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## SURVEY METHOD

This survey was conducted online within the United States from Field Dates: June 26-29, 2019 among 2,182 registered voters by The Harris Poll.

Results were weighted for age within gender, region, race/ethnicity, marital status, household size, income, employment, education, political party, and political ideology where necessary to align them with their actual proportions in the population. Propensity score weighting was also used to adjust for respondents' propensity to be online.

Pollsters Mark Penn, Prof. Stephen Ansolabehere, and Dritan Nesho supervised the poll.

APPROVAL AND MOOD OF COUNTRY

## TRUMP APPROVAL BACK TO MID-4OS AFTER A TWO YEAR HIGH IN MAY



## VOTERS CONTINUE TO CREDIT TRUMP ON HIS HANDLING OF THE ECONOMY, FIGHTING TERRORISM, AND STIMULATING JOBS

## Approve Trump on... <br> (Strongly or Somewhat Approve)



June July Aug Sept Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb Mar Apr May June July Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec Jan Feb Mar Apr May June
—The Economy
—Stimulating Jobs
——Fighting Terrorism
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—Foreign Affairs 55\% 49\% 52\% 52\% 51\% 51\% 50\% 56\% 56\% 52\% 54\% 54\% 57\% 55\% 55\% 57\% 57\% 56\% 52\% 54\% 56\% 57\% 60\% 59\% 55\% 55\% 51\% 53\% 53\% 52\% 50\% 52\% 56\% 57\% 54\% 55\% 54\% 58\% 56\% 55\% 57\% 57\% 54\% 56\% 57\% 57\% 57\% 60\% 62\% 56\% 56\% 52\% 51\% 53\% 50\% 52\% 51\% 51\% 54\% 53\% 55\% 53\% 57\% 53\% 55\% 56\% 54\% 55\% 51\% 53\% 52\% 52\% 54\% 56\% 51\% 50\% 46\% 47\% 45\% 44\% 45\% 44\% 43\% 47\% 46\% 45\% 44\% 46\% 45\% 46\% 47\% 49\% 48\% 46\% 47\% 46\% 46\% 47\% 48\% 46\%
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[^0]M3A Do you approve or disapprove of the job President Trump is doing on ...?

## VOTERS ARE PESSIMISTIC ABOUT DIRECTION OF COUNTRY



## SLIGHTLY LESS THAN HALF OF VOTERS ARE OPTIMISTIC ABOUT THE DIRECTION OF THE US ECONOMY



## EVEN THOUGH TWO-THIRDS OF VOTERS SAY ECONOMY IS STILL STRONG

## How strong do you think the U.S. economy is today?



## FEWER VOTERS SAY THEIR FINANCIAL SITUATION IS GETTING WORSE COMPARED TO PREVIOUS MONTHS

## Would you say that your personal financial situation is improving or getting worse?



## GOP APPROVAL IS AT 40\%

## GOP Approval



## DEMOCRATIC PARTY REMAINS IN THE MID-4OS



## PRESIDENT OBAMA, JOE BIDEN AND BERNIE SANDERS ARE THE THREE MOST FAVORED POLITICAL FIGURES UNDER STUDY



|  | Favorable | Unfavorable |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Barack Obama | 59\% | 37\% |
| Joe Biden | 50\% | 39\% |
| Bernie Sanders | 45\% | 44\% |
| Donald Trump | 41\% | 55\% |
| Mike Pence | 39\% | 46\% |
| Robert Mueller | 38\% | 35\% |
| Hillary Clinton | 37\% | 56\% |
| Nancy Pelosi | 37\% | 49\% |
| Elizabeth Warren | 36\% | 40\% |
| Kamala Harris | 33\% | 36\% |
| Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez | 28\% | 41\% |
| Chuck Schumer | 28\% | 40\% |
| Nikki Haley | 27\% | 25\% |
| Beto O'Rourke | 27\% | 36\% |
| Pete Buttigieg | 26\% | 29\% |
| Mitch McConnell | 25\% | 45\% |
| William Barr | 21\% | 34\% |
| Larry Kudlow | 15\% | 21\% |

[^1]F1 Now we will show you some names. Please indicate if you have a favorable or unfavorable view of that person - or if you've never heard of them

## TOP ISSUES FOR VOTERS: IMMIGRATION AND HEALTHCARE

## Most Important Issues Facing the Country



## BASE: Registered Voters ( $\mathrm{n}=2182$ )

1 What would you say are the most important issues facing the country today? Please select three

## 36\% SAY THEY WILL VOTE FOR TRUMP IN 2020; 45\% FOR THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE

If Donald Trump runs for reelection in 2020 as the Republican candidate, will you...?


