro	18.4%	24.5%	6.1%	4.0%	2.5%	5.8%	7.9%
Strong D	20.7%	15.6%	6.7%	0.0%	5.0%	4.5%	11.7%
Lean D	17.3%	15.4%	15.4%	0.0%	1.9%	7.7%	9.6%
Independent	9.8%	26.8%	6.5%	1.6%	4.9%	8.9%	4.9%
Lean R	21.4%	30.4%	8.9%	5.4%	1.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Strong R	17.1%	30.3%	4.6%	9.7%	3.4%	2.3%	6.3%
Non-College	17.4%	22.7%	9.2%	4.2%	3.6%	5.0%	6.7%
College	17.3%	25.5%	3.3%	3.7%	4.5%	3.7%	8.2%
18-29	10.2%	18.2%	17.0%	5.7%	6.8%	4.5%	8.0%
30-39	15.9%	25.2%	4.7%	2.8%	1.9%	6.5%	9.3%
40-49	17.0%	22.6%	6.6%	3.8%	4.7%	0.9%	10.4%
50-64	19.7%	28.3%	4.6%	3.3%	5.3%	2.0%	7.9%
65+	20.3%	22.4%	4.2%	4.9%	2.1%	7.0%	2.8%
Male	16.7%	26.0%	7.6%	5.6%	5.6%	3.5%	4.9%
Female	17.8%	21.6%	6.0%	2.5%	2.5%	5.4%	9.5%
<\$25,000	15.6%	26.7%	4.4%	0.0%	0.0%	4.4%	13.3%
\$25-50,000	17.1%	23.8%	11.4%	1.0%	4.8%	8.6%	2.9%
\$50-75,000	15.0%	26.0%	7.1%	4.7%	3.9%	2.4%	8.7%
\$75-100,000	20.9%	22.0%	8.8%	6.6%	1.1%	3.3%	7.7%
\$100,000+	19.9%	24.8%	3.7%	5.0%	4.3%	2.5%	8.7%
Young	17.4%	34.8%	4.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	4.3%
School	15.9%	26.7%	4.0%	2.8%	3.4%	4.0%	9.7%
No Children	18.0%	22.0%	8.3%	4.5%	4.5%	5.0%	6.5%

White	16.2%	25.6%	6.2%	5.3%	4.6%	2.5%	6.7%
Afr Amer	21.9%	16.4%	8.2%	0.0%	0.0%	12.3%	6.8%

4. Generally speaking, do you think the nation is on the right track or would you say things are on the wrong track?

	Right	Wrong
Out	26.4%	62.9%
Metro	21.7%	65.3%
Strong D	45.8%	36.9%
Lean D	57.7%	26.9%
Independent	17.9%	65.9%
Lean R	5.4%	94.6%
Strong R	2.9%	92.0%
Non-College	22.7%	65.0%
College	26.7%	62.6%
18-29	14.8%	73.9%
30-39	22.4%	58.9%
40-49	15.1%	76.4%
50-64	27.6%	61.8%
65+	35.7%	54.5%
Male	23.6%	67.4%
Female	24.8%	61.0%
<\$25,000	35.6%	51.1%
\$25-50,000	24.8%	65.7%
\$50-75,000	25.2%	59.8%
\$75-100,000	27.5%	57.1%
\$100,000+	23.0%	68.3%
Young	21.7%	69.6%
School	14.2%	72.2%
No Children	29.0%	60.3%

White	25.4%	65.8%
Afr Amer	21.9%	49.3%

5. And do you think Michigan is on the right track, or would you say things are on the wrong track?

	Right	Wrong
Out	43.9%	48.2%
Metro	52.7%	36.5%
Strong D	82.7%	11.2%
Lean D	84.6%	9.6%
Independent	47.2%	40.7%
Lean R	19.6%	67.9%
Strong R	12.0%	79.4%
Non-College	46.8%	45.1%
College	49.8%	39.5%
18-29	48.9%	40.9%
30-39	52.3%	34.6%
40-49	34.9%	55.7%
50-64	48.0%	46.1%
65+	54.5%	37.1%
Male	45.8%	45.5%
Female	49.8%	40.3%
<\$25,000	53.3%	33.3%
\$25-50,000	59.0%	37.1%
\$50-75,000	49.6%	43.3%
\$75-100,000	50.5%	40.7%
\$100,000+	41.6%	46.6%
Young	34.8%	52.2%
School	41.5%	47.7%
No Children	51.8%	40.0%

White	45.3%	46.4%
Afr Amer	72.6%	17.8%

6. And would you say the Michigan economy is on the right track or would you say the Michigan economy is on the wrong track?

	Right	Wrong
Out	37.7%	50.9%
Metro	44.8%	46.6%
Strong D	65.4%	24.6%
Lean D	55.8%	30.8%
Independent	42.3%	46.3%
Lean R	14.3%	76.8%
Strong R	19.4%	72.6%
Non-College	39.8%	49.9%
College	42.8%	47.3%
18-29	36.4%	46.6%
30-39	45.8%	42.1%
40-49	30.2%	61.3%
50-64	36.8%	55.9%
65+	53.1%	39.2%
Male	41.7%	47.6%
Female	40.3%	50.2%
<\$25,000	37.8%	44.4%
\$25-50,000	41.0%	48.6%
\$50-75,000	44.1%	45.7%
\$75-100,000	38.5%	56.0%
\$100,000+	42.2%	49.7%

Young	30.4%	60.9%
School	33.5%	58.5%
No Children	45.0%	44.0%
White	41.1%	50.6%
Afr Amer	49.3%	39.7%

8. And how about you personally, would you say you are doing better economically, worse, or about the same as in the past?

