

## The Pine Tree State Poll

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### HARRIS HOLDS SMALL LEAD OVER TRUMP IN MAINE AFTER BIDEN WITHDRAWS FROM RACE

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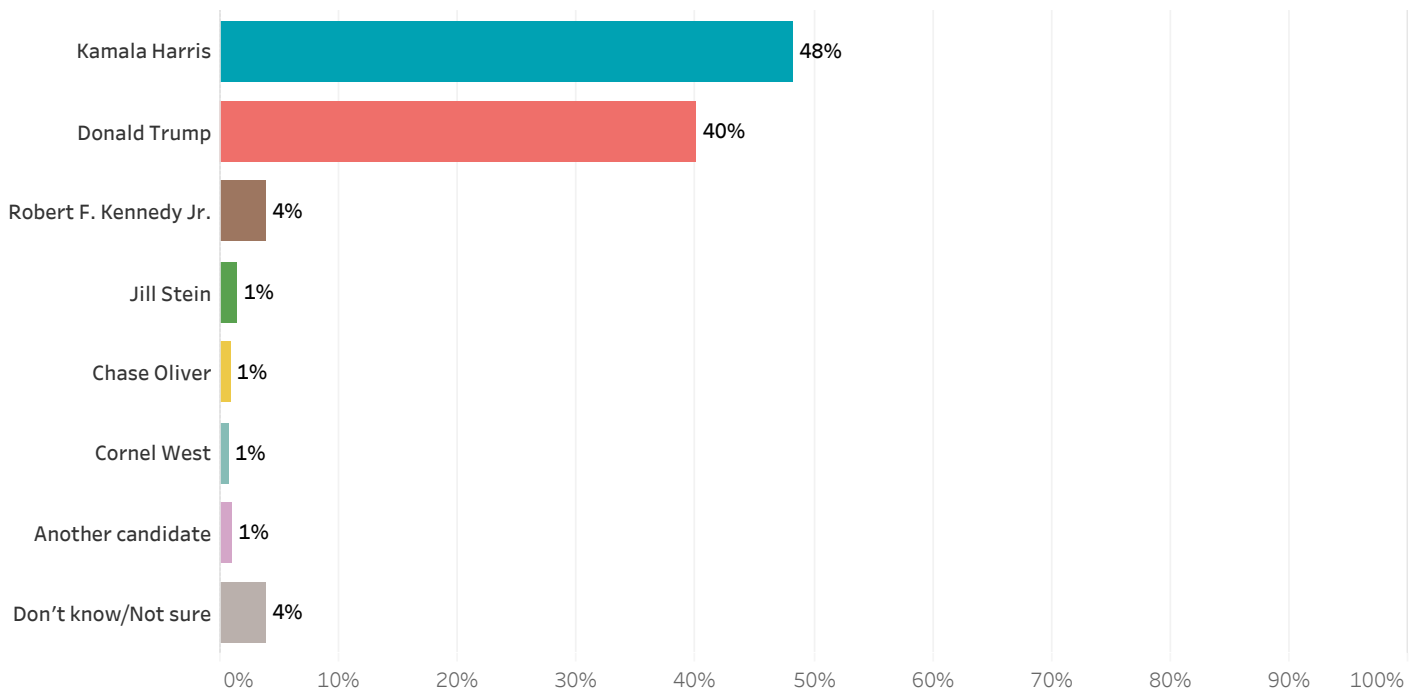
DURHAM, NH - A majority of Maine Democrats felt relieved and hopeful following President Biden's withdrawal from the 2024 presidential race and most would like to see Vice President Kamala Harris become the party's nominee for president. Harris leads in a matchup with Republican nominee former President Donald Trump and is more popular in the state than Trump and Biden. Most state Republicans do not trust the FBI to investigate the attempted assassination of Trump and more than three-quarters of Mainers are concerned about further political attacks on political leaders, leaders using violence or illegal methods to obtain power, or people violently or illegally interfering in upcoming elections over the next year.

#### 2024 Presidential Race

While Harris is not yet the official Democratic nominee, the party has clearly closed ranks behind her. If Harris were the Democratic nominee, 48% of Maine likely voters say that they would vote for her if the election were held today, 40% would vote for Trump, 4% would vote for Independent Robert F. Kennedy Jr., and 1% each would vote for Green Party candidate Jill Stein, Libertarian candidate Chase Oliver, or Independent Cornel West. If they could only vote for Harris or Trump, 54% of likely voters say that they would vote for Harris and 45% say they would vote for Trump.

Ninety-two percent of self-identified Democrats support Harris and 90% of Republicans support Trump. Independents are divided, with 33% supporting Harris, 26% supporting Trump, 13% supporting Kennedy, and 4% each supporting Oliver or West. Harris hold large leads over Trump among those aged 18 to 34, women, and those with a college degree or more education. Trump leads among those aged 50 to 64, men, and those without a college degree. In Maine's 1st Congressional District, Harris leads Trump by 20 percentage points while Trump leads Harris by 4 percentage points in Maine's 2nd District.

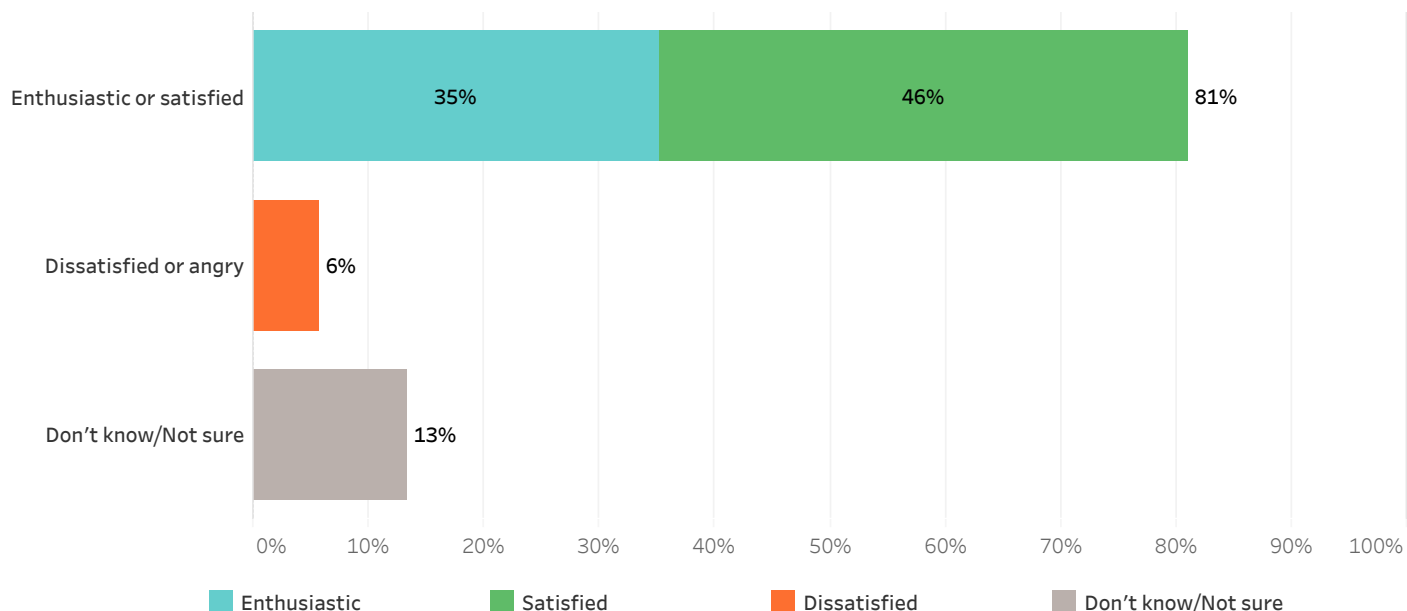
2024 Presidential General Election Matchup - Harris, Trump, et al - July 2024



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Ohio Senator J.D. Vance, the 2024 Republican Party's vice presidential nominee, has satisfied most Trump voters. Among Trump supporters (N=607), 81% say that they are enthusiastic (35%) or satisfied (46%) with this selection, only 6% say that they are dissatisfied (5%) and none are angry, and 13% are unsure how they feel.

