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Clinton leads GOP field in Michigan by reduced margins

Raleigh, N.C. – Hillary Clinton still leads her top potential opponents for 2016 in Michigan, but the margins are a good deal closer than they were 6 months ago. Clinton is up 43/40 on Chris Christie, 46/42 on Jeb Bush, 48/39 on Rand Paul, and 49/38 on Ted Cruz. This is the first time Cruz has been tested, but Clinton's average lead of 5 points over Christie, Bush, and Paul is quite a bit down from an average lead of 13 points over that trio when we polled the state in June. The decline in Clinton's leads mirrors what we found for Democrats in the races for Governor and Senate on this poll.

Rand Paul narrowly leads the Republican field in the state with 18% to 16% for Chris Christie, 15% for Ted Cruz, 10% for Jeb Bush, 8% for Marco Rubio, 7% for Paul Ryan, 5% for Scott Walker, 4% for Bobby Jindal, and 2% for Rick Santorum. Christie win the moderates (31% to 15% for Paul and 8% for Cruz) and Cruz wins the voters identifying themselves as 'very conservative' (27% to 18% for Paul and 10% for Christie), but Paul leads overall because he's up with folks identifying as 'somewhat conservative' (21% to 10% for Cruz and 9% for Christie).

One place where things are continuing to look pretty positive for Michigan Democrats is how voters feel about the legislature. Opinion about the Democrats is pretty closely divided, with 40% rating them favorably to 42% with an unfavorable opinion. Meanwhile the Republicans remain incredibly unpopular with only 28% of voters giving them positive marks to 57% who hold a negative view.

Democrats lead the generic legislative ballot by an 8 point margin at 46/38. What that will amount to in terms of seats gained given gerrymandering in the state is unclear but it's obvious voters continue to be displeased with how legislative Republicans have conducted business since the last election.

As we're finding most everywhere Michigan voters strongly support raising the minimum wage to $10 an hour- 57% would support such a move to only 35% who are opposed. It has overwhelming support from Democrats (87/8), a majority of independents (51/40), and even a little more than a quarter of Republicans (27/64).

PPP surveyed 1,034 Michigan voters, including 450 Republican primary voters, from December 5th to 8th. The margin of error for the overall survey is +/-3.0%, and +/-4.6% for the GOP sample. PPP's surveys are conducted through automated telephone interviews.

Michigan Survey Results

Q1 Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the Democrats in the Michigan legislature?

Favorable... 40%

Unfavorable 42%

Not sure... 18%

Q2 Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the Republicans in the Michigan legislature?

Favorable... 28%

Unfavorable 57%

Not sure... 15%

Q3 Generally speaking, if there was an election for the state legislature today, would you vote for the Democratic or Republican candidate from your district?

Democrat 46%

Republican... 38%

Not sure... 16%

Q4 If the candidates for President next time were Democrat Hillary Clinton and Republican Jeb Bush, who would you vote for?

Hillary Clinton... 46%

Jeb Bush.. 42%

Not sure... 12%

Q5 If the candidates for President next time were Democrat Hillary Clinton and Republican Chris Christie, who would you vote for?

Hillary Clinton... 43%

Chris Christie 40%

Not sure... 18%

Q6 If the candidates for President next time were Democrat Hillary Clinton and Republican Ted Cruz, who would you vote for?

Hillary Clinton... 49%

Ted Cruz 38%

Not sure... 13%

Q7 If the candidates for President next time were Democrat Hillary Clinton and Republican Rand Paul, who would you vote for?

Hillary Clinton... 48%

Rand Paul... 39%

Not sure... 13%

Q8 Would you support or oppose raising the minimum wage in Michigan to $10 an hour?

Support... 57%

Oppose... 35%

Not sure.. 8%

Q9 Do you consider yourself to be more of a Michigan or Michigan State fan?

Michigan 38%

Michigan State... 34%

Not sure... 28%

Q10 (Asked only of Michigan fans:) Do you approve or disapprove of the job Brady Hoke is doing as football coach?

Approve 43%

Disapprove.. 18%

Not sure... 39%

Q11 *(Asked only of Michigan fans:)* Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Rich Rodriguez?