	Better	Worse	Same
Out	18.4%	34.7%	46.0%
Metro	24.2%	31.0%	44.4%
Strong D	35.2%	14.5%	50.3%
Lean D	25.0%	32.7%	42.3%
Independent	20.3%	30.9%	48.8%
Lean R	7.1%	46.4%	44.6%
Strong R	10.3%	49.7%	38.3%
Non-College	15.7%	35.0%	48.5%
College	28.4%	30.0%	41.2%
18-29	22.7%	36.4%	38.6%
30-39	28.0%	29.9%	42.1%
40-49	20.8%	33.0%	46.2%
50-64	22.4%	39.5%	38.2%
65+	13.3%	25.9%	59.4%
Male	23.6%	29.9%	45.5%
Female	18.7%	35.9%	45.1%
<\$25,000	8.9%	46.7%	44.4%
\$25-50,000	12.4%	33.3%	54.3%
\$50-75,000	21.3%	36.2%	40.9%
\$75-100,000	25.3%	33.0%	41.8%
\$100,000+	31.7%	26.1%	42.2%
Young	34.8%	34.8%	30.4%
School	19.9%	36.9%	43.2%
No Children	20.8%	31.0%	47.3%

White	19.4%	35.6%	44.8%
Afr Amer	39.7%	21.9%	38.4%

9. Do you approve or disapprove of the job being done by Gretchen Whitmer as Governor of Michigan? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONGLY APPROVE/DISAPPROVE OR JUST SOMEWHAT APPROVE/DISAPPROVE?

	Strongly Approve	Somewhat Approve	Somewhat Disapprove	Strongly Disapprove
Out Metro	31.6%	17.2%	7.1%	37.1%
	48.4%	16.6%	5.4%	23.5%
Strong D	79.9%	17.3%	0.6%	0.6%
Lean D	65.4%	17.3%	5.8%	1.9%
Independent	33.3%	32.5%	5.7%	19.5%
Lean R	7.1%	12.5%	12.5%	55.4%
Strong R	4.6%	8.0%	10.9%	70.9%
Non-College	38.9%	15.7%	8.1%	31.1%
College	39.9%	18.9%	3.7%	30.9%
18-29	35.2%	21.6%	12.5%	23.9%
30-39	39.3%	21.5%	5.6%	23.4%
40-49	25.5%	18.9%	7.5%	40.6%
50-64	40.8%	12.5%	4.6%	35.5%
65+	51.0%	14.0%	3.5%	28.7%
Male	34.0%	15.6%	7.6%	34.7%
Female	44.1%	18.1%	5.1%	27.3%
<\$25,000	46.7%	15.6%	2.2%	26.7%
\$25-50,000	46.7%	19.0%	6.7%	23.8%
\$50-75,000	36.2%	18.1%	7.9%	33.9%
\$75-100,000	39.6%	15.4%	3.3%	31.9%
\$100,000+	37.3%	13.7%	6.2%	34.8%

Young	26.1%	30.4%	8.7%	21.7%
School	32.4%	18.2%	5.7%	36.4%
No Children	43.0%	15.8%	6.5%	29.0%
White	35.1%	16.2%	6.7%	35.8%
Afr Amer	68.5%	20.5%	2.7%	1.4%

10. Do you approve or disapprove of the job being done by Joe Biden as President of the United States? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONGLY APPROVE/DISAPPROVE OR JUST SOMEWHAT APPROVE/DISAPPROVE?

	Strongly Approve	Somewhat Approve	Somewhat Disapprove	Strongly Disapprove
Out Metro	15.6%	21.8%	3.4%	54.6%
	21.7%	21.3%	6.5%	45.1%
Strong D	36.3%	42.5%	4.5%	10.6%
Lean D	40.4%	32.7%	1.9%	13.5%
Independent	13.8%	24.4%	8.9%	47.2%
Lean R	1.8%	5.4%	8.9%	80.4%
Strong R	1.1%	2.3%	2.3%	93.1%
Non-College	17.6%	19.0%	4.2%	52.7%
College	19.8%	25.5%	5.3%	46.5%
18-29	9.1%	20.5%	10.2%	52.3%
30-39	9.3%	25.2%	8.4%	48.6%
40-49	11.3%	20.8%	3.8%	59.4%
50-64	25.7%	18.4%	2.0%	52.0%
65+	29.4%	23.1%	2.8%	41.3%
Male	16.3%	17.7%	5.6%	55.9%
Female	20.3%	25.1%	4.1%	45.1%
<\$25,000	24.4%	20.0%	2.2%	48.9%
\$25-50,000	20.0%	27.6%	5.7%	42.9%
\$50-75,000	17.3%	20.5%	5.5%	53.5%
\$75-100,000	16.5%	22.0%	6.6%	46.2%
\$100,000+	18.0%	18.6%	5.0%	55.3%

Young	8.7%	26.1%	13.0%	52.2%
School	10.2%	17.0%	4.5%	61.4%
No Children	22.8%	23.5%	4.5%	45.0%
White	16.2%	20.6%	3.9%	55.0%
Afr Amer	32.9%	30.1%	8.2%	26.0%

11. Thinking about the economy, would you say you are very concerned, somewhat concerned, not very concerned, or not concerned at all about inflation?

	Very Concerned	Somewhat Concerned	Not Very Concerned	Not Concerned At All
Out Metro	63.2%	26.7%	5.8%	4.0%
	66.1%	28.5%	3.2%	1.8%
Strong D	42.5%	45.3%	7.8%	3.9%
Lean D	59.6%	25.0%	7.7%	5.8%
Independent	65.0%	30.9%	2.4%	1.6%
Lean R	80.4%	14.3%	1.8%	3.6%
Strong R	84.0%	11.4%	2.3%	2.3%
Non-College	67.2%	24.9%	4.8%	3.1%
College	60.5%	31.3%	4.5%	2.9%
18-29	62.5%	31.8%	5.7%	0.0%
30-39	68.2%	25.2%	5.6%	0.9%
40-49	66.0%	25.5%	1.9%	6.6%
50-64	67.1%	27.0%	3.9%	1.3%
65+	58.7%	29.4%	6.3%	4.9%
Male	63.9%	27.1%	5.2%	3.5%
Female	65.1%	27.9%	4.1%	2.5%
<\$25,000	71.1%	28.9%	0.0%	0.0%
\$25-50,000	65.7%	26.7%	6.7%	1.0%
\$50-75,000	70.9%	21.3%	3.1%	4.7%
\$75-100,000	54.9%	37.5%	4.4%	3.3%
\$100,000+	61.5%	29.2%	6.2%	1.9%