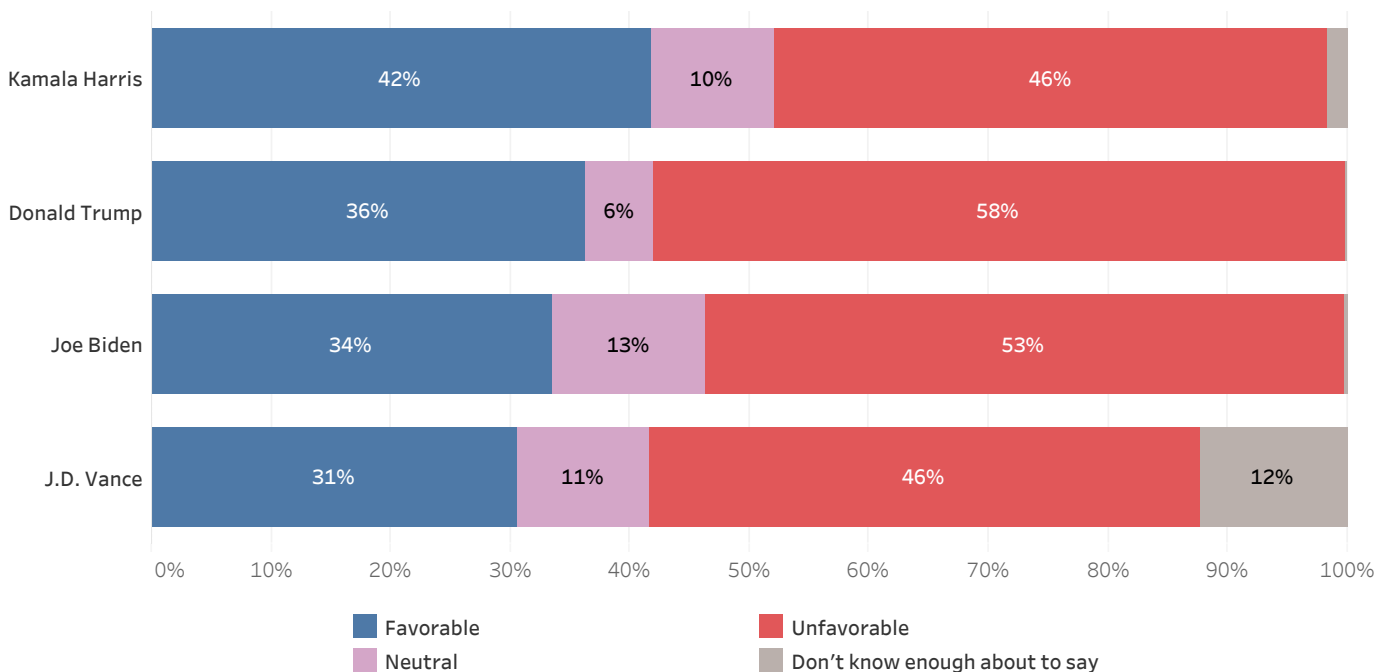
**Feelings on Vance's Selection as Trump's Running Mate - Among Trump Supporters - July 2024**



Turning to the personal favorability of the candidates, 42% of Mainers have a favorable opinion of Harris, 46% have an unfavorable opinion of her, 10% are neutral, and 2% don't know enough about her to say. Harris's net favorability rating (the percentage who have a favorable opinion minus the percentage with an unfavorable opinion), is -4. Harris is very popular among Democrats (+78) but is unpopular among Independents (-31) and very unpopular among Republicans (-93). Trump, the Republican nominee for president, is less popular than Harris in Maine: 36% have a favorable opinion of Trump, 58% have an unfavorable opinion of him, and 6% are neutral, yielding a net favorability rating of -22.

President Biden's favorability in Maine is similar to Trump: 34% have a favorable opinion of him, 53% have an unfavorable opinion of him, and 13% are neutral, yielding a net favorability rating of -20. Only 31% have a favorable opinion of Vance, 46% have an unfavorable opinion of him, 11% are neutral, and 12% don't know enough about him to say, yielding a net favorability rating of -15.

**Favorability - July 2024**

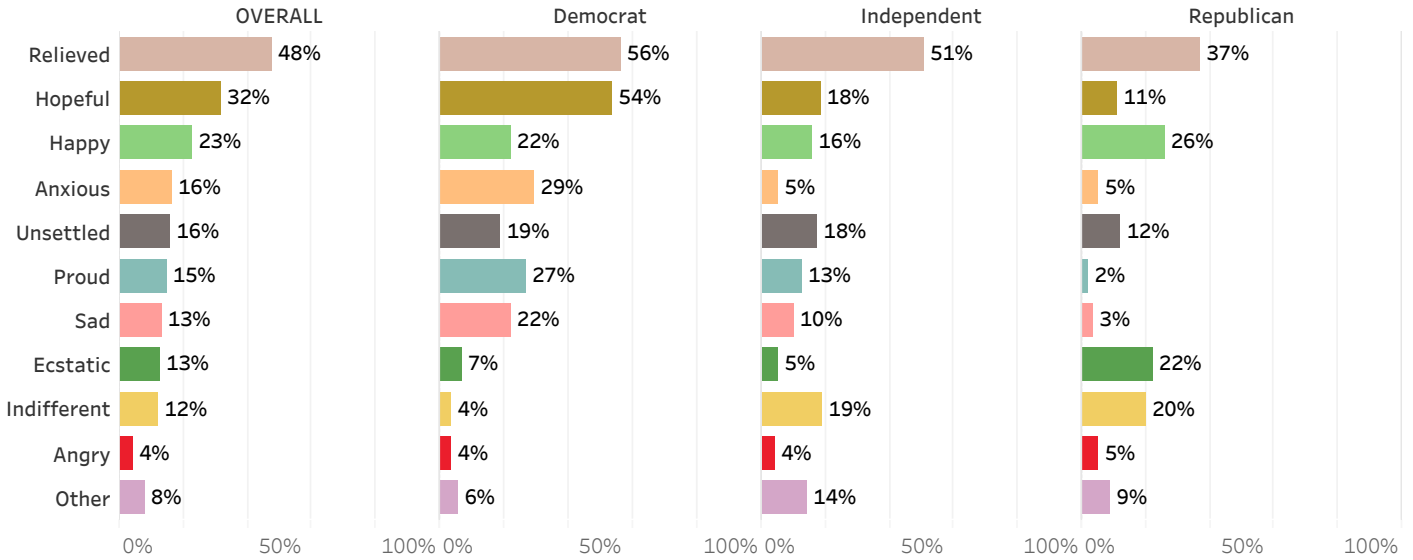


## Biden Withdrawal

Two-thirds (67%) of Maine residents have heard a lot about Biden's decision to withdraw from the 2024 presidential race, 28% heard some about it, 4% heard not very much, and only 1% heard nothing at all.

Among those who heard at least a little about it, 48% say that they felt relieved after hearing the news while 32% felt hopeful and 23% felt happy. Less than 20% say that they felt anxious (16%), unsettled (16%), proud (15%), sad (13%), ecstatic (13%), indifferent (12%), or angry (4%). Democrats were more likely than others to feel relieved, hopeful, anxious, proud, and sad, while Republicans and Independents were more likely to describe themselves as indifferent.

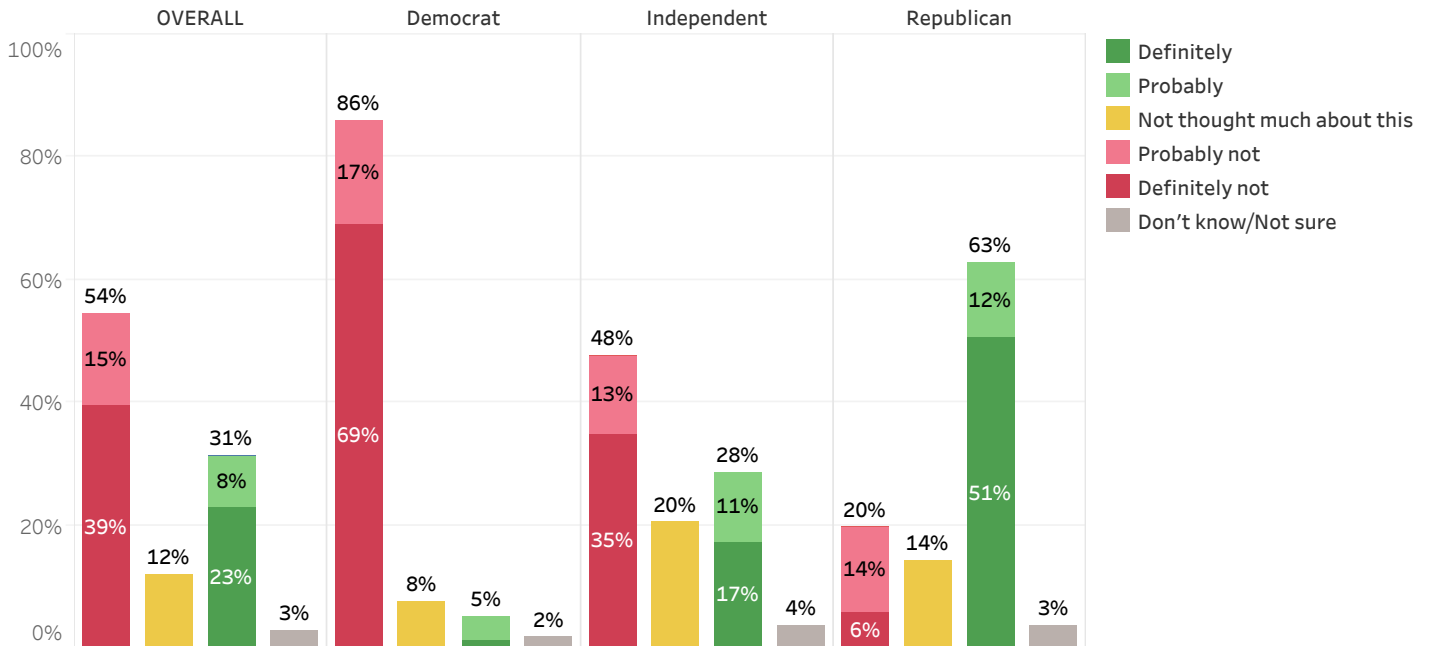
How Felt After Hearing About Biden Withdrawal from Presidential Race (Select all that apply) - by Party ID - July 2024



Now that he has decided to withdraw from the 2024 presidential election, some commentators have argued that Biden should resign the presidency immediately rather than serving the remainder of his term.