## MOST VOTERS SAY THEY DISLIKE PRESIDENT TRUMP PERSONALLY

When you think of Donald Trump do you like or dislike him personally?

$2020$

## BIDEN IS MOST POPULAR (BY FAR) IN A DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY HORSERACE; BUT ON THE NET, VOTERS SEE THE DEMOCRATIC FIELD AS UNDERWHELMING

Which of the following candidates are you most likely to vote for in a Democratic primary?

0\% 5\% 10\% 15\% 20\% 25\% 30\% 35\% 40\%


Do you find the current field of Democratic party candidates for president to be impressive or underwhelming?


Not planning on voting + Not sureImpressive
■ Underwhelming

## BIDEN HAS BEST CHANCE OF WINNING, SAY VOTERS; THOUGH ONE IN FIVE SAY NO ONE HAS A GOOD CHANCE OF BEATING TRUMP IN 2020

Which one of the Democratic presidential candidates has the best chance of winning against Donald Trump?


Is it more important to you that the Democrats nominate a presidential candidate with a strong chance of beating Donald Trump, or that the Democrats nominate a presidential candidate who shares your position on issues?

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    0% 5% 10% 15% 20% 25% 30% 35%
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Strong chance of winning
 Both equally

Unsure / Don't Know


## OVER HALF OF VOTERS SAID THEY PLANNED ON WATCHING THE DEMOCRATIC DEBATES; AWARENESS OF THE DEBATES WAS HIGH

Do you plan on watching the Democratic presidential debates this week?
(Prior to Debates)

$\square$ Yes ■ No

Did you watch, read or hear about the Democratic presidential debates earlier this week?
(After Debates)


■ Yes ■ No

## MIKE PENCE IS TRUMP'S MOST BENEFICIAL RUNNING MATE (AND WOULD DO THE LEAST HARM, TOO)

If Donald Trump selects this person as his 2020 running mate, would it make more or less
likely to vote for Trump, or will it not have an effect on your vote


## A PLURALITY OF VOTERS SAY MIKE PENCE SHOULD BE TRUMP’S RUNNING MATE IN 2020

Who should Donald Trump pick as his 2020 running mate?


## A HYPOTHETICAL LIMITED GOVERNMENT CANDIDATE FARES BETTER THAN ONE WHO SUPPORTS GREEN NEW DEAL AND MEDICARE FOR ALL

If a presidential candidate stood for the green new deal on climate change, Medicare for all, free college tuition, opening our borders to many more immigrants and raising taxes to pay for these programs, how likely would you vote for that candidate?

...stood for lower taxes and reduced government regulations, strengthening our military, strengthening our border to reduce illegal immigrants, standing up more to China and Iran and seeking better trade deals for the US, how likely would you vote for that


ISSUES

FOR DEMS IN CONGRESS, STIMULATING ECONOMY, ADDRESSING UNDOCUMENTED IMMIGRANTS, IMPEACHING TRUMP SHOULD BE TOP PRIORITIES

Top Priority for Democratic Majority in Congress


FOR TRUMP, TOP PRIORITIES OUGHT TO BE: STIMULATING JOBS AND INFRASTRUCTURE

Top Priority for Trump


## BASE: Registered Voters ( $\mathrm{n}=2182$ )

M0203: Which of the following should be the top priority for President Trump?

RUSSIA INVESTIGATION

## VOTERS CONTINUE TO BELIEVE THAT THE RUSSIAN COLLUSION INVESTIGATIONS ARE HURTING, MORE THAN HELPING, THE COUNTRY

## Russia Investigations: Hurting or Helping the Country



## MAJORITY OF VOTERS DO NOT BELIEVE TRUMP SHOULD BE IMPEACHED

## For His Actions, Should President Trump Be...



## VOTERS ARE SPLIT ON EVIDENCE OF COLLUSION AND OBSTRUCTION



[^2]Do you think the special counsel has found actual evidence of President Trump obstructing justice during the investigation of Russia's interference into the 2016 election, or did the special counsel not find any evidence of such obstruction?