Young	73.9%	21.7%	4.3%	0.0%
School	71.0%	23.3%	5.1%	0.6%
No Children	61.0%	29.8%	4.5%	4.3%
White	64.7%	27.5%	4.6%	2.8%
Afr Amer	72.6%	24.7%	1.4%	1.4%

12. And where specifically has inflation impacted you the most?

	Gas	Food	Medicine	Rent	Heat/Electric	Everything
Out	25.3%	39.9%	0.7%	0.3%	3.1%	22.9%
Metro	18.3%	47.3%	0.8%	1.5%	3.8%	19.1%
Strong D	19.7%	52.2%	0.0%	1.3%	3.8%	12.7%
Lean D	18.2%	50.0%	0.0%	0.0%	9.1%	15.9%
Independent	22.9%	47.5%	1.7%	2.5%	0.0%	17.8%
Lean R	30.2%	26.4%	0.0%	0.0%	5.7%	30.2%
Strong R	23.4%	37.1%	0.6%	0.0%	3.6%	28.1%
Non-College	24.9%	42.6%	0.9%	0.9%	3.6%	20.1%
College	17.5%	44.4%	0.4%	0.9%	3.1%	22.9%
18-29	30.1%	45.8%	1.2%	1.2%	2.4%	12.0%
30-39	25.0%	49.0%	0/0%	1.0%	1.0%	19.0%
40-49	16.5%	43.3%	0.0%	1.0%	2.1%	25.8%
50-64	19.6%	39.2%	0.7%	0.7%	7.7%	26.6%
65+	21.4%	41.3%	1.6%	0.8%	1.4%	19.0%
Male	24.4%	42.7%	0.4%	0.4%	2.7%	21.4%
Female	19.8%	44.0%	1.0%	1.4%	4.1%	20.8%
<\$25,000	22.2%	48.9%	0.0%	0.0%	8.9%	13.3%
\$25-50,000	24.7%	41.2%	2.1%	0.0%	6.2%	19.6%
\$50-75,000	25.6%	47.0%	0.9%	0.0%	2.6%	13.7%
\$75-100,000	17.9%	46.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	22.6%
\$100,000+	18.5%	42.5%	0.0%	2.1%	3.4%	26.7%
Young	31.8%	40.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	27.3%
School	16.3%	47.6%	0.0%	1.8%	1.8%	25.3%
No Children	23.7%	41.6%	1.1%	0.6%	4.4%	19.0%

White	22.1%	42.6%	0.5%	0.5%	3.3%	22.6%
Afr Amer	19.7%	46.5%	0.0%	1,4%	7.0%	16.9%

13. Would you say yes or no, that because of inflation you have had to make choices about what you can afford to buy that you did not have to make before? IF YES, ASK: AND DID THESE CHOICES FORCE YOU TO STOP BUYING SPECIFIC THINGS?

	Yes, Choices	Yes, Buying Less	No Choices
Out	44.5%	21.8%	32.8%
Metro	45.8%	20.6%	33.2%
Strong D	34.1%	16.2%	49.2%
Lean D	38.5%	23.1%	38.5%
Independent	41.5%	28.5%	30.1%
Lean R	64.3%	16.1%	19.6%
Strong R	56.6%	22.9%	20.0%
Non-College	49.0%	21.8%	28.0%
College	39.1%	20.6%	40.3%
18-29	36.4%	29.5%	34.1%
30-39	51.4%	19.6%	29.0%
40-49	56.6%	24.5%	17.9%
50-64	46.1%	20.4%	32.9%
65+	37.1%	14.0%	47.6%
Male	40.3%	23.3%	35.8%
Female	49.5%	19.4%	30.5%
<\$25,000	62.2%	22.2%	15.6%
\$25-50,000	51.4%	23.8%	23.8%
\$50-75,000	47.2%	23.6%	29.1%
\$75-100,000	45.1%	18.7%	36.3%
\$100,000+	37.9%	16.8%	45.3%

Young	65.2%	17.4%	17.4%
School	53.4%	23.3%	22.7%
No Children	40.0%	20.8%	38.5%
White	45.0%	18.0%	36.5%
Afr Amer	45.2%	34.2%	19.2%

14. And do you think inflation will continue at this pace for the next few years, or do you think inflation will begin to slow down?

	Continue	Slow Down
Out	49.7%	35.3%
Metro	44.4%	43.3%
Strong D	29.1%	57.5%
Lean D	25.0%	69.2%
Independent	42.3%	39.8%
Lean R	69.6%	16.1%
Strong R	69.7%	17.1%
Non-College	51.8%	34.5%
College	40.7%	45.3%
18-29	52.3%	36.4%
30-39	50.5%	35.5%
40-49	53.8%	32.1%
50-64	48.0%	40.1%
65+	36.4%	48.3%
Male	44.8%	43.8%
Female	49.5%	34.6%
<\$25,000	51.1%	31.1%
\$25-50,000	40.0%	39.0%
\$50-75,000	53.5%	36.2%
\$75-100,000	53.8%	38.5%
\$100,000+	46.6%	44.1%
Young	47.8%	34.8%
School	55.1%	29.0%
No Children	43.8%	43.8%

White	49.4%	37.2%
Afr Amer	41.1%	47.9%

15. Changing topics, would you say you did or did not vote in this November's election?

	Did Vote	Did Not Vote
Out	89.3%	10.7%
Metro	85.9%	13.7%
Strong D	89.9%	10.1%
Lean D	86.5%	13.5%
Independent	79.7%	19.5%
Lean R	92.9%	7.1%
Strong R	90.9%	9.1%
Non-College	84.3%	15.4%
College	93.4%	6.6%
18-29	77.3%	22.7%
30-39	79.4%	20.6%
40-49	82.1%	17.0%
50-64	95.4%	4.6%
65+	96.5%	3.5%
Male	84.4%	15.3%
Female	90.8%	9.2%
<\$25,000	82.2%	17.8%
\$25-50,000	84.8%	15.2%
\$50-75,000	86.6%	13.4%
\$75-100,000	87.9%	12.1%
\$100,000+	91.9%	8.1%
Young	73.9%	26.1%
School	84.7%	15.3%
No Children	90.3%	9.5%