More than half (54%) of Mainers think Biden definitely (39%) or probably (15%) should not resign as president before the end of his term, 31% think he definitely (23%) or probably (8%) should, 12% have not thought about this much, and 3% are unsure. Sixty-three percent of Republicans think Biden definitely or probably should resign but only 28% of Independents and 5% of Democrats agree.

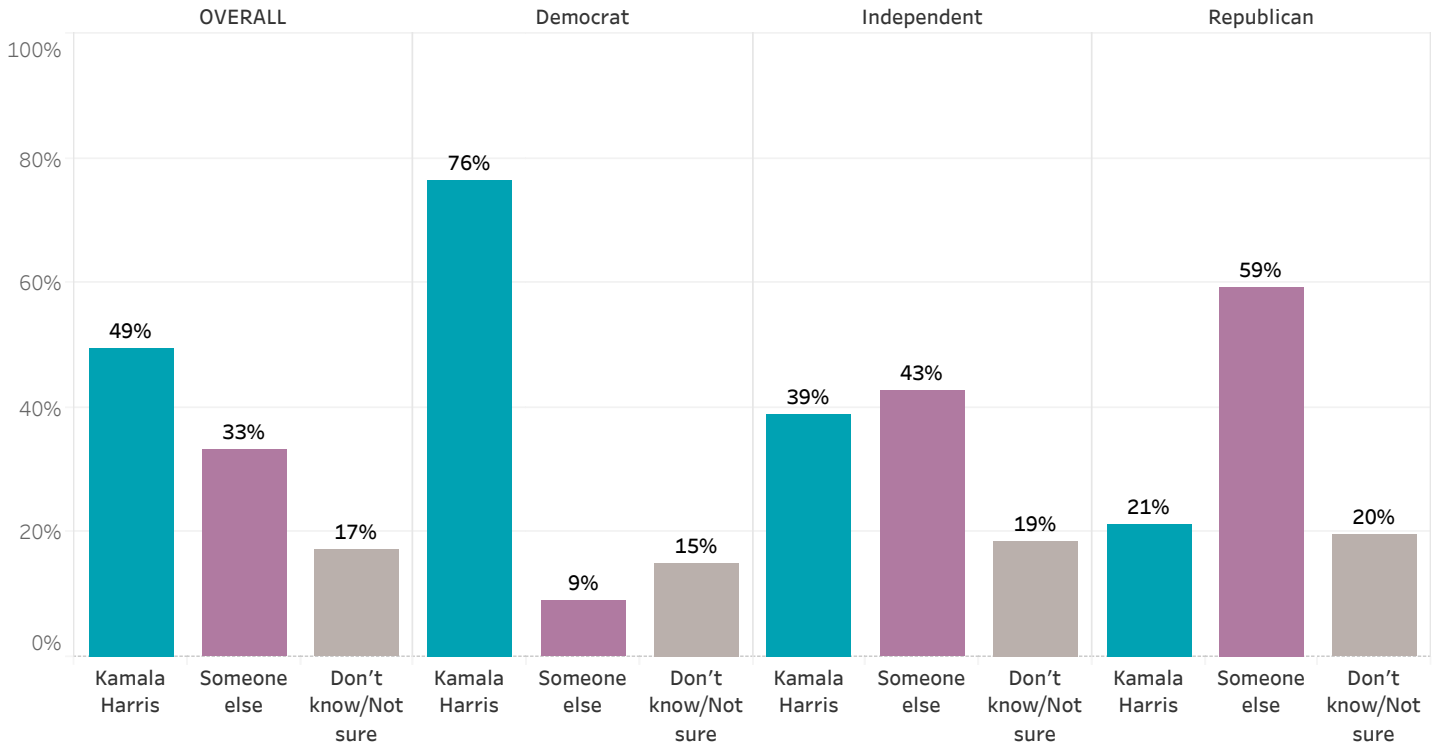
Should Biden Resign Presidency - by Party ID - July 2024



## 2024 Democratic Ticket

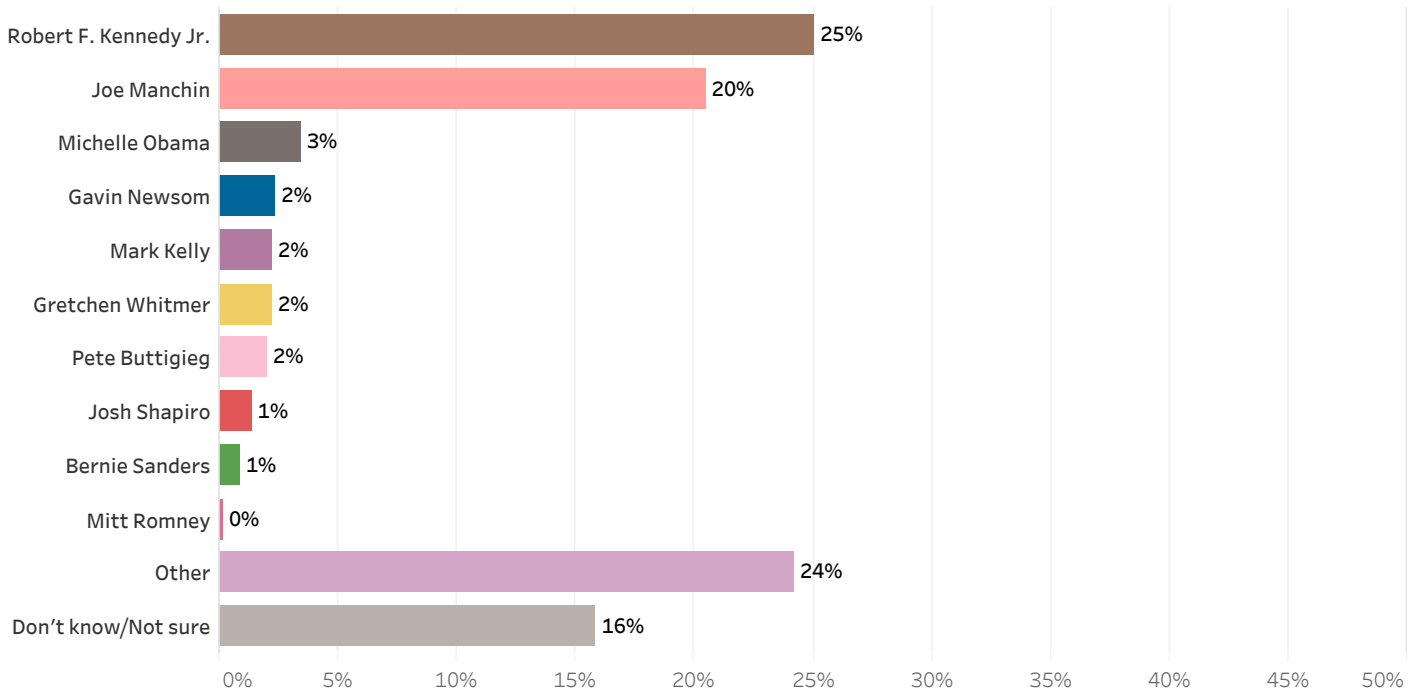
Biden has endorsed Harris as his successor on the Democratic ticket. Half (49%) of Mainers agree that Harris should be the Democratic nominee for president in 2024, 33% would like someone else, and 17% are unsure. Three-quarters of Maine Democrats (76%) want Harris to be the party's nominee while 59% of Republicans feel someone else should be the Democratic nominee.

### Prefer Harris or Other as Democratic Presidential Nominee - by Party ID - July 2024



Among those who would like a nominee other than Harris (N=198), 25% would like Robert F. Kennedy Jr. and 20% mention West Virginia Senator Joe Manchin. Far fewer mention former First Lady Michelle Obama (3%), California Governor Gavin Newsom (2%), Arizona Senator Mark Kelly (2%), Michigan Governor Gretchen Whitmer (2%), or Transportation Secretary Pete Buttigieg (2%).