Favorable...15%

Unfavorable 33%

Not sure..53%

Q12 *(Asked only of Michigan fans:)* Do you approve or disapprove of the job John Beilein is doing as basketball coach?

Approve 42%

Disapprove.. 3%

Not sure..55%

Q13 *(Asked only of Michigan State fans:)* Do you approve or disapprove of the job Mark Dantonio is doing as football coach?

Approve 66%

Disapprove..10%

Not sure..24%

Q14 *(Asked only of Michigan State fans:)* Do you approve or disapprove of the job Tom Izzo is doing as basketball coach?

Approve 75%

Disapprove.. 8%

Not sure..17%

Q15 Do you consider yourself to be a Detroit Lions fan, or not?

Are..66%

Are not..34%

Q16 *(Asked only of Lions fans:)* Do you approve or disapprove of the job Coach Jim Schwartz is doing?

Approve 50%

Disapprove..13%

Not sure..37%

Q17 In the last presidential election, did you vote for Barack Obama or Mitt Romney?

Barack Obama...49%

Mitt Romney..44%

Someone else/Don't remember 7%

Q18 Would you describe yourself as very liberal, somewhat liberal, moderate, somewhat conservative, or very conservative?

Very liberal..12%

Somewhat liberal 17%

Moderate...31%

Somewhat conservative...................................25%

Very conservative 14%

Q19 If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

Woman 53%

Man..47%

Q20 If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If you are an independent or identify with another party, press 3.

Democrat...35%

Republican...30%

Independent/Other...35%

Q21 If you are white, press 1. If African-American, press 2. If other, press 3.

White 80%

African-American 13%

Other... 7%

Q22 If you are 18 to 45 years old, press 1. If 46 to 65, press 2. If you are older than 65, press 3.

18 to 45...31%

46 to 65...46%

Older than 65...23%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Leg Dems Favorability				
Favorable	40%	72%	6%	27%
Unfavorable	42%	10%	77%	41%
Not sure	18%	18%	17%	32%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Leg GOP Favorability				
Favorable	28%	6%	54%	15%
Unfavorable	57%	81%	30%	60%
Not sure	15%	12%	17%	26%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Generic Leg. Ballot				
Democrat	46%	83%	9%	24%
Republican	38%	4%	78%	24%
Not sure	16%	13%	14%	52%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Hillary/Jeb				
Hillary Clinton	46%	85%	6%	23%
Jeb Bush	42%	6%	85%	27%
Not sure	12%	9%	9%	50%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Hillary/Christie				
Hillary Clinton	43%	77%	7%	26%
Chris Christie	40%	10%	75%	26%
Not sure	18%	13%	18%	48%

		2012 Vote		
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Hillary/Cruz				
Hillary Clinton	49%	87%	9%	30%
Ted Cruz	38%	4%	78%	21%
Not sure	13%	9%	12%	48%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Hillary/Paul				
Hillary Clinton	48%	85%	8%	25%
Rand Paul	39%	7%	78%	25%
Not sure	13%	8%	14%	50%

		2012 Vote		
	Base	Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Support/Oppose $10/hr. Min. Wage				
Support	57%	86%	24%	58%
Oppose	35%	9%	66%	31%
Not sure	8%	5%	10%	11%

	2012 Vote		
		Barack	**Mitt**	**Someone else/Don't**
Base	**Obama**	**Romney**	**remember**
UM or MSU Fan?				
Michigan 38%	42%	36%	20%
Michigan State 34%	31%	38%	35%
Not sure 28%	26%	27%	45%

	2012 Vote		
		Barack	**Mitt**	**Someone else/Don't**
Base	**Obama**	**Romney**	**remember**
Hoke Approval				
Approve 43%	44%	44%	36%
Disapprove 18%	17%	20%	10%
Not sure 39%	39%	36%	54%

	2012 Vote		
		Barack	**Mitt**	**Someone else/Don't**
Base	**Obama**	**Romney**	**remember**
RichRod Favorability				
Favorable 15%	17%	12%	10%
Unfavorable 33%	29%	38%	26%
Not sure 53%	54%	50%	64%