White	90.8%	9.2%
Afr Amer	82.2%	17.8%

16. And did you cast an absentee ballot or did you vote on election day?

	Absentee	Election Day
Out	32.3%	67.4%
Metro	40.8%	59.2%
Strong D	49.1%	50.9%
Lean D	46.7%	53.3%
Independent	32.7%	66.3%
Lean R	26.9%	73.1%
Strong R	23.3%	76.7%
Non-College	38.2%	61.5%
College	33.5%	66.5%
18-29	14.7%	85.3%
30-39	24.7%	75.3%
40-49	18.4%	81.6%
50-64	33.1%	66.9%
65+	68.1%	31.9%
Male	31.7%	68.3%
Female	39.9%	59.8%
<\$25,000	37.8%	62.2%
\$25-50,000	43.8%	56.2%
\$50-75,000	34.5%	65.5%
\$75-100,000	37.5%	62.5%
\$100,000+	27.0%	73.0%
Young	11.8%	88.2%
School	18.1%	81.9%
No Children	44.6%	55.1%

White	35.4%	64.4%
Afr Amer	35.0%	65.0%

17. And do you approve or disapprove of the process of casting your vote? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONGLY APPROVE/DISAPPROVE OR JUST SOMEWHAT APPROVE/DISAPPROVE?

	Strongly Approve	Somewhat Approve	Somewhat Disapprove	Strongly Disapprove
Out Metro	61.2%	21.3%	5.2%	7.6%
	69.3%	15.5%	5.0%	7.6%
Strong D	83.2%	14.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Lean D	82.2%	11.1%	0.0%	4.4%
Independent	66.3%	22.4%	5.1%	5.1%
Lean R	65.4%	19.2%	0.0%	13.5%
Strong R	40.9%	22.6%	12.6%	16.4%
Non-College	63.5%	17.3%	6.0%	7.6%
College	66.5%	20.7%	4.0%	7.5%
18-29	67.6%	17.6%	2.9%	11.8%
30-39	58.8%	24.7%	7.1%	3.5%
40-49	60.9%	21.8%	3.4%	10.3%
50-64	64.8%	17.9%	5.5%	7.6%
65+	71.0%	13.0%	5.8%	6.5%
Male	60.1%	20.2%	6.6%	9.5%
Female	68.9%	17.5%	3.8%	5.9%
<\$25,000	70.3%	16.2%	2.7%	8.1%
\$25-50,000	75.3%	15.7%	3.4%	4.5%
\$50-75,000	70.9%	17.3%	2.7%	5.5%
\$75-100,000	61.3%	16.3%	3.8%	15.0%
\$100,000+	61.5%	20.3%	8.1%	7.4%

White	63.4%	19.8%	5.3%	8.4%
Afr Amer	80.0%	18.3%	0.0%	1.7%

18. Do you approve or disapprove of the way your community handled the November election?

	Strongly Approve	Somewhat Approve	Somewhat Disapprove	Strongly Disapprove
Out	68.1%	23.3%	0.9%	2.1%
Metro	71.1%	16.6%	3.2%	2.9%
Strong D	77.1%	17.3%	1.1%	0.6%
Lean D	88.5%	5.8%	1.9%	3.8%
Independent	65.0%	26.0%	1.6%	0.8%
Lean R	71.4%	21.4%	0.0%	5.4%
Strong R	58.3%	24.6%	2.9%	4.0%
Non-College	68.9%	19.0%	3.1%	2.2%
College	70.8%	21.8%	0.4%	2.5%
18-29	65.9%	20.5%	1.1%	4.5%
30-39	58.9%	29.9%	5.6%	1.9%
40-49	70.8%	17.0%	0.9%	2.8%
50-64	71.7%	23.0%	0.0%	1.3%
65+	77.6%	11.9%	2.8%	2.1%
Male	67.0%	23.6%	1.0%	2.4%
Female	71.7%	17.1%	2.9%	2.5%
<\$25,000	77.8%	6.7%	0.0%	2.2%
\$25-50,000	73.3%	16.2%	2.9%	3.8%
\$50-75,000	71.7%	22.0%	2.4%	0.8%
\$75-100,000	67.0%	16.5%	4.4%	4.4%
\$100,000+	67.1%	23.6%	1.2%	1.9%
White	67.9%	21.0%	1.8%	2.8%
Afr Amer	74.0%	19.2%	2.7%	0.0%

19. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Michigan handled the November election?

	Strongly Approve	Somewhat Approve	Somewhat Disapprove	Strongly Disapprove
Out Metro	44.8%	27.0%	2.8%	9.5%
	57.4%	22.0%	3.2%	5.8%
Strong D	74.9%	20.1%	1.7%	0.6%
Lean D	84.6%	7.7%	1.9%	3.8%
Independent	49.6%	27.6%	4.1%	4.9%
Lean R	41.1%	28.6%	1.8%	10.7%
Strong R	20.0%	33.1%	4.6%	17.1%
Non-College	48.7%	25.5%	3.1%	7.6%
College	53.5%	23.5%	2.9%	7.8%
18-29	51.1%	23.9%	6.8%	6.8%
30-39	42.1%	33.6%	4.7%	7.5%
40-49	49.1%	27.4%	1.9%	6.6%
50-64	52.6%	19.7%	2.0%	10.5%
65+	58.0%	21.7%	1.4%	7.0%
Male	47.6%	25.3%	3.1%	9.7%
Female	53.3%	24.1%	2.9%	6.0%
<\$25,000	53.3%	20.0%	2.2%	8.9%
\$25-50,000	55.2%	23.8%	6.7%	5.7%
\$50-75,000	58.3%	23.6%	3.9%	5.5%
\$75-100,000	54.9%	17.6%	0.0%	12.1%
\$100,000+	44.7%	26.1%	3.1%	6.8%
White	48.5%	25.9%	3.2%	7.6%
Afr Amer	65.8%	21.9%	4.1%	2.7%