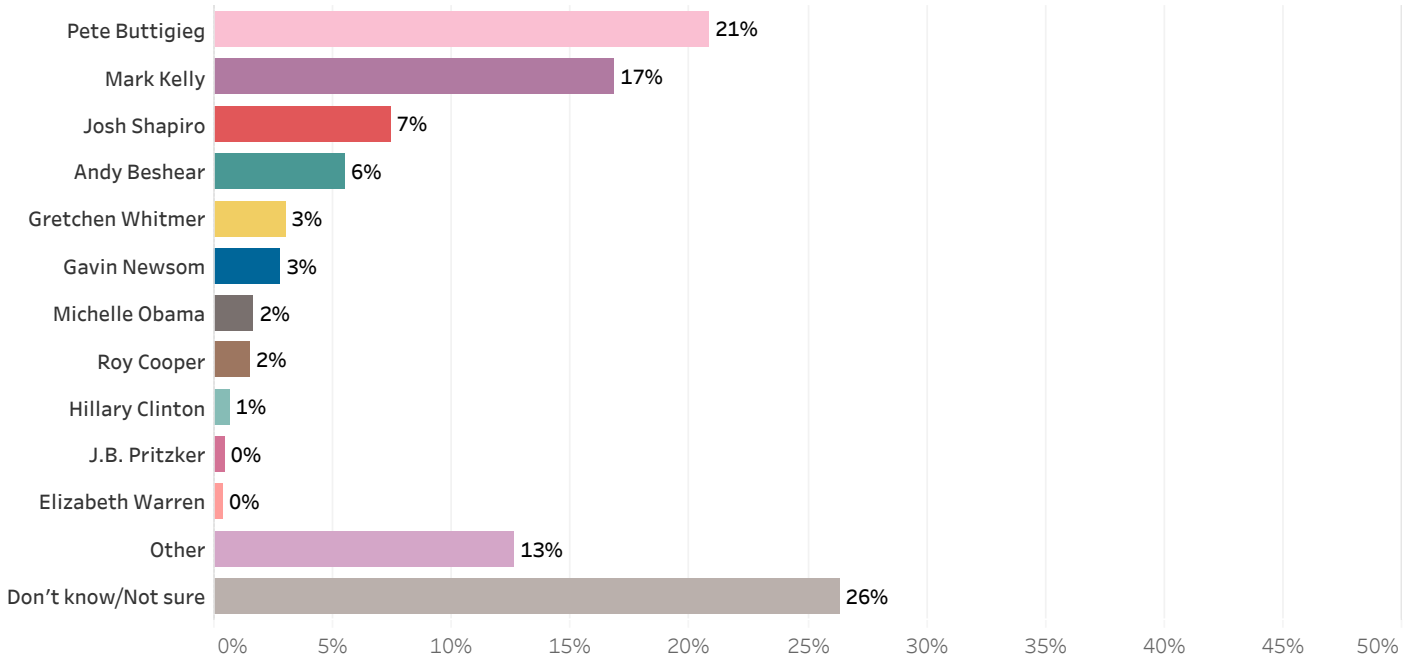
### Preferred Democratic Presidential Nominee (coded) - Among non-Harris Supporters - July 2024



Harris has emerged as such a favorite for the Democratic nomination that discussion in some circles has turned to whom she will pick as her running mate. There is no clear favorite among Harris supporters as of yet.

Among those who want Harris to be the Democratic nominee (N=463), 21% mention Buttigieg as the person they would like to be Harris's pick for vice president, while 17% mention Kelly. Fewer respondents would prefer Pennsylvania Governor Josh Shapiro (7%), Kentucky Governor Andy Beshear (6%), Whitmer (3%), Newsom (3%), Michelle Obama (2%), or North Carolina Governor Roy Cooper (2%).

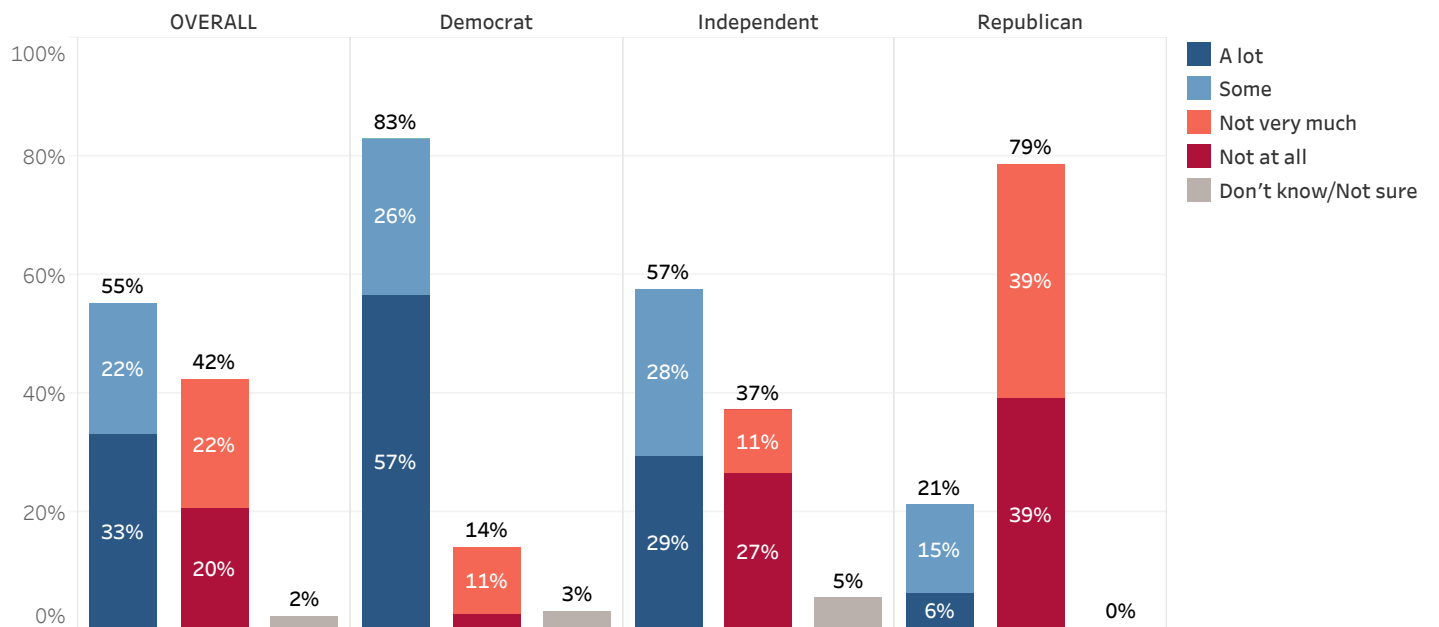
**Preferred Harris Running Mate (coded) - Among Harris Supporters - July 2024**



**Political Violence**

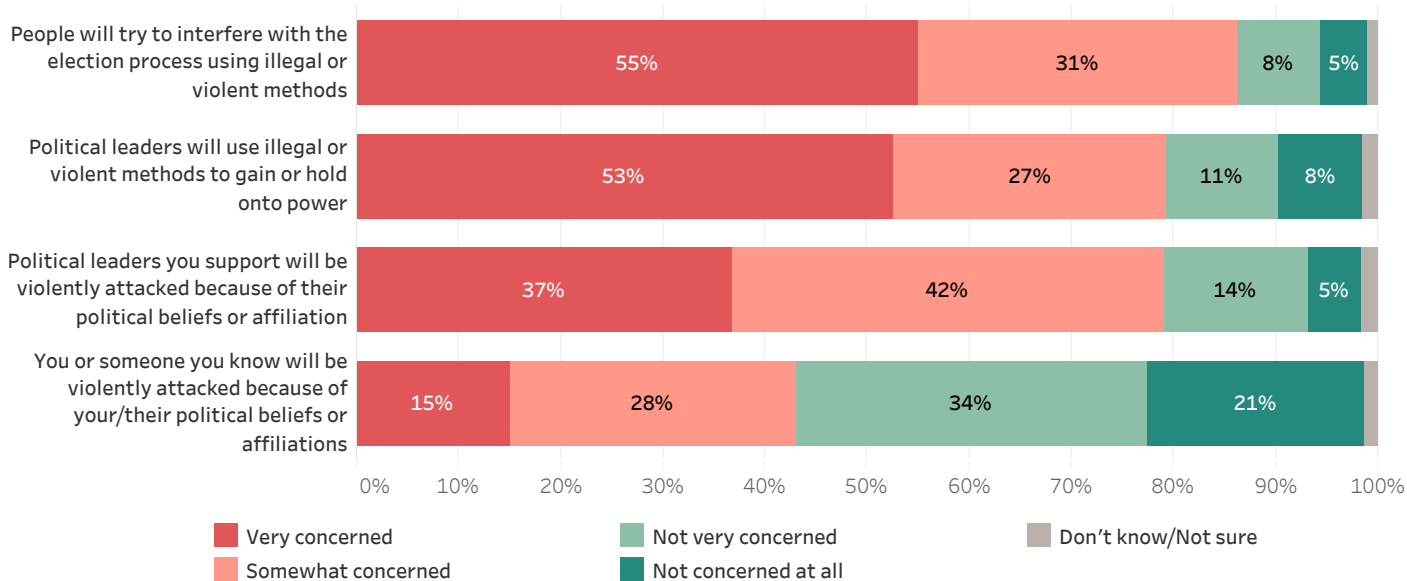
The Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) is investigating the attempted assassination of former President Donald Trump in Butler, Pennsylvania. A majority (55%) of Mainers say that they have a lot (33%) or some (22%) trust in the FBI to conduct a thorough investigation of the attempted assassination, 42% say they do not trust the FBI very much (22%) or at all (20%) to carry out a thorough investigation, and 2% are unsure. Majorities of Democrats (83%) and Independents (57%) have a lot or some trust in the FBI to carry out a thorough investigation but only 21% of Republicans feel this way.