	2012 Vote		
		Barack	**Mitt**	**Someone else/Don't**
Base	**Obama**	**Romney**	**remember**
Beilein Approval				
Approve 42%	39%	46%	26%
Disapprove 3%	2%	5%	-
Not sure 55%	59%	49%	74%

	2012 Vote		
		Barack	**Mitt**	**Someone else/Don't**
Base	**Obama**	**Romney**	**remember**
Dantonio Approval				
Approve 66%	72%	61%	61%
Disapprove 10%	6%	15%	3%
Not sure 24%	22%	25%	37%

	2012 Vote		
		Barack	**Mitt**	**Someone else/Don't**
Base	**Obama**	**Romney**	**remember**
Izzo Approval				
Approve 75%	73%	77%	69%
Disapprove 8%	9%	8%	-
Not sure 17%	18%	15%	31%

	2012 Vote		
		Barack	**Mitt**	**Someone else/Don't**
Base	**Obama**	**Romney**	**remember**
Lions Fan?				
Are 66%	69%	65%	50%
Are not 34%	31%	35%	50%

	2012 Vote		
		Barack	**Mitt**	**Someone else/Don't**
Base	**Obama**	**Romney**	**remember**
Schwartz Approval				
Approve 50%	50%	49%	54%
Disapprove 13%	13%	13%	12%
Not sure 37%	38%	37%	34%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Leg Dems Favorability						
Favorable	40%	85%	57%	46%	18%	6%
Unfavorable	42%	8%	23%	26%	63%	89%
Not sure	18%	7%	20%	28%	19%	5%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Leg GOP Favorability						
Favorable	28%	9%	10%	16%	43%	66%
Unfavorable	57%	83%	75%	65%	42%	21%
Not sure	15%	8%	15%	19%	15%	13%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Generic Leg. Ballot						
Democrat	46%	89%	71%	56%	18%	6%
Republican	38%	3%	13%	21%	65%	90%
Not sure	16%	7%	15%	23%	18%	4%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Hillary/Jeb						
Hillary Clinton	46%	88%	69%	59%	16%	4%
Jeb Bush	42%	5%	20%	29%	70%	84%
Not sure	12%	7%	12%	12%	14%	13%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Hillary/Christie						
Hillary Clinton	43%	86%	69%	47%	18%	8%
Chris Christie	40%	6%	18%	32%	65%	67%
Not sure	18%	8%	14%	21%	17%	25%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Hillary/Cruz						
Hillary Clinton	49%	83%	75%	61%	22%	7%
Ted Cruz	38%	8%	14%	22%	62%	86%
Not sure	13%	10%	10%	16%	16%	7%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Hillary/Paul						
Hillary Clinton	48%	80%	72%	61%	21%	7%
Rand Paul	39%	9%	14%	23%	65%	86%
Not sure	13%	10%	14%	16%	14%	7%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Support/Oppose $10/hr. Min. Wage						
Support	57%	92%	77%	72%	31%	17%
Oppose	35%	8%	17%	18%	60%	75%
Not sure	8%	0%	6%	10%	9%	8%

	Ideology					
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
UM or MSU Fan?						
Michigan	38%	41%	39%	35%	43%	34%
Michigan State	34%	28%	35%	38%	32%	33%
Not sure	28%	31%	26%	27%	25%	34%

	Ideology					
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Hoke Approval						
Approve	43%	54%	33%	45%	45%	41%
Disapprove	18%	24%	13%	14%	27%	10%
Not sure	39%	22%	54%	41%	28%	49%

	Ideology					
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
RichRod Favorability						
Favorable	15%	26%	13%	13%	14%	14%
Unfavorable	33%	36%	29%	31%	39%	25%
Not sure	53%	38%	58%	56%	47%	60%

	Ideology					
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Beilein Approval						
Approve	42%	55%	36%	35%	51%	33%
Disapprove	3%	6%	3%	4%	1%	4%
Not sure	55%	39%	61%	61%	48%	63%

	Ideology					
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Dantonio Approval						
Approve	66%	67%	59%	70%	60%	74%
Disapprove	10%	21%	15%	9%	8%	1%
Not sure	24%	12%	25%	22%	32%	25%