20. Would you say the election was fair or not fair?

	Fair	Not Fair
Out	69.0%	16.6%
Metro	80.1%	9.4%
Strong D	96.1%	2.2%
Lean D	92.3%	3.8%
Independent	75.6%	10.6%
Lean R	58.9%	16.1%
Strong R	50.9%	29.1%
Non-College	71.7%	13.4%
College	77.8%	13.2%
18-29	79.5%	9.1%
30-39	77.6%	15.0%
40-49	61.3%	19.8%
50-64	73.7%	15.8%
65+	79.0%	6.3%
Male	72.2%	15.3%
Female	75.9%	11.4%
<\$25,000	77.8%	6.7%
\$25-50,000	81.0%	9.5%
\$50-75,000	75.6%	14.2%
\$75-100,000	72.5%	13.2%
\$100,000+	70.2%	16.8%
White	73.0%	14.5%
Afr Amer	90.4%	4.1%

21. Would you say the election results were accurate or inaccurate?

	Accurate	Inaccurate
Out	70.6%	16.6%
Metro	80.9%	9.4%
Strong D	97.2%	1.7%
Lean D	88.5%	3.8%
Independent	81.3%	9.8%
Lean R	62.5%	17.9%
Strong R	49.7%	29.1%
Non-College	70.3%	15.7%
College	82.7%	9.5%
18-29	81.8%	9.1%
30-39	72.9%	17.8%
40-49	67.0%	19.8%
50-64	75.0%	13.8%
65+	80.4%	7.7%
Male	73.3%	14.6%
Female	77.1%	12.1%
<\$25,000	71.1%	13.3%
\$25-50,000	80.0%	10.5%
\$50-75,000	76.4%	14.2%
\$75-100,000	73.6%	14.3%
\$100,000+	74.5%	13.0%
White	74.6%	13.4%
Afr Amer	87.7%	6.8%

22. Who do you trust the most to provide you with accurate results? [READ 1-3]

	Local/County	Secretary of State	Local Media
Out	42.9%	22.7%	15.3%
Metro	31.8%	30.7%	13.7%
Strong D	30.2%	40.8%	11.7%
Lean D	40.4%	46.2%	9.6%
Independent	39.0%	22.0%	17.9%
Lean R	53.6%	12.5%	10.7%
Strong R	38.3%	14.9%	18.3%
Non-College	33.9%	26.1%	18.2%
College	44.0%	26.7%	9.1%
18-29	40.9%	34.1%	5.7%
30-39	42.1%	25.2%	11.2%
40-49	44.3%	17.0%	12.3%
50-64	38.2%	27.0%	15.8%
65+	28.0%	29.4%	23.8%
Male	37.2%	26.0%	13.5%
Female	38.4%	26.7%	15.6%
<\$25,000	33.3%	31.1%	26.7%
\$25-50,000	27.6%	22.9%	22.9%
\$50-75,000	37.8%	26.8%	17.3%
\$75-100,000	38.5%	29.7%	8.8%
\$100,000+	46.6%	28.6%	8.1%
White	39.0%	26.6%	14.5%
Afr Amer	32.9%	31.5%	17.8%

23. Would you say the candidates for office this year did or did not address the issues that were most important to you?

	Did	Did Not
Out	57.4%	26.4%
Metro	56.0%	27.4%
Strong D	73.2%	12.3%
Lean D	59.6%	19.2%
Independent	61.0%	26.0%
Lean R	37.5%	44.6%
Strong R	43.4%	37.7%
Non-College	54.9%	27.7%
College	59.3%	25.5%
18-29	67.0%	18.2%
30-39	64.5%	29.0%
40-49	50.9%	31.1%
50-64	49.3%	29.6%
65+	56.6%	24.5%
Male	52.4%	30.9%
Female	60.6%	23.2%
<\$25,000	51.1%	28.9%
\$25-50,000	57.1%	29.5%
\$50-75,000	62.2%	21.3%
\$75-100,000	58.2%	20.9%
\$100,000+	53.4%	31.1%
Young	52.2%	34.8%
School	55.1%	30.7%
No Children	57.8%	24.5%

White	55.9%	28.2%
Afr Amer	56.2%	23.3%

24. And where do you get the most useful information about the candidates? [READ 1-9]

	Media	Party	Political	Mailings	Ads	Church	Union	Employment	Online
Out	44.8%	4.3%	4.6%	7.1%	4.9%	2.5%	1.8%	1.2%	6.1%
Metro	46.2%	2.2%	5.1%	7.6%	2.9%	3.2%	1.4%	7.2%	7.2%
Strong D	46.9%	1.7%	6.7%	12.3%	6.1%	1.7%	2.8%	2.2%	4.5%
Lean D	40.4%	1.9%	9.6%	5.8%	0.0%	1.9%	7.7%	0.0%	5.8%
Independent	48.8%	3.3%	4.1%	7.3%	3.3%	1.6%	0.0%	1.6%	5.7%
Lean R	44.6%	3.6%	1.8%	7.1%	1.8%	3.6%	1.8%	0.0%	12.5%
Strong R	44.6%	5.7%	3.4%	3.4%	4.0%	4.6%	0.0%	0.6%	8.0%
Non-College	46.2%	3.4%	4.2%	9.2%	4.5%	3.1%	1.1%	1.4%	5.9%
College	44.0%	3.3%	5.8%	4.5%	3.3%	2.5%	2.5%	0.8%	7.8%
18-29	27.3%	3.4%	9.1%	4.5%	1.1%	2.3%	0.0%	2.3%	8.0%
30-39	41.1%	4.7%	2.8%	11.2%	2.8%	3.7%	0.0%	1.9%	3.7%
40-49	45.3%	0.9%	5.7%	8.5%	7.5%	4.7%	1.9%	0.0%	10.4%
50-64	49.3%	5.3%	4.6%	4.6%	4.6%	2.6%	2.6%	1.3%	6.6%
65+	55.9%	1.4%	2.8%	8.4%	3.5%	1.4%	2.8%	1.4%	5.6%
Male	49.0%	2.8%	4.2%	4.5%	3.5%	2.1%	1.7%	2.1%	4.2%
Female	42.2%	3.8%	5.4%	9.8%	4.4%	3.5%	1.6%	0.6%	8.9%
<\$25,000	42.2%	2.2%	4.4%	11.1%	6.7%	2.2%	0.0%	4.4%	4.4%
\$25-50,000	53.3%	3.8%	4.8%	11.4%	2.9%	4.8%	1.9%	1.0%	5.7%
\$50-75,000	42.5%	6.3%	2.4%	9.4%	3.1%	1.6%	1.6%	0.0%	5.5%
\$75-100,000	29.7%	1.1%	7.7%	6.6%	6.6%	4.4%	4.4%	2.2%	9.9%
\$100,000+	47.8%	2.5%	7.5%	4.3%	3.1%	1.9%	1.2%	1.2%	5.6%
White	48.5%	3.5%	5.8%	4.6%	3.2%	1.8%	1.6%	0.9%	8.3%
Afr Amer	39.7%	2.7%	4.1%	16.4%	9.6%	8.2%	1.4%	2.7%	2.7%