**Trust in FBI to Conduct Thorough Investigation of Attempted Trump Assassination - by Party ID - July 2024**



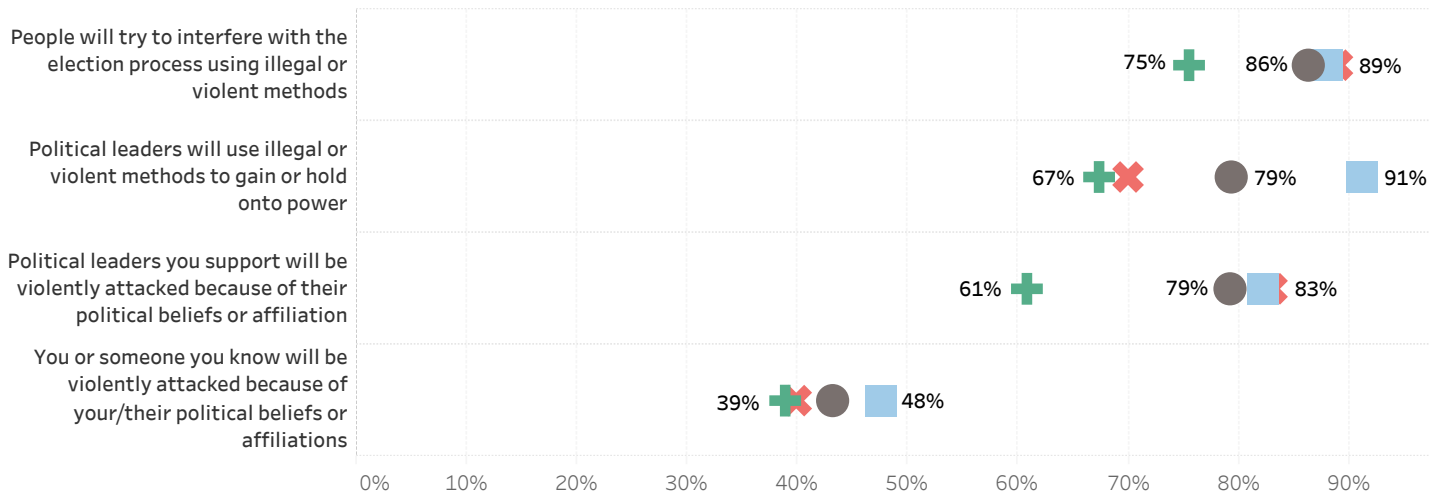
Eighty-six percent of Maine residents say they are very (55%) or somewhat (31%) concerned that in the next year people will try to interfere with the election process using illegal or violent methods, 8% are not very concerned about this happening, 5% are not concerned at all, and 1% are unsure. Most Mainers are also very or somewhat concerned that in the next year political leaders will use illegal or violent methods to gain or hold onto power (79%) and that political leaders they support will be violently attacked because of their political beliefs or affiliation (79%). There is less concern about potential violence perpetrated on respondents themselves or people they know: only 43% are very (15%) or somewhat (28%) concerned that in the next year they or someone they know will be violently attacked because of their political beliefs or affiliation while more than half (55%) are not very (34%) or not at all concerned (21%) about this happening.

**Concern About Following Types of Political Violence in Next Year - July 2024**



Democrats are more likely than Republicans to be worried that in the next year political leaders will use illegal or violent methods to gain or hold onto power. Democrats and Republicans are about equally likely to be concerned about people interfering with the election process through illegal or violent methods, political leaders they support being attacked due to their political beliefs, or they or someone they know being attacked due to their political beliefs.

**Very or Somewhat Concerned About Following Types of Political Violence in Next Year - by Party ID - July 2024**



## Pine Tree State Poll Methodology

These findings are based on the latest Pine Tree State Poll, conducted by the University of New Hampshire Survey Center. Nine hundred eighty-three (983) Pine Tree State Panel members completed the survey online. The response rate for panel respondents to the July 2024 Pine Tree State Poll is 48%. In addition, 519 Maine residents completed the survey after receiving an invitation via text message to complete the survey online. Overall, 1,502 individuals completed the survey between July 23 and July 25, 2024. The margin of sampling error for the survey is +/- 2.5 percent. Included in the sample were 1,445 likely general election voters (margin of sampling error +/- 2.6 percent). In addition to potential sampling error, all surveys have other potential sources of non-sampling error including question order effects, question wording effects, and non-response. These MSE's have not been adjusted for design effect. The design effect for the survey is 2.1%.

The Pine Tree State Panel is a probability-based web panel of Maine residents. Approximately 2,500 Maine adults have been recruited from phone, text-to-web, or mail-to-web surveys sent to randomly-selected phone numbers or addresses. Panelists are then asked to participate in online surveys sponsored by the UNH Survey Center.

Data were weighted by respondent sex, age, education, and region of the state to targets from the most recent American Community Survey (ACS) conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau, as well as party registration levels provided by the ME Secretary of State and to 2020 election results in Maine. Surveys were taken in English, all respondent data included passes Qualtrics data quality checks, and single-use survey links were used to prevent multiple submissions by respondents.

The number of respondents in each demographic below may not equal the number reported in cross-tabulation tables as some respondents choose not to answer some questions. Due to rounding, percentages may not sum to 100%. All coding of open-ended responses is conducted by human coders.

For more information about the methodology used in this Pine Tree State Poll, contact Dr. Andrew Smith at (603) 862-2226 or by email..

### July 2024 Pine Tree State Poll Demographics

		%	N
Gender of Respondent	Men	49%	717
	Women	51%	738
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	23%	349
	35 to 49	23%	334
	50 to 64	27%	404
	65 and older	27%	398
Level of Education	High school or less	36%	534
	Tech school/Some college	31%	457
	College graduate	21%	315
	Postgraduate work	13%	191
Region of State	Central Maine	24%	351
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	18%	263
	Northern Maine	20%	300
	Southern Maine	39%	574
Party ID	Democrat	47%	695
	Independent	14%	214
	Republican	39%	580
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	36%	516
	Registered Republican	28%	408
	Registered Green Party	4%	59
	Registered Unenrolled	31%	452
2020 Pres Vote	Voted for Biden	50%	754
	Voted for Trump	43%	638
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	3%	43
	Did not vote in 2020	4%	64
Cong. District	1st Congressional District	52%	767
	2nd Congressional District	48%	721

## 2024 Presidential General Election Matchup - Harris, Trump, et al

If the 2024 presidential election was being held today with the following candidates, which candidate would you vote for?

		<u>Kamala Harris</u>	<u>Robert F. Kennedy Jr.</u>	<u>Chase Oliver</u>	<u>Jill Stein</u>	<u>Donald Trump</u>	<u>Cornel West</u>	<u>Another candidate</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	48%	4%	1%	1%	40%	1%	1%	4%	1,444
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	91%	1%		0%	7%	0%	1%	1%	495
	Registered Republican	5%	3%	1%		88%		0%	4%	404
	Registered Green Party	55%	40%		1%	5%				50
	Registered Unenrolled	41%	4%	2%	5%	36%	2%	2%	8%	447
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	92%	1%	0%	2%	2%	0%	1%	1%	668
	Independent	33%	13%	4%	3%	26%	4%	2%	17%	200
	Republican	2%	4%	1%		90%		0%	3%	568
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	57%	10%		6%	26%	0%	1%		311
	35 to 49	52%	1%	3%	0%	37%	2%	2%	3%	327
	50 to 64	34%	4%	1%		54%	0%	0%	6%	401
	65 and older	54%	1%	0%	0%	38%	0%	1%	6%	389
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	39%	4%	2%	1%	52%	0%	0%	2%	678
	Women	56%	4%	0%	2%	30%	1%	1%	6%	727
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	38%	3%	1%	3%	49%			6%	497
	Tech school/Some college	41%	6%	1%	1%	46%	2%	2%	2%	451
	College graduate	61%	4%	0%	1%	30%	0%	1%	3%	307
	Postgraduate work	73%	1%	1%	0%	20%	0%	2%	3%	187
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	46%	4%	0%	0%	46%	2%	0%	2%	341
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	41%	3%	1%	0%	50%		3%	2%	259
	Northern Maine	37%	7%	1%	6%	40%		1%	8%	290
	Southern Maine	59%	2%	1%	1%	31%	0%	1%	4%	543
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	56%	2%	1%	1%	36%	0%	1%	3%	732
	2nd Congressional District	40%	5%	1%	3%	44%	1%	1%	5%	701
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	88%	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%	5%	739
	Voted for Trump	3%	4%	0%		89%		1%	2%	624
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	7%	43%	18%	6%	10%	4%	5%	6%	41
	Did not vote in 2020	54%	9%		7%	24%	3%	2%	1%	37



## 2024 Presidential General Election Matchup - Harris & Trump Only

If you could only vote for Donald Trump or Kamala Harris, who would you vote for?

		<u>Kamala Harris</u>	<u>Donald Trump</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	54%	45%	1%	1,350
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	93%	7%	0%	489
	Registered Republican	5%	95%		387
	Registered Green Party	92%	8%		31
	Registered Unenrolled	54%	44%	2%	397
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	97%	2%	0%	658
	Independent	55%	40%	4%	139
	Republican	3%	97%		546
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	69%	31%	1%	291
	35 to 49	58%	42%	0%	308
	50 to 64	38%	61%	2%	370
	65 and older	58%	41%	0%	366
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	42%	57%	0%	649
	Women	66%	34%	1%	663
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	46%	54%		445
	Tech school/Some college	46%	52%	1%	434
	College graduate	66%	33%	1%	289
	Postgraduate work	77%	23%	0%	181
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	51%	49%		331
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	44%	54%	2%	248
	Northern Maine	50%	50%		250
	Southern Maine	65%	35%	1%	509
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	60%	39%	1%	697
	2nd Congressional District	49%	51%		643
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	98%	2%	0%	698
	Voted for Trump	3%	96%	1%	600
	Did not vote in 2020	67%	33%		35

## Feelings on Vance's Selection as Trump's Running Mate - Among Trump Supporters

How do you feel about J.D. Vance being named the 2024 Republican Party's vice-presidential nominee?