	Ideology					
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Izzo Approval						
Approve	75%	57%	56%	82%	84%	78%
Disapprove	8%	27%	19%	2%	2%	6%
Not sure	17%	16%	25%	15%	14%	17%

	Ideology					
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Lions Fan?						
Are	66%	57%	59%	71%	69%	66%
Are not	34%	43%	41%	29%	31%	34%

	Ideology					
	Base	Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Schwartz Approval						
Approve	50%	50%	56%	47%	45%	55%
Disapprove	13%	14%	7%	15%	14%	14%
Not sure	37%	36%	37%	38%	41%	31%

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		Gender	
	Base	Woman	Man
Leg Dems Favorability			
Favorable	**40%**	47%	32%
Unfavorable	**42%**	33%	52%
Not sure	**18%**	20%	16%

		Gender	
	Base	Woman	Man
Leg GOP Favorability			
Favorable	**28%**	23%	33%
Unfavorable	**57%**	59%	54%
Not sure	**15%**	17%	12%

		Gender	
	Base	Woman	Man
Generic Leg. Ballot			
Democrat	**46%**	53%	37%
Republican	**38%**	31%	47%
Not sure	**16%**	16%	15%

		Gender	
	Base	Woman	Man
Hillary/Jeb			
Hillary Clinton	**46%**	56%	35%
Jeb Bush	**42%**	34%	52%
Not sure	**12%**	10%	14%

		Gender	
	Base	Woman	Man
Hillary/Christie			
Hillary Clinton	**43%**	50%	34%
Chris Christie	**40%**	32%	48%
Not sure	**18%**	17%	18%

		Gender	
	Base	Woman	Man
Hillary/Cruz			
Hillary Clinton	**49%**	57%	40%
Ted Cruz	**38%**	31%	46%
Not sure	**13%**	12%	14%

		Gender	
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Hillary/Paul			
Hillary Clinton	**48%**	56%	38%
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Support/Oppose $10/hr. Min. Wage			
Support	57%	66%	47%
Oppose	35%	26%	47%
Not sure	8%	9%	6%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
UM or MSU Fan?			
Michigan	38%	40%	36%
Michigan State	34%	33%	35%
Not sure	28%	27%	29%

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Hoke Approval			
Approve	43%	42%	45%
Disapprove	18%	10%	28%
Not sure	39%	47%	28%

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		Woman	Man
RichRod Favorability			
Favorable	15%	16%	13%
Unfavorable	33%	23%	45%
Not sure	53%	61%	42%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Beilein Approval			
Approve	42%	31%	56%
Disapprove	3%	2%	5%
Not sure	55%	68%	39%

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		Woman	Man
Dantonio Approval			
Approve	66%	63%	69%
Disapprove	10%	8%	12%
Not sure	24%	29%	18%

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Izzo Approval			
Approve	75%	68%	81%
Disapprove	8%	9%	7%
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Lions Fan?			
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Schwartz Approval			
Approve	**50%**	51%	48%
Disapprove	**13%**	6%	21%
Not sure	**37%**	43%	31%

		Party		
	Base	Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Leg Dems Favorability				
Favorable	**40%**	78%	7%	28%
Unfavorable	**42%**	9%	79%	44%
Not sure	**18%**	13%	14%	28%

		Party		
	Base	Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Leg GOP Favorability				
Favorable	**28%**	5%	62%	23%
Unfavorable	**57%**	83%	25%	57%
Not sure	**15%**	11%	13%	21%

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Generic Leg. Ballot				
Democrat	**46%**	89%	9%	33%
Republican	**38%**	2%	85%	36%
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Oppose	35%	8%	64%	40%
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Approve	42%	40%	39%	46%
Disapprove	3%	1%	6%	3%
Not sure	55%	58%	56%	51%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Dantonio Approval				
Approve	66%	74%	58%	66%
Disapprove	10%	7%	13%	10%
Not sure	24%	20%	29%	23%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Izzo Approval				
Approve	75%	69%	72%	83%
Disapprove	8%	11%	14%	0%
Not sure	17%	20%	14%	17%