## VOTERS THINK BIAS PLAYED A ROLE IN LAUNCHING THE RUSSIA PROBE; VOTERS FAVOR AN INVESTIGATION INTO POTENTIAL FBI ABUSES

Do you think bias against President Trump in the FBI played a role in launching investigations against him or did bias play no role in launching investigations?


Do you favor or oppose appointing a special counsel to investigate potential abuses at the FBI?


## VOTERS WANT TO SEE THE EVIDENCE RELATED TO THE START OF RUSSIA INVESTIGATIONS

Do you favor or oppose releasing to the public all of the evidence related to how and why the Russia investigation of the Trump campaign began?


Do you think the CIA had real evidence of TrumpRussia collusion when it started its investigation or were they primarily using the unverified dossier from Christopher Steele that was funded by the Hillary Clinton campaign?


- Had real evidence of collusion

■ Were primarily using the unverified Steele dossier

## VOTERS SPLIT ON THE MOTIVATION OF THE FBI WHEN INITIATING THE INVESTIGATION

Do you think behind initiating the Trump-Russia investigation was an effort to undermine or block President Trump for political reasons do you think the investigation was fairly opened according to procedures and regulations at the FBI?


Investigation was an effort to undermine or block President Trump
■ Investigation was fairly opened

Do you think the CIA and FBI were spying on the Trump campaign or not doing activities that should be called spying?


## MAJORITY OF VOTERS SAY SURVEILLANCE OF TRUMP CAMPAIGN BY FBI WAS LEGAL BUT SUPPORT THE A.G. REVIEWING THE START OF THE INVESTIGATION

Do you think the surveillance and use of undercover operatives by the FBI on the Trump campaign was likely fair and legal or likely not fair and legal?

Do you support or oppose President Trump's decision to allow the Attorney General to declassify any documents or intelligence it deems necessary as part of the DOJ's review of the start of the investigation into possible collusion between the Trump campai


## VOTERS SPLIT ON WHETHER OR NOT TO CONTINUE INVESTIGATIONS

Given the Mueller report, do you think that we should turn the page on investigations of President Trump or should Congress continue investigations of President Trump?


## MOST VOTERS SAY MUELLER SHOULD TESTIFY AND THAT IT'S OK TO SUBPOENA PROSECUTORS TO TESTIFY TO CONGRESS

Should Special Counsel Robert Mueller testify before Congress about his investigation and final report or should we move on to other issues?


Should Testify
■ Move on to other issues

In general, do you think Congress should be able to subpoena prosecutors to explain why they did or did not prosecute people and questioned on the evidence they gathered in specific cases?


## MAJORITY OF VOTERS SAY CONGRESS SHOULD BE ABLE TO SUBPOENA JUDGES

Do you think Congress should be able to subpoena judges to explain why they did or did not convict or sentence people and questioned on the evidence they used in specific cases?


■ Yes ■ No

Do think congress should be calling Special Counsel Robert Mueller to explain why he did or did not prosecute people and questioned on the evidence they gathered in specific
cases?


## LAUNCHING NEW INVESTIGATIONS WOULD DO DEMS MORE HARM THAN GOOD

If the Democrats launch scores of new investigations, would you be more likely to vote for the Democrats, less likely or no effect?


Do you think Democrats in Congress are doing too much, too little, or about the right amount to investigate Donald Trump?


## FOREIGN POLICY: IRAN

## IRAN IS US' BIGGEST ENEMY UNDER STUDY, SAY VOTERS

Do you consider each of the following an ally, an enemy, or neutral towards the United States?


## FEW SAY IRAN IS A PEACEFUL FORCE IN THE MIDEAST AND ARE SKEPTICAL THAT IRANIAN GOVERNMENT HAS SUPPORT OF CITIZENRY

Do you think Iran is a peaceful force in the Middle East or does it contribute to conflict and instability in the region?


Peaceful force
Contributes to conflict and instability

Do you think the government of Iran has the support of its people or not?


■ Government of Iran has the support of its people
■ Government of Iran does not have the support of its people

[^3]
## ONLY A HANDFUL OF VOTERS CONSIDER IRAN A DEMOCRACY; MOST DISAPPROVE OF THE WAY THE US IS HANDLING IRANIAN RELATIONS

Do you think Iran is a working democracy or is it run by a group of religious leaders who claim absolute power based on religion?


■ Iran is a working democracy
■ Iran is run by a group of religious leaders

Do you approve or disapprove of the way the U.S. government is handling Iran?