		<u>Enthusiastic</u>	<u>Satisfied</u>	<u>Dissatisfied</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	35%	46%	6%	13%	607
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	22%	9%	30%	39%	34
	Registered Republican	36%	49%	5%	10%	367
	Registered Unenrolled	31%	52%	3%	14%	175
<b>Party ID</b>	Independent	36%	29%	18%	16%	56
	Republican	36%	49%	4%	12%	531
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	13%	60%	13%	14%	90
	35 to 49	20%	54%	2%	24%	128
	50 to 64	48%	32%	5%	16%	225
	65 and older	45%	48%	6%	1%	152
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	34%	47%	7%	12%	373
	Women	37%	44%	4%	16%	222
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	31%	45%	6%	18%	242
	Tech school/Some college	37%	49%	6%	8%	228
	College graduate	35%	42%	7%	16%	94
	Postgraduate work	46%	45%	3%	5%	42
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	35%	45%	6%	14%	164
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	35%	46%	5%	14%	135
	Northern Maine	32%	48%	8%	12%	125
	Southern Maine	39%	44%	4%	13%	176
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	35%	49%	3%	13%	270
	2nd Congressional District	36%	42%	8%	14%	330

### Favorability - Joe Biden

Below is a list of public figures. Please indicate whether you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of each of them or if you don't know enough about them to say - Joe Biden

		<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't know enough about to say</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	34%	13%	53%	0%	1,487
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	63%	18%	18%		515
	Registered Republican	3%	6%	90%	1%	394
	Registered Green Party	42%	8%	50%		59
	Registered Unenrolled	29%	13%	58%	0%	451
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	66%	18%	17%		693
	Independent	17%	18%	65%		214
	Republican	1%	4%	95%	0%	566
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	19%	20%	61%	0%	349
	35 to 49	32%	19%	49%		321
	50 to 64	31%	8%	61%	0%	404
	65 and older	51%	7%	42%	1%	397
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	27%	12%	60%	0%	716
	Women	41%	13%	46%	0%	724
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	26%	11%	63%		520
	Tech school/Some college	27%	12%	61%	1%	457
	College graduate	40%	16%	44%		314
	Postgraduate work	59%	14%	27%	0%	190
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	25%	12%	63%	0%	351
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	26%	11%	62%		263
	Northern Maine	33%	10%	56%	1%	286
	Southern Maine	42%	16%	42%	0%	574
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	39%	15%	46%	0%	767
	2nd Congressional District	28%	10%	61%	0%	706
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	63%	20%	17%		752
	Voted for Trump	2%	3%	95%	0%	623
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	2%	17%	81%		43
	Did not vote in 2020	21%	24%	53%	2%	64

## Favorability - Donald Trump

Below is a list of public figures. Please indicate whether you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of each of them or if you don't know enough about them to say - Donald Trump

		<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't know enough about to say</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	36%	6%	58%	0%	1,501
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	4%	4%	91%	0%	516
	Registered Republican	81%	8%	11%		407
	Registered Green Party	4%	4%	92%		59
	Registered Unenrolled	34%	6%	60%	0%	451
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	2%	2%	96%	0%	694
	Independent	20%	10%	70%		214
	Republican	84%	8%	8%		579
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	23%	4%	73%		349
	35 to 49	34%	7%	59%	0%	334
	50 to 64	49%	9%	42%	0%	404
	65 and older	36%	3%	62%		398
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	47%	5%	48%	0%	715
	Women	28%	6%	67%	0%	738
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	44%	5%	51%		534
	Tech school/Some college	42%	7%	51%	0%	457
	College graduate	26%	5%	68%	0%	314
	Postgraduate work	18%	5%	77%		190
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	40%	9%	51%		351
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	49%	4%	47%		263
	Northern Maine	36%	3%	61%		300
	Southern Maine	28%	6%	66%	0%	574
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	33%	6%	61%	0%	767
	2nd Congressional District	40%	6%	54%		720
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	1%	0%	98%	0%	753
	Voted for Trump	81%	11%	8%		637
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	10%	9%	81%		43
	Did not vote in 2020	26%	13%	60%	1%	64

### Favorability - Kamala Harris

Below is a list of public figures. Please indicate whether you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of each of them or if you don't know enough about them to say - Kamala Harris

		<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't know enough about to say</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	42%	10%	46%	2%	1,500
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	82%	11%	6%	0%	516
	Registered Republican	4%	4%	92%	0%	408
	Registered Green Party	43%	5%	49%	4%	59
	Registered Unenrolled	35%	14%	47%	4%	450
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	82%	14%	3%	1%	693
	Independent	22%	18%	53%	6%	214
	Republican	2%	3%	95%	0%	580
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	46%	16%	37%	1%	349
	35 to 49	43%	11%	45%	2%	334
	50 to 64	30%	11%	58%	1%	404
	65 and older	50%	5%	42%	3%	396
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	34%	9%	57%	0%	715
	Women	51%	10%	36%	3%	738
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	35%	13%	50%	2%	534
	Tech school/Some college	36%	6%	57%	2%	456
	College graduate	50%	12%	36%	3%	314
	Postgraduate work	65%	9%	26%	0%	191
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	40%	11%	49%	0%	351
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	34%	9%	54%	3%	262
	Northern Maine	35%	14%	50%	1%	299
	Southern Maine	51%	9%	38%	3%	574
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	48%	9%	41%	2%	766
	2nd Congressional District	36%	12%	51%	1%	720
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	77%	17%	4%	2%	752
	Voted for Trump	3%	3%	94%	1%	637
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	4%	9%	86%	0%	43
	Did not vote in 2020	41%	11%	45%	3%	64

### Favorability - J.D. Vance

Below is a list of public figures. Please indicate whether you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of each of them or if you don't know enough about them to say - J.D. Vance

		<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't know enough about to say</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	31%	11%	46%	12%	1,501
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	4%	5%	78%	14%	516
	Registered Republican	73%	14%	6%	7%	408
	Registered Green Party	4%	8%	82%	5%	59
	Registered Unenrolled	25%	16%	45%	13%	451
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	2%	5%	79%	14%	694
	Independent	19%	11%	54%	17%	214
	Republican	70%	18%	4%	9%	580
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	17%	13%	52%	18%	349
	35 to 49	27%	14%	45%	14%	334
	50 to 64	42%	13%	36%	9%	404
	65 and older	32%	5%	52%	10%	398
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	38%	15%	40%	7%	716
	Women	24%	7%	50%	18%	738
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	32%	11%	37%	20%	534
	Tech school/Some college	40%	11%	44%	6%	457
	College graduate	22%	14%	52%	13%	314
	Postgraduate work	21%	6%	67%	5%	190
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	31%	17%	39%	13%	351
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	36%	15%	38%	11%	263
	Northern Maine	32%	6%	48%	14%	300
	Southern Maine	27%	9%	53%	12%	574
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	29%	9%	49%	12%	767
	2nd Congressional District	32%	13%	42%	13%	720
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	1%	4%	80%	14%	753
	Voted for Trump	69%	19%	5%	8%	637
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	11%	8%	67%	14%	43
	Did not vote in 2020	11%	17%	40%	32%	64

## How Much Heard or Seen About Biden Withdrawal from Presidential Race

How much have you heard or seen about President Joe Biden’s decision to withdraw from the 2024 presidential election?

		<u>A lot</u>	<u>Some</u>	<u>Not very much</u>	<u>Nothing at all</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	67%	28%	4%	1%	1,502
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	67%	25%	4%	3%	516
	Registered Republican	73%	25%	2%		408
	Registered Green Party	51%	36%	12%		59
	Registered Unenrolled	66%	31%	3%	0%	452
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	69%	25%	4%	2%	695
	Independent	60%	36%	4%	0%	214
	Republican	68%	28%	4%	1%	580
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	62%	29%	9%		349
	35 to 49	57%	35%	3%	5%	334
	50 to 64	68%	27%	4%	1%	404
	65 and older	78%	22%	0%	0%	398
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	74%	22%	5%	0%	717
	Women	59%	35%	3%	3%	738
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	60%	32%	6%	3%	534
	Tech school/Some college	72%	25%	2%	1%	457
	College graduate	65%	29%	5%	0%	315
	Postgraduate work	78%	21%	1%		191
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	65%	27%	6%	2%	351
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	70%	27%	3%		263
	Northern Maine	58%	41%	0%	1%	300
	Southern Maine	72%	22%	5%	2%	574
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	71%	23%	5%	1%	767
	2nd Congressional District	63%	33%	3%	1%	721
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	71%	25%	4%	1%	754
	Voted for Trump	66%	29%	3%	2%	638
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	46%	53%	0%		43
	Did not vote in 2020	48%	32%	20%		64

## How Felt After Hearing About Biden Withdrawal from Presidential Race

Which of the following emotions did you feel after seeing or hearing about Biden’s decision to withdraw from the 2024 presidential election?  
(Please select all that apply)