25. Would you say you are optimistic or pessimistic about the future of democracy in America?

	Optimistic	Pessimistic	Neutral
Out	57.1%	31.9%	6.7%
Metro	63.5%	25.6%	6.1%
Strong D	78.2%	15.6%	5.6%
Lean D	84.6%	5.8%	7.7%
Independent	62.6%	22.8%	7.3%
Lean R	41.1%	46.4%	5.4%
Strong R	39.4%	48.0%	7.4%
Non-College	59.7%	27.5%	6.2%
College	60.5%	31.3%	7.0%
18-29	64.8%	30.7%	2.3%
30-39	64.5%	28.0%	4.7%
40-49	51.9%	31.1%	11.3%
50-64	61.8%	27.6%	5.9%
65+	58.0%	29.4%	7.7%
Male	60.4%	27.1%	7.3%
Female	59.7%	30.8%	5.7%
<\$25,000	55.6%	31.1%	8.9%
\$25-50,000	69.5%	19.0%	5.7%
\$50-75,000	57.5%	33.9%	7.1%
\$75-100,000	57.1%	30.8%	6.6%
\$100,000+	57.1%	33.5%	6.8%
Young	43.5%	39.1%	13.0%
School	52.8%	33.0%	8.5%
No Children	64.3%	26.8%	5.3%

White	58.9%	32.3%	6.5%
Afr Amer	74.0%	15.1%	5.5%

26. Regardless of who you voted for, would you say you feel better, worse or the same about the state of democracy now than you did before this November’s election?

	Better	Worse	The Same
Out	22.1%	19.0%	54.9%
Metro	24.9%	11.2%	60.6%
Strong D	44.1%	2.8%	53.1%
Lean D	36.5%	1.9%	61.5%
Independent	16.3%	10.6%	67.5%
Lean R	12.5%	25.0%	60.7%
Strong R	8.0%	32.0%	53.7%
Non-College	19.9%	16.5%	59.1%
College	28.8%	13.6%	55.1%
18-29	15.9%	8.0%	73.9%
30-39	23.4%	9.3%	64.5%
40-49	19.8%	19.8%	58.5%
50-64	23.0%	23.0%	51.3%
65+	31.5%	13.3%	48.3%
Male	20.8%	16.3%	60.4%
Female	25.7%	14.6%	54.9%
<\$25,000	28.9%	8.9%	60.0%
\$25-50,000	25.7%	12.4%	61.0%
\$50-75,000	22.0%	17.3%	59.8%
\$75-100,000	20.9%	16.5%	57.1%
\$100,000+	26.7%	16.1%	52.2%

Young	21.7%	21.7%	56.5%
School	19.9%	16.5%	60.8%
No Children	25.0%	14.5%	56.3%
White	23.8%	16.4%	55.7%
Afr Amer	24.7%	6.8%	67.1%

28. I am going to read you a list of six things that the new Michigan Legislature might do. Please tell me which ONE thing you think they should do first. IF MORE THAN ONE ANSWER, ASK WHICH ONE IS MOST IMPORTANT TO YOU?
[READ/ROTATE 1-7]

	Abortion	Gun Control	Right to Work	Training	Jobs	Discrimination	Retirement Tax
Out	13.8%	25.5%	4.0%	14.1%	10.7%	4.6%	17.8%
Metro	15.9%	22.4%	5.1%	14.4%	12.3%	2.9%	18.1%
Strong D	21.8%	37.4%	5.0%	5.0%	6.7%	8.4%	10.6%
Lean D	26.9%	23.1%	7.7%	9.6%	5.8%	0.0%	25.0%
Independent	7.3%	30.1%	5.7%	17.1%	12.2%	2.4%	14.6%
Lean R	5.4%	8.9%	7.1%	23.2%	16.1%	0.0%	32.1%
Strong R	12.0%	9.7%	1.7%	20.6%	17.1%	2.9%	22.3%
Non-College	16.5%	23.5%	4.8%	11.5%	9.8%	3.9%	21.0%
College	11.9%	24.7%	4.1%	18.1%	14.0%	3.7%	13.6%
18-29	15.9%	23.9%	9.1%	19.3%	9.1%	10.2%	6.8%
30-39	15.9%	28.0%	5.6%	19.6%	8.4%	5.6%	9.3%
40-49	17.9%	18.9%	3.8%	17.9%	17.0%	0.9%	11.3%
50-64	12.5%	20.4%	4.6%	8.6%	15.1%	3.9%	25.7%
65+	13.3%	29.4%	1.4%	10.5%	7.7%	0.7%	27.3%
Male	12.2%	17.4%	3.8%	17.0%	14.9%	3.1%	21.9%
Female	17.1%	30.2%	5.1%	11.7%	8.3%	4.4%	14.3%
<\$25,000	11.1%	24.4%	4.4%	11.1%	13.3%	2.2%	15.6%
\$25-50,000	11.4%	24.8%	4.8%	14.3%	8.6%	5.7%	26.7%
\$50-75,000	13.4%	23.6%	5.5%	13.4%	11.8%	5.5%	20.5%
\$75-100,000	17.6%	28.6%	1.1%	12.1%	11.0%	4.4%	16.5%
\$100,000+	12.4%	21.1%	6.2%	21.1%	16.1%	2.5%	10.6%