## VOTERS MORE LIKELY TO SAY TRUMP IS TOO LENIENT ON IRAN THAN TOO TOUGH; BUT MOST AGREE: NO STRIKE WAS THE RIGHT MOVE

Do you think President Trump is too tough, too lenient or just right in dealing with Iran?


Should the United States have launched a military strike on Iran after it shot down an unmanned U.S. drone in international waters last week?


## MOST VOTERS SUPPORT TRUMP CANCELLING OF STRIKE ON IRAN, ESPECIALLY IN LIGHT OF THE HUMAN TOLL

Do you support or oppose President Trump's decision to cancel a strike on the Iranian military because it would have led to $\mathbf{1 5 0}$ Iranian deaths and in his view was not a
proportional response to the shooting down of the U.S. drone?


## DECISION TO CANCEL STRIKE MAKES TRUMP LOOK MORE ‘MEASURED’ THAN 'WEAK’ SAY VOTERS; VOTERS UNCERTAIN ABOUT RISK OF A WAR WITH IRAN

Does President Trump's decision make him look mostly measured or mostly weak?


■ Measured ■ Weak ■ Unsure / Don't Know

Do you think the odds of the U.S. going to war with Iran are high or low?


## MOST VOTERS WOULD OPPOSE MILITARY INTERVENTION AGAINST IRAN IF NOT DIRECTLY ATTACKED BY IRAN

Would you support or oppose another US-led military engagement in the Middle East?


■ Support ■ Oppose

Would you support or oppose the U.S. government launching a military strike on Iran if it continues hostilities the Persian Gulf and the region but does not attack US military assets or personnel?


## BUT ATTACK ON US OR NUCLEAR WEAPONS WOULD JUSTIFY MILITARY STRIKE

Would you support or oppose the U.S. government launching a military strike on Iran if it attacks US military assets or personnel?


Would you support or oppose the US government launching a military strike on Iran if it announces it now has nuclear weapons?


[^4]
## VOTERS PREFERENCES IN DEALING WITH IRAN: DIPLOMACY AND ECONOMIC SANCTIONS BUT WITH A STRONG POSTURE IN THE MIDDLE EAST

## Generally speaking, what do you think should be the US government's strategy on Iran?



## MOST VOTERS SAY IRAN IS VIOLATING THE DEAL ON NUCLEAR WEAPONS

Do you think the U.S. government was right to leave the Iran nuclear deal or should it have attempted to renegotiate it?


- Right to leave

■ Should have attempted to renegotiate it

Do you think Iran is sticking to or violating its deal on nuclear weapons?


■ Sticking to the deal
■ Violating the deal

## MOST VOTERS SAY THE US IS LOSING INFLUENCE IN THE MIDEAST RELATIVE TO OTHER

 POWERSDo you think the United States is losing or gaining influence in the Middle East compared to other external powers like Russia, Iran, and China?


■ Losing influence
■ Gaining influence

## FOREIGN POLICY: CHINA

## VOTERS ARE SPLIT ON THE US GOV'T HANDLING OF CHINA; PLURALITY SAYS TRUMP’S APPROACH IS ‘JUST RIGHT’

Do you approve or disapprove of the way the
U.S. government is handling China?

Do you think President Trump is too tough, too lenient or just right in negotiating with

May Wave: Approve - 50\% Disapprove - 50\%




Disapprove

China?

May Wave

| Too tough | $29 \%$ |
| :---: | :---: |
|  |  |
| Too lenient | $29 \%$ |
|  |  |
| Just right | $42 \%$ |

## VOTERS ARE SPLIT ON APPROVAL OF IMPOSING TARIFFS ON CHINESE GOODS, EVEN IF PART OF A NEGOTIATION TACTIC

Do you approve or disapprove of the administration's decision to increase tariffs on $\mathbf{\$ 2 0 0}$ billion of Chinese goods from 10\% to 25\% in response to China backtracking on a trade deal between the two countries?

Would you support or oppose the administration applying $\mathbf{2 5 \%}$ tariffs on the remaining imports from China worth around $\$ 300$ billion as part of its trade negotiations?



■ Support ■ Oppose

## VOTERS WANT TO PUNISH CHINA FOR UNFAVORABLE TRADING TERMS

Should the United States target Chinese technology companies to punish China for trade infringements?

Should the United States target Chinese technology companies to punish China for investment policies that
force U.S. companies to give up their intellectual property and technology secrets in exchange for access to Chinese consumer markets?