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Schwartz Approval				
Approve	**50%**	53%	54%	42%
Disapprove	**13%**	10%	13%	16%
Not sure	**37%**	37%	33%	42%

	Base	Race		
		White	African-American	Other
Leg Dems Favorability				
Favorable	**40%**	34%	69%	52%
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Not sure	**18%**	19%	18%	16%

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Generic Leg. Ballot				
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Hillary/Jeb				
Hillary Clinton	**46%**	41%	70%	52%
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Not sure	**12%**	11%	11%	20%

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Not sure	**13%**	13%	12%	14%

		Race		
	Base	White	African-American	Other
Support/Oppose $10/hr. Min. Wage				
Support	**57%**	54%	77%	57%
Oppose	**35%**	38%	21%	29%
Not sure	**8%**	8%	2%	14%

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	Base	White	African-American	Other
UM or MSU Fan?				
Michigan	**38%**	37%	47%	32%
Michigan State	**34%**	35%	36%	27%
Not sure	**28%**	28%	18%	41%

		Race		
	Base	White	African-American	Other
Hoke Approval				
Approve	**43%**	41%	61%	30%
Disapprove	**18%**	19%	11%	22%
Not sure	**39%**	40%	28%	48%

		Race		
	Base	White	African-American	Other
RichRod Favorability				
Favorable	**15%**	13%	24%	27%
Unfavorable	**33%**	36%	15%	26%
Not sure	**53%**	52%	61%	48%

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		Race		
	Base	White	African-American	Other
Beilein Approval				
Approve	**42%**	42%	45%	34%
Disapprove	**3%**	3%	-	11%
Not sure	**55%**	55%	55%	55%

		Race		
	Base	White	African-American	Other
Dantonio Approval				
Approve	**66%**	66%	61%	73%
Disapprove	**10%**	6%	39%	3%
Not sure	**24%**	28%	-	24%

		Race		
	Base	White	African-American	Other
Izzo Approval				
Approve	**75%**	77%	62%	69%
Disapprove	**8%**	4%	33%	11%
Not sure	**17%**	19%	5%	21%

		Race		
	Base	White	African-American	Other
Lions Fan?				
Are	**66%**	67%	59%	70%
Are not	**34%**	33%	41%	30%

		Race		
	Base	White	African-American	Other
Schwartz Approval				
Approve	**50%**	48%	59%	55%
Disapprove	**13%**	14%	11%	7%
Not sure	**37%**	38%	30%	39%

		Age		
	Base	18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Leg Dems Favorability				
Favorable	**40%**	43%	38%	39%
Unfavorable	**42%**	39%	44%	41%
Not sure	**18%**	18%	18%	21%

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		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Leg GOP Favorability				
Favorable	28%	26%	28%	29%
Unfavorable	57%	59%	58%	53%
Not sure	15%	15%	14%	18%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Generic Leg. Ballot				
Democrat	46%	48%	45%	44%
Republican	38%	32%	41%	41%
Not sure	16%	19%	14%	15%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Hillary/Jeb				
Hillary Clinton	46%	43%	46%	47%
Jeb Bush	42%	42%	43%	42%
Not sure	12%	14%	11%	10%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Hillary/Christie				
Hillary Clinton	43%	44%	42%	44%
Chris Christie	40%	38%	40%	41%
Not sure	18%	19%	18%	15%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Hillary/Cruz				
Hillary Clinton	49%	46%	50%	50%
Ted Cruz	38%	41%	38%	35%
Not sure	13%	13%	12%	15%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Hillary/Paul				
Hillary Clinton	48%	42%	50%	50%
Rand Paul	39%	41%	39%	36%
Not sure	13%	17%	11%	13%