Young	13.0%	30.4%	4.3%	30.4%	0.0%	4.3%	13.0%
School	15.3%	26.1%	6.8%	13.1%	12.5%	4.0%	11.4%
No Children	14.5%	22.5%	3.5%	13.8%	11.8%	3.8%	21.3%
White	13.9%	24.5%	3.7%	14.1%	11.8%	4.2%	19.2%
Afr Amer	16.4%	23.3%	9.6%	13.7%	15.1%	2.7%	16.4%
Union	18.9%	16.1%	7.0%	13.3%	7.7%	2.1%	25.9%
Non Union	13.5%	26.5%	3.5%	14.6%	12.6%	4.4%	15.5%

29. Do you support or oppose overturning Michigan’s Right to Work law? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONG SUPPORT/OPPOSE OR JUST SOMEWHAT SUPPORT/OPPOSE?

	Strongly Support	Somewhat Support	Somewhat Oppose	Strongly Oppose	Neither	Undecided
Out	17.2%	10.1%	4.9%	16.6%	10.4%	40.8%
Metro	23.5%	6.5%	6.5%	15.2%	5.1%	43.3%
Strong D	25.1%	7.8%	8.4%	10.1%	8.4%	40.2%
Lean D	28.8%	3.8%	7.7%	11.5%	9.6%	38.5%
Independent	17.1%	12.2%	2.4%	17.1%	4.9%	46.3%
Lean R	19.6%	3.6%	8.9%	14.3%	16.1%	37.5%
Strong R	15.4%	10.3%	3.4%	24.0%	6.9%	40.0%
Non-College	21.3%	6.7%	5.9%	12.9%	7.0%	46.2%
College	18.1%	11.1%	5.3%	20.6%	9.1%	35.8%
18-29	25.0%	10.2%	3.4%	4.5%	3.4%	53.4%
30-39	15.9%	13.1%	7.5%	14.0%	4.7%	44.9%
40-49	20.8%	5.7%	5.7%	16.0%	12.3%	39.3%
50-64	25.7%	8.6%	3.3%	19.1%	8.6%	34.9%
65+	14.7%	6.3%	7.7%	20.3%	9.8%	41.3%
Male	25.0%	9.0%	4.5%	17.7%	7.3%	36.5%
Female	15.6%	7.9%	6.7%	14.3%	8.6%	47.0%
<\$25,000	13.3%	8.9%	8.9%	11.1%	17.8%	40.0%
\$25-50,000	22.9%	11.4%	7.6%	17.1%	2.9%	38.1%
\$50-75,000	18.9%	7.1%	5.5%	15.0%	10.2%	43.3%
\$75-100,000	19.8%	5.5%	3.3%	15.4%	5.5%	50.5%
\$100,000+	22.4%	11.2%	5.0%	20.5%	6.2%	34.8%

Young	8.7%	17.4%	8.7%	21.7%	0.0%	43.5%
School	18.8%	9.7%	4.5%	15.9%	7.4%	43.8%
No Children	21.3%	7.5%	6.0%	15.8%	8.8%	40.8%
White	19.2%	8.1%	5.5%	16.4%	8.1%	42.7%
Afr Amer	26.0%	12.3%	9.6%	13.7%	6.8%	31.5%
Union	30.1%	7.7%	7.0%	15.4%	9.1%	30.8%
Non Union	16.6%	8.8%	5.3%	15.9%	7.7%	45.7%

30. If you were offered an attractive job in another state, how important or not important would you say that state’s policies on social issues like abortion, gay rights and legalized marijuana would be in your decision about whether to accept that job? Would you say a state’s social positions are very important, somewhat important, not very important or not important at all?

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not Very Important	Not Important At All
Out Metro	35.0%	23.9%	11.7%	27.6%
	39.4%	20.9%	14.4%	23.1%
Strong D	52.5%	25.7%	5.6%	14.0%
Lean D	42.3%	23.1%	11.5%	23.1%
Independent	33.3%	21.1%	9.8%	32.5%
Lean R	12.5%	19.6%	30.4%	35.7%
Strong R	29.7%	22.3%	18.3%	29.7%
Non-College	37.8%	22.4%	11.2%	26.3%
College	35.4%	23.0%	15.2%	24.7%
18-29	46.6%	14.8%	17.0%	20.5%
30-39	45.8%	28.0%	6.5%	18.7%
40-49	23.6%	25.5%	15.1%	35.8%
50-64	38.8%	21.7%	13.8%	25.0%
65+	34.3%	21.0%	11.9%	27.3%
Male	32.6%	19.1%	13.9%	32.6%
Female	41.0%	25.7%	12.1%	19.0%
<\$25,000	37.8%	17.8%	15.6%	24.4%
\$25-50,000	41.9%	19.0%	9.5%	28.6%
\$50-75,000	33.1%	24.4%	15.0%	24.4%
\$75-100,000	38.5%	19.8%	20.9%	20.9%
\$100,000+	37.9%	24.8%	11.8%	24.2%

Young	34.8%	26.1%	8.7%	30.4%
School	34.7%	27.3%	8.5%	29.0%
No Children	38.0%	20.3%	15.3%	23.8%
White	36.3%	22.6%	14.1%	25.2%
Afr Amer	43.8%	28.8%	8.2%	16.4%

31. Do you support or oppose a Michigan law that would require background checks before someone can purchase a gun? ASK:
WOULD THAT BE STRONG SUPPORT/OPPOSE OR JUST SOMEWHAT SUPPORT/OPPOSE?