## CHINA SHOULD NOT BE FORGIVEN FOR INFRINGING ON US INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Should the United States forgive Chinese technology companies for their infringement of U.S. and international laws in exchange for concessions from China in our trade
negotiations?


## OVER TWO-THIRDS OF VOTERS ARE AT LEAST SOMEWHAT CONCERNED ABOUT LOSING TECHNOLOGICAL SUPREMACY TO CHINA

How concerned are you about the United States losing technological supremacy to China in the near future?

|  |  | May Wave |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Very concerned | 25\% | 25\% |
| Somewhat concerned | 44\% | 43\% |
| Not very concerned | 24\% | 25\% |
| Not concerned at all |  | 6\% |

IMMIGRATION / BORDER ISSUES

## VOTERS OVERWHELMINGLY SUPPORT IMMIGRATION REFORM

Do you support comprehensive immigration reform?


■Yes ■ No

## THERE IS GROWING SUPPORT FOR A MERIT BASED SYSTEM SINCE MAY AND SUPPORT TO KEEP IN PLACE THE CURRENT SYSTEM HAS DROPPED BELOW 50\%

Would you favor or oppose a deal between
Congress and President Trump that gives undocumented immigrants brought here by their parents work permits and a path to citizenship in exchange for increasing merit preference over preference for relatives, elimin


Is it more important to keep in place the current immigration system that gives preference to legal migrants that have a relative in the United States or should we change to a merit-based system that gives preference to legal migrants based on skill


## VOTERS SEE THE BORDER CRISIS AS A LEGITIMATE HUMANITARIAN CRISIS; NOT JUST A POLITICAL ONE

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Do you think there is a growing humanitarian and security crisis at our border with Mexico, or is this mainly a manufactured political crisis ahead of the
2020 elections?
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May Wave: Humanitarian-58\% Manufactured-42\%
\(\square\) Growing humanitarian and security crisis
■ Mainly a manufactured political crisis
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## MOST UNDERESTIMATE THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE CAUGHT ILLEGALLY CROSSING; GIVEN THE MAGNITUDE, A MAJORITY SUPPORT A NATIONAL EMERGENCY

About how many people do you think are caught trying to enter through the southern border each year?


In the last month over 100,000 people were intercepted trying to cross illegally into United States on the southern border with Mexico. Given these numbers, do you favor or oppose the decision by the President to declare a national emergency ...?


## A MAJORITY SAY BORDERS ARE AT LEAST SOMEWHAT INEFFECTIVE

| Do you think border barriers are very ineffective, somewhat ineffective, somewhat effective or very effective at reducing illegal immigration? |  | May: |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Very ineffective | 28\% | 23\% |
| Somewhat ineffective | 28\% | 27\% |
| Somewhat effective | 29\% | 32\% |
| Very effective | 15\% | 17\% |

## REGISTERED VOTERS BELIEVE ASYLUM SHOULD BE RESERVED FOR THOSE FLEEING TARGETED VIOLENCE - NOT JUST GENERAL VIOLENCE

Should people fleeing general violence in a country be able to seek asylum here or only political or religious violence aimed
specifically at them?


■ Fleeing general violence

■ Fleeing political or religious violence aimed specifically at them

Should the current asylum laws be loosened to accept more claims, tightened to accept fewer claims or kept as is?


## CLAIMANTS WITH QUESTIONABLE ASYLUM CLAIMS SHOULD BE TURNED AWAY IMMEDIATELY, SAY A MAJORITY OF VOTERS

Should people with questionable asylum claims be let into the United States for years until their case comes up or should they immediately be turned
back to Mexico for staging?

$■$ Should be let into the U.S.
■ Should be immediately tuned back

## THERE IS SLIGHT OPPOSITION TO A ROUNDUP AND REMOVAL OF ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS; WIDESPREAD SUPPORT FOR A DELAY TO REACH A DEAL

Would you favor or oppose a mass action by the U.S. government to roundup and remove thousands of illegal immigrants from the United States?


Do you support or oppose the decision by President Trump to delay by two weeks the mass roundup and deportation of illegal immigrants to see if the Democrats and Republicans in Congress can work out a solution to asylum and loophole problems


## A MAJORITY BELIEVE CONGRESS IS UNLIKELY TO REACH A DEAL; IF A DEAL IS NOT REACHED VOTERS ARE SPLIT ON IF THE ADMINISTRATION SHOULD MOVE FORWARD WITH A MASS ROUNDUP AND DEPORTATION

How likely is it that Congressional Democrats and Republicans will reach a deal?