		<u>Angry</u>	<u>Anxious</u>	<u>Ecstatic</u>	<u>Happy</u>	<u>Hopeful</u>	<u>Indifferent</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	4%	16%	13%	23%	32%	12%
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	5%	29%	6%	25%	51%	4%
	Registered Republican	4%	7%	20%	22%	15%	20%
	Registered Green Party	1%	21%	1%	1%	20%	26%
	Registered Unenrolled	4%	10%	12%	22%	26%	13%
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	4%	29%	7%	22%	54%	4%
	Independent	4%	5%	5%	16%	18%	19%
	Republican	5%	5%	22%	26%	11%	20%
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	1%	30%	11%	34%	41%	17%
	35 to 49	6%	20%	19%	22%	36%	10%
	50 to 64	8%	10%	11%	16%	21%	16%
	65 and older	3%	9%	10%	20%	32%	6%
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	4%	12%	16%	22%	28%	16%
	Women	5%	22%	9%	22%	36%	8%
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	6%	13%	19%	26%	28%	12%
	Tech school/Some college	3%	15%	10%	20%	22%	15%
	College graduate	6%	21%	9%	20%	41%	10%
	Postgraduate work	3%	20%	6%	23%	49%	7%
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	5%	21%	14%	27%	26%	13%
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	2%	10%	16%	29%	31%	15%
	Northern Maine	4%	12%	18%	19%	30%	16%
	Southern Maine	5%	19%	8%	20%	37%	9%
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	4%	17%	9%	21%	36%	10%
	2nd Congressional District	5%	16%	16%	24%	28%	15%
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	4%	25%	5%	20%	50%	4%
	Voted for Trump	6%	5%	22%	25%	10%	20%
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	6%	12%	12%	13%	6%	49%
	Did not vote in 2020	1%	33%	10%	41%	51%	6%



## How Felt After Hearing About Biden Withdrawal from Presidential Race

Which of the following emotions did you feel after seeing or hearing about Biden’s decision to withdraw from the 2024 presidential election?  
(Please select all that apply)

		<u>Proud</u>	<u>Relieved</u>	<u>Sad</u>	<u>Unsettled</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	15%	48%	13%	16%	8%	1,483
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	25%	56%	24%	21%	7%	500
	Registered Republican	3%	39%	6%	12%	8%	408
	Registered Green Party	20%	26%	2%	18%	6%	59
	Registered Unenrolled	15%	51%	10%	15%	11%	451
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	27%	56%	22%	19%	6%	679
	Independent	13%	51%	10%	18%	14%	213
	Republican	2%	37%	3%	12%	9%	577
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	11%	56%	5%	16%	3%	349
	35 to 49	14%	51%	15%	21%	12%	319
	50 to 64	12%	38%	12%	20%	10%	401
	65 and older	22%	46%	19%	8%	8%	397
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	11%	41%	11%	11%	10%	716
	Women	18%	56%	16%	22%	6%	720
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	9%	46%	11%	20%	10%	519
	Tech school/Some college	14%	42%	11%	12%	9%	454
	College graduate	20%	53%	16%	15%	6%	314
	Postgraduate work	25%	60%	20%	17%	6%	191
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	12%	42%	11%	14%	8%	344
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	11%	55%	10%	15%	7%	263
	Northern Maine	11%	45%	12%	16%	6%	297
	Southern Maine	20%	49%	16%	18%	10%	565
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	19%	51%	15%	17%	9%	758
	2nd Congressional District	11%	44%	11%	15%	8%	711
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	26%	57%	22%	19%	7%	747
	Voted for Trump	3%	38%	3%	13%	10%	625
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	8%	29%	4%	8%	10%	43
	Did not vote in 2020	5%	55%	4%	25%	3%	64

### Should Biden Resign Presidency

Now that he has decided to withdraw from the 2024 presidential election, do you believe that Biden should resign as president before the end of his term, or have you not thought much about this?

		<u>Definitely</u>	<u>Probably</u>	<u>Not thought much about this</u>	<u>Probably not</u>	<u>Definitely not</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	23%	8%	12%	15%	39%	3%	1,501
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	2%	4%	7%	15%	69%	2%	516
	Registered Republican	49%	12%	9%	16%	9%	4%	407
	Registered Green Party	4%		26%	11%	47%	12%	59
	Registered Unenrolled	24%	8%	17%	14%	36%	1%	452
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	1%	4%	8%	17%	69%	2%	694
	Independent	17%	11%	20%	13%	35%	4%	214
	Republican	51%	12%	14%	14%	6%	3%	579
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	18%	5%	14%	28%	35%	0%	349
	35 to 49	23%	7%	16%	13%	39%	1%	334
	50 to 64	28%	14%	12%	11%	32%	3%	404
	65 and older	21%	6%	7%	9%	53%	5%	397
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	32%	8%	7%	15%	36%	2%	715
	Women	14%	9%	16%	16%	43%	2%	738
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	25%	8%	19%	15%	30%	4%	534
	Tech school/Some college	30%	11%	8%	12%	37%	3%	456
	College graduate	15%	6%	9%	21%	47%	2%	315
	Postgraduate work	13%	6%	7%	12%	61%	1%	191
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	25%	9%	12%	16%	36%	2%	350
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	35%	6%	6%	12%	39%	3%	263
	Northern Maine	21%	9%	20%	17%	32%	1%	300
	Southern Maine	17%	8%	10%	15%	46%	4%	574
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	21%	8%	9%	14%	44%	3%	767
	2nd Congressional District	25%	8%	15%	16%	35%	2%	720
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	1%	5%	8%	14%	70%	2%	753
	Voted for Trump	49%	13%	14%	13%	7%	4%	636
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	24%	2%	47%	12%	14%	2%	43
	Did not vote in 2020	14%	7%	19%	45%	16%		64

### Prefer Harris or Other as Democratic Presidential Nominee

Biden and several leading Democratic officials have endorsed Kamala Harris as his replacement as the Democratic Party's nominee for president in 2024...

		<u>Kamala Harris</u>	<u>Someone else</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	49%	33%	17%	1,496
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	74%	11%	15%	516
	Registered Republican	24%	54%	22%	403
	Registered Green Party	38%	50%	12%	59
	Registered Unenrolled	50%	35%	16%	451
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	76%	9%	15%	694
	Independent	39%	43%	19%	214
	Republican	21%	59%	20%	574
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	61%	24%	15%	349
	35 to 49	48%	33%	18%	334
	50 to 64	36%	45%	19%	404
	65 and older	55%	29%	17%	397
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	45%	36%	18%	716
	Women	54%	29%	17%	733
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	45%	41%	13%	529
	Tech school/Some college	47%	36%	18%	457
	College graduate	53%	26%	21%	314
	Postgraduate work	63%	17%	19%	191
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	44%	36%	20%	351
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	53%	27%	20%	263
	Northern Maine	42%	45%	14%	300
	Southern Maine	56%	28%	16%	573
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	56%	27%	17%	766
	2nd Congressional District	43%	39%	18%	721
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	74%	9%	16%	754
	Voted for Trump	23%	58%	19%	631
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	11%	72%	17%	43
	Did not vote in 2020	40%	43%	16%	64

**Preferred Democratic Presidential Nominee (coded) - Among non-Harris Supporters**

Who would you like to see as the 2024 Democratic nominee for president? (coded)

		<u>Pete Buttigieg</u>	<u>Mark Kelly</u>	<u>Robert F. Kennedy Jr.</u>	<u>Joe Manchin</u>	<u>Gavin Newsom</u>	<u>Michelle Obama</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	2%	2%	25%	20%	2%	3%
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	5%	1%	2%	8%	12%	5%
	Registered Republican	2%	4%	39%	20%	1%	0%
	Registered Unenrolled		1%	20%	29%		6%
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	8%	2%	12%		12%	16%
	Independent		2%	12%	1%		4%
	Republican	1%	3%	32%	32%	1%	0%
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	1%		31%	4%		
	35 to 49	10%	2%	28%	14%	2%	16%
	50 to 64	0%	1%	17%	32%	2%	2%
	65 and older	0%	6%	34%	13%	5%	
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	3%	2%	24%	37%	2%	5%
	Women	1%	3%	28%	2%	4%	2%
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less			14%	31%		
	Tech school/Some college	2%	4%	36%	10%	5%	7%
	College graduate	5%	3%	28%	16%	4%	3%
	Postgraduate work	3%	4%	24%	22%	0%	5%
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	2%	3%	39%	7%		2%
	Downeast/Coastal Maine		4%	20%	35%	0%	6%
	Northern Maine	2%	0%	25%	16%	3%	8%
	Southern Maine	2%	2%	13%	32%	6%	1%
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	2%	1%	17%	25%	4%	3%
	2nd Congressional District	2%	3%	31%	18%	1%	4%
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	4%	1%	10%		7%	12%
	Voted for Trump	1%	3%	31%	32%	0%	

**Preferred Democratic Presidential Nominee (coded) - Among non-Harris Supporters**

Who would you like to see as the 2024 Democratic nominee for president? (coded)