	Strongly Support	Somewhat Support	Somewhat Oppose	Strongly Oppose
Out	78.8%	8.9%	1.8%	6.4%
Metro	83.8%	8.7%	0.4%	3.6%
Strong D	94.4%	5.0%	0.6%	0.0%
Lean D	96.2%	1.9%	0.0%	1.9%
Independent	78.9%	13.0%	0.0%	2.4%
Lean R	69.6%	8.9%	0.0%	14.3%
Strong R	68.0%	12.6%	3.4%	10.9%
Non-College	80.7%	7.8%	1.1%	6.4%
College	81.9%	9.9%	1.2%	3.3%
18-29	71.6%	19.3%	1.1%	5.7%
30-39	83.2%	8.4%	3.7%	2.8%
40-49	75.5%	5.7%	0.9%	12.3%
50-64	84.2%	6.6%	0.0%	3.9%
65+	88.1%	5.6%	0.7%	2.1%
Male	75.7%	11.5%	0.0%	7.6%
Female	86.0%	6.3%	2.2%	2.9%
<\$25,000	80.0%	8.9%	2.2%	4.4%
\$25-50,000	83.8%	5.7%	1.0%	7.6%
\$50-75,000	85.8%	8.7%	0.8%	3.1%
\$75-100,000	80.2%	8.8%	1.1%	4.4%
\$100,000+	81.4%	8.7%	1.9%	6.2%

Young	82.6%	4.3%	0.0%	13.0%
School	79.5%	8.0%	2.3%	6.8%
No Children	81.5%	9.5%	0.8%	4.0%
White	80.6%	9.5%	0.9%	5.1%
Afr Amer	89.0%	6.8%	0.0%	4.1%

32. Do you support or oppose a Michigan law that would require red flag laws that would allow a court to remove guns from individuals deemed a threat to themselves or others? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONG SUPPORT/OPPOSE OR JUST SOMEWHAT SUPPORT/OPPOSE?

	Strongly Support	Somewhat Support	Somewhat Oppose	Strongly Oppose	Neither
Out	55.5%	14.4%	4.6%	19.0%	2.8%
Metro	65.7%	13.4%	1.8%	10.5%	1.8%
Strong D	83.8%	10.6%	1.1%	2.2%	0.6%
Lean D	82.7%	7.7%	0.0%	3.8%	0.0%
Independent	62.6%	17.1%	2.4%	8.9%	0.0%
Lean R	48.2%	12.5%	7.1%	17.9%	7.1%
Strong R	32.6%	17.7%	5.7%	34.9%	5.1%
Non-College	60.5%	15.4%	2.5%	15.4%	1.4%
College	60.5%	11.1%	4.5%	14.8%	3.3%
18-29	61.4%	15.9%	5.7%	10.2%	1.1%
30-39	52.3%	20.6%	2.8%	18.7%	1.9%
40-49	54.7%	11.3%	5.7%	20.8%	1.9%
50-64	62.5%	12.5%	0.7%	14.5%	3.3%
65+	69.2%	10.5%	3.5%	10.5%	2.8%
Male	51.4%	14.6%	2.8%	22.2%	2.4%
Female	68.3%	13.3%	3.8%	8.6%	2.2%
<\$25,000	64.4%	15.6%	2.2%	11.1%	0.0%
\$25-50,000	72.4%	10.5%	1.9%	10.5%	2.9%
\$50-75,000	62.2%	15.7%	0.8%	15.0%	3.1%
\$75-100,000	54.9%	14.3%	6.6%	16.5%	3.3%
\$100,000+	57.8%	12.4%	4.3%	16.8%	2.5%

Young	52.2%	17.4%	0.0%	26.1%	0.0%
School	55.7%	15.3%	5.7%	17.6%	1.7%
No Children	63.0%	12.8%	2.5%	13.3%	2.8%
White	59.4%	14.8%	3.7%	15.2%	2.8%
Afr Amer	72.6%	13.7%	1.4%	6.8%	1.4%

33. Do you support or oppose a Michigan law that would require gun owners to safely store their guns in a locked container, unloaded and separate from ammunition? ASK: WOULD THAT BE STRONG SUPPORT/OPPOSE OR JUST SOMEWHAT SUPPORT/OPPOSE?

	Strongly Support	Somewhat Support	Somewhat Oppose	Strongly Oppose	Neither
Out	47.5%	12.9%	4.3%	30.7%	1.5%
Metro	51.3%	14.1%	6.1%	23.5%	1.8%
Strong D	65.9%	16.8%	4.5%	9.5%	1.1%
Lean D	73.1%	7.7%	7.7%	7.7%	0.0%
Independent	51.2%	16.3%	3.3%	25.2%	1.6%
Lean R	32.1%	14.3%	5.4%	44.6%	1.8%
Strong R	29.7%	9.7%	6.3%	48.6%	2.9%
Non-College	49.9%	13.2%	3.9%	27.5%	2.0%
College	49.0%	13.2%	7.0%	27.2%	1.2%
18-29	38.6%	18.2%	8.0%	28.4%	1.1%
30-39	52.3%	15.0%	5.6%	22.4%	4.7%
40-49	41.5%	10.4%	6.6%	38.7%	0.9%
50-64	49.3%	13.8%	3.3%	31.6%	0.0%
65+	61.5%	11.2%	4.2%	16.1%	2.1%
Male	38.5%	14.2%	7.6%	35.8%	1.4%
Female	59.0%	12.7%	2.9%	19.7%	1.9%
<\$25,000	48.9%	20.0%	0.0%	24.4%	0.0%
\$25-50,000	61.0%	10.5%	6.7%	19.0%	1.0%
\$50-75,000	52.0%	14.2%	5.5%	24.4%	2.4%
\$75-100,000	50.5%	11.0%	6.6%	28.6%	2.2%
\$100,000+	43.5%	13.0%	5.6%	34.2%	1.9%

Young	43.5%	21.7%	4.3%	30.4%	0.0%
School	50.6%	10.8%	5.7%	29.5%	3.4%
No Children	49.5%	13.8%	5.0%	26.3%	1.0%
White	48.3%	13.4%	4.8%	28.4%	1.6%
Afr Amer	61.6%	16.4%	4.1%	13.7%	4.1%