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Support/Oppose $10/hr. Min. Wage				
Support	**57%**	51%	58%	63%
Oppose	**35%**	44%	34%	28%
Not sure	**8%**	5%	9%	9%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
UM or MSU Fan?				
Michigan	**38%**	42%	37%	35%
Michigan State	**34%**	30%	35%	37%
Not sure	**28%**	28%	28%	27%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Hoke Approval				
Approve	**43%**	47%	40%	46%
Disapprove	**18%**	23%	17%	12%
Not sure	**39%**	30%	43%	42%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
RichRod Favorability				
Favorable	**15%**	18%	12%	16%
Unfavorable	**33%**	35%	33%	29%
Not sure	**53%**	47%	56%	55%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Beilein Approval				
Approve	**42%**	46%	37%	44%
Disapprove	**3%**	-	4%	6%
Not sure	**55%**	54%	59%	50%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Dantonio Approval				
Approve	**66%**	47%	77%	65%
Disapprove	**10%**	25%	4%	4%
Not sure	**24%**	28%	19%	30%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Izzo Approval				
Approve	**75%**	63%	82%	73%
Disapprove	**8%**	20%	4%	4%
Not sure	**17%**	18%	13%	24%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Lions Fan?				
Are	**66%**	62%	68%	67%
Are not	**34%**	38%	32%	33%

	Base	Age		
		18 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Schwartz Approval				
Approve	**50%**	48%	50%	50%
Disapprove	**13%**	16%	13%	9%
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Michigan Survey Results

Q1 Given the choices of Jeb Bush, Chris Christie, Ted Cruz, Bobby Jindal, Rand Paul, Marco Rubio, Paul Ryan, Rick Santorum, and Scott Walker, who would you most like to see as the GOP candidate for President in 2016?

Jeb Bush.. 10%

Chris Christie 16%

Ted Cruz 15%

Bobby Jindal 4%

Rand Paul 18%

Marco Rubio 8%

Paul Ryan 7%

Rick Santorum 2%

Scott Walker 5%

Someone else/Not sure 14%

Q2 Would you describe yourself as very liberal, somewhat liberal, moderate, somewhat conservative, or very conservative?

Very liberal...................................... 3%

Somewhat liberal 5%

Moderate... 20%

Somewhat conservative................. 39%

Very conservative 33%

Q3 If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

Woman 47%

Man... 53%

Q4 If you are 18 to 45 years old, press 1. If 46 to 65, press 2. If you are older than 65, press 3.

18 to 45... 36%

46 to 65... 32%

Older than 65.................................. 32%

		Ideology				
	Base	**Very liberal**	**Somewhat liberal**	**Moderate**	**Somewhat conservative**	**Very conservative**
2016 GOP Pres Preference						
Jeb Bush	10%	17%	17%	7%	12%	8%
Chris Christie	16%	38%	54%	31%	9%	10%
Ted Cruz	15%	-	6%	8%	10%	27%
Bobby Jindal	4%	-	-	1%	5%	4%
Rand Paul	18%	12%	7%	15%	21%	18%
Marco Rubio	8%	-	3%	6%	11%	8%
Paul Ryan	7%	-	3%	4%	11%	6%
Rick Santorum	2%	6%	4%	3%	2%	3%
Scott Walker	5%	-	3%	5%	7%	5%
Someone else/Not sure	14%	27%	4%	21%	14%	11%

		Gender	
	Base	**Woman**	**Man**
2016 GOP Pres Preference			
Jeb Bush	10%	10%	10%
Chris Christie	16%	13%	20%
Ted Cruz	15%	16%	14%
Bobby Jindal	4%	3%	4%
Rand Paul	18%	14%	21%
Marco Rubio	8%	8%	9%
Paul Ryan	7%	7%	7%
Rick Santorum	2%	3%	2%
Scott Walker	5%	5%	6%
Someone else/Not sure	14%	22%	7%

		Age		
	Base	**18 to 45**	**46 to 65**	**Older than 65**
2016 GOP Pres Preference				
Jeb Bush	10%	4%	11%	16%
Chris Christie	16%	19%	13%	16%
Ted Cruz	15%	15%	16%	13%
Bobby Jindal	4%	4%	4%	3%
Rand Paul	18%	23%	17%	12%
Marco Rubio	8%	6%	8%	11%
Paul Ryan	7%	8%	7%	7%
Rick Santorum	2%	-	4%	3%
Scott Walker	5%	8%	3%	5%
Someone else/Not sure	14%	13%	16%	13%