If a deal is not reached, should the administration move ahead with a mass
roundup and deportation of illegal immigrants?


OVER 4 IN 10 BELIEVE PRESIDENT TRUMP IS TOO TOUGH IN DEALING WITH ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS CAUGHT TRYING TO CROSS THE BORDER WHILE A THIRD BELIEVE HE IS DEALING WITH IT JUST RIGHT

Do you think President Trump is too tough, too lenient or just right in dealing with illegal immigrants caught trying to cross the border?


## HALF OF VOTERS BELIEVE U.S. IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES ARE DOING A POOR JOB OF DEALING WITH CHILDREN OF ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS

Do you think U.S. immigration authorities have done a good job, fair job, or poor job dealing with illegal immigrants in custody?

Do you think U.S. immigration authorities have done a good job, fair job, or poor job dealing with children of illegal immigrants in custody?


## CENSUS

TWO OUT OF THREE VOTERS BELIEVE THE CENSUS SHOULD BE ABLE TO ASK ABOUT CITIZENSHIP

Should the census be able to ask whether people living here are us citizens?


■ Yes ■ No

ABORTION

## AMERICANS ARE DIVIDED ON ABORTION WITH A SLIGHT MAJORITY BELIEVING WOMEN SHOULD BE ABLE TO CHOOSE TO HAVE UNRESTRICTED ABORTION ONLY THROUGH THE FIRST TRIMESTER OR IN CASES OF RAPE AND INCEST

Do you think pregnant women should be able to choose to have an abortion without restrictions only through the ...?


Do you think pregnant women should be able to choose to have an abortion without restrictions only in cases of rape or incest?


## BASE: Registered Voters ( $\mathrm{n}=2182$ )

RO602A: Do you think pregnant women should be able to choose to have an abortion without restrictions all the way through the third trimester? R0602B: Do you think pregnant women should be able to choose to have an abortion without restrictions only through the second trimester? R0602C: Do you think pregnant women should be able to choose to have an abortion without restrictions only through the first trimester? R0602D: Do you think pregnant women should be able to choose to have an abortion without restrictions only in cases of rape or incest?

MEANWHILE A MAJORITY DO NOT BELIEVE THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT SHOULD BE FUNDING ABORTIONS

Do you think that abortions should funded by the government or not funded by the federal government?

$\square$ Funded $\quad$ Not funded

GUNS

NEARLY 6 IN 10 VOTERS WANT FEDERAL CONTROL OVER GUN LEGISLATION

Do you think gun laws should be mostly at the federal level or mostly at the state and local level?

TWO THIRDS OF VOTERS BELIEVE THAT MURDERS BY GUN HAVE GONE UP IN THE PAST FIVE YEARS

Do you think that murder by gun in America in the last five years has gone up, gone down, or stayed the same?


THERE IS MAJORITY SUPPORT FOR RAISING THE MINIMUM AGE TO PURCHASE A GUN TO 21 ALONG WITH LICENSING GUN OWNERSHIP LIKE CAR OWNERSHIP; YET A COMPLETE BAN IS HEAVILY OPPOSED

Should the White House ask Congress to pass legislation to raise the minimum age for purchasing guns from 18 to 21 years old?


Do you think that gun ownership should be licensed like car ownership or just require background checks?


■ Licensed like car ownership
■ Just require background checks

Do you favor or oppose a measure that would ban all gun ownership except for police and military?


## VOTERS ARE SPLIT ON HOW BEST TO CURB SCHOOL SHOOTINGS; HALF ATTRIBUTE SCHOOL VIOLENCE TO MENTAL ILLNESS AND 4 IN 10 ATTRIBUTE IT TO EASY ACCESS TO GUNS

Which of the following do you think would do the most to curb school shootings?

Do you think most school violence is related to student mental illness, urban gangs, or easy access to guns?


## 9 IN 10 VOTERS BELIEVE REPEAT GUN OFFENDERS SHOULD FACE HARSHER CRIMINAL PENALTIES THAN THEY CURRENTLY DO

Should repeat gun offenders face harsher penalties under the criminal justice system or are they currently
being handled appropriately?


■ Face harsher penalties
■ Being handled appropriately


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