		<u>Mitt Romney</u>	<u>Bernie Sanders</u>	<u>Josh Shapiro</u>	<u>Gretchen Whitmer</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	0%	1%	1%	2%	24%	16%	198
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	1%	2%		2%	42%	21%	33
	Registered Republican		1%	2%	1%	14%	16%	86
	Registered Unenrolled		1%	1%	4%	27%	12%	72
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat		3%	1%	3%	40%	4%	32
	Independent	1%	0%	4%	7%	44%	26%	41
	Republican		1%	1%	1%	14%	15%	124
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34			4%	8%	52%		33
	35 to 49	1%	5%	3%	2%	10%	8%	29
	50 to 64			1%	0%	26%	17%	90
	65 and older		1%		2%	9%	30%	45
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	0%	2%	2%	4%	11%	8%	102
	Women				1%	33%	27%	80
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less					40%	15%	76
	Tech school/Some college		1%	2%	4%	10%	20%	67
	College graduate		1%		3%	24%	12%	34
	Postgraduate work	1%	4%	5%	3%	16%	13%	20
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine		1%		0%	31%	14%	65
	Downeast/Coastal Maine		1%		3%	9%	22%	27
	Northern Maine			1%		42%	3%	45
	Southern Maine	0%	1%	4%	5%	10%	24%	60
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	0%	1%	3%	4%	15%	24%	81
	2nd Congressional District		1%	0%	0%	30%	10%	115
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	1%	1%	1%	2%	55%	6%	55
	Voted for Trump		1%	1%	0%	10%	22%	126

**Preferred Harris Running Mate (coded) - Among Harris Supporters**

Who would you like to be selected as Kamala Harris’s vice president in the 2024 election?

		<u>Andy Beshear</u>	<u>Pete Buttigieg</u>	<u>Hillary Clinton</u>	<u>Roy Cooper</u>	<u>Mark Kelly</u>	<u>Gavin Newsom</u>	<u>Michelle Obama</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	6%	21%	1%	2%	17%	3%	2%
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	5%	19%	0%	3%	22%	3%	2%
	Registered Republican		16%	3%	1%	8%	2%	
	Registered Unenrolled	2%	28%	1%	0%	13%	2%	1%
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	7%	17%		2%	21%	3%	2%
	Independent	1%	53%	2%		1%		
	Republican		8%	3%		9%	7%	
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	1%	17%	1%	3%	24%		1%
	35 to 49	16%	33%	1%	0%	10%	1%	1%
	50 to 64	3%	26%		1%	19%	7%	3%
	65 and older	3%	11%	1%	1%	14%	4%	2%
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	8%	24%	2%	1%	12%	1%	2%
	Women	4%	19%		1%	22%	4%	1%
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	9%	20%		2%	12%	3%	1%
	Tech school/Some college	2%	31%			24%	3%	1%
	College graduate	4%	21%	3%	2%	17%	1%	3%
	Postgraduate work	5%	10%	0%	3%	18%	4%	1%
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	1%	17%	1%	1%	38%	2%	3%
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	2%	19%		2%	15%	2%	0%
	Northern Maine	1%	29%	3%	2%	11%	2%	2%
	Southern Maine	10%	20%		1%	11%	4%	2%
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	9%	18%		1%	11%	4%	2%
	2nd Congressional District	1%	25%	2%	2%	25%	2%	1%
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	7%	23%		1%	20%	2%	2%
	Voted for Trump		8%	2%		4%	5%	

**Preferred Harris Running Mate (coded) - Among Harris Supporters**

Who would you like to be selected as Kamala Harris’s vice president in the 2024 election?

		<u>J.B. Pritzker</u>	<u>Josh Shapiro</u>	<u>Elizabeth Warren</u>	<u>Gretchen Whitmer</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	0%	7%	0%	3%	13%	26%	463
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat		8%	1%	4%	12%	22%	248
	Registered Republican		4%			27%	39%	43
	Registered Unenrolled	1%	7%		3%	10%	30%	152
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat		8%	1%	3%	11%	26%	344
	Independent	3%	10%		3%	8%	20%	66
	Republican		1%			33%	38%	50
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34		9%	1%		3%	39%	121
	35 to 49	1%	3%	0%	2%	21%	11%	108
	50 to 64	1%	7%	0%	5%	17%	12%	97
	65 and older		10%		5%	12%	38%	137
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	1%	9%		3%	12%	24%	204
	Women		6%	1%	2%	12%	29%	248
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less				4%	12%	38%	167
	Tech school/Some college		4%		1%	12%	21%	107
	College graduate	1%	15%	1%	2%	14%	15%	104
	Postgraduate work	1%	16%	1%	5%	13%	25%	85
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine		6%		2%	15%	16%	87
	Downeast/Coastal Maine		6%	3%	3%	15%	33%	68
	Northern Maine		9%		0%	4%	39%	79
	Southern Maine	1%	8%		4%	15%	24%	227
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	1%	8%	1%	4%	16%	26%	279
	2nd Congressional District		7%		2%	8%	26%	182
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	1%	9%	0%	4%	8%	23%	375
	Voted for Trump		2%			37%	41%	72

## Trust in FBI to Conduct Thorough Investigation of Attempted Trump Assassination

The Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) is investigating the attempted assassination of former President Donald Trump. How much, if at all, do you trust the FBI to conduct a thorough investigation?

		<u>A lot</u>	<u>Some</u>	<u>Not very much</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	33%	22%	22%	20%	2%	1,499
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	53%	26%	16%	4%	2%	516
	Registered Republican	11%	14%	33%	42%	0%	408
	Registered Green Party	40%	2%	11%	26%	21%	59
	Registered Unenrolled	33%	28%	17%	20%	2%	450
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	57%	26%	11%	3%	3%	693
	Independent	29%	28%	11%	27%	5%	214
	Republican	6%	15%	39%	39%	0%	580
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	26%	30%	17%	22%	5%	349
	35 to 49	30%	24%	26%	19%	1%	334
	50 to 64	28%	20%	28%	24%	1%	402
	65 and older	48%	17%	17%	16%	3%	398
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	33%	18%	23%	25%	1%	715
	Women	33%	26%	21%	16%	3%	738
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	24%	24%	28%	23%	2%	534
	Tech school/Some college	31%	19%	24%	26%	0%	455
	College graduate	40%	25%	15%	14%	6%	314
	Postgraduate work	54%	21%	12%	10%	2%	191
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	29%	24%	22%	24%	1%	351
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	27%	24%	14%	32%	4%	263
	Northern Maine	27%	23%	29%	20%	1%	297
	Southern Maine	42%	21%	21%	13%	3%	574
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	38%	22%	18%	19%	4%	767
	2nd Congressional District	28%	23%	26%	22%	1%	718
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	60%	26%	9%	3%	2%	752
	Voted for Trump	5%	15%	40%	39%	2%	637
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	8%	22%	9%	60%	2%	43
	Did not vote in 2020	13%	52%	13%	15%	7%	64



### Concern You or Someone You Know Will Be Violently Attacked Due to Politics in Next Year

How much, if at all, are you concerned about the following things happening over the next year? You or someone you know will be violently attacked because of your/their political beliefs or affiliations

		<u>Very concerned</u>	<u>Somewhat concerned</u>	<u>Not very concerned</u>	<u>Not concerned at all</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	15%	28%	34%	21%	1%	1,496
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	19%	30%	33%	16%	2%	514
	Registered Republican	10%	32%	35%	23%	0%	405
	Registered Green Party	26%	13%	20%	41%		59
	Registered Unenrolled	13%	27%	36%	23%	1%	452
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	21%	27%	35%	16%	2%	692
	Independent	12%	26%	26%	34%	2%	214
	Republican	9%	31%	38%	22%		576
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	21%	30%	21%	27%	1%	347
	35 to 49	18%	26%	39%	18%	0%	334
	50 to 64	12%	29%	37%	20%	3%	402
	65 and older	12%	26%	39%	22%	0%	395
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	13%	25%	37%	25%	0%	714
	Women	17%	31%	33%	17%	2%	735
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	17%	24%	37%	21%	2%	534
	Tech school/Some college	16%	31%	31%	22%	0%	453
	College graduate	12%	29%	35%	22%	2%	313
	Postgraduate work	10%	33%	36%	19%	1%	191
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	23%	36%	22%	19%	0%	347
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	5%	23%	42%	28%	2%	263
	Northern Maine	15%	25%	37%	21%	3%	299
	Southern Maine	15%	28%	37%	20%	1%	573
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	13%	28%	38%	21%	1%	764
	2nd Congressional District	17%	29%	31%	22%	1%	718
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	21%	27%	34%	16%	1%	751
	Voted for Trump	9%	30%	36%	24%	1%	634
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	4%	15%	33%	48%		43
	Did not vote in 2020	12%	28%	26%	33%	1%	64

### Concern Political Leaders You Support Will Be Violently Attacked in Next Year

How much, if at all, are you concerned about the following things happening over the next year? Political leaders you support will be violently attacked because of their political beliefs or affiliation

		<u>Very concerned</u>	<u>Somewhat concerned</u>	<u>Not very concerned</u>	<u>Not concerned at all</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	37%	42%	14%	5%	2%	1,496
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	39%	43%	14%	2%	2%	514
	Registered Republican	49%	39%	7%	5%		405
	Registered Green Party	35%	22%	6%	37%		59
	Registered Unenrolled	26%	48%	20%	3%	3%	452
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	39%	44%	14%	2%	2%	692
	Independent	15%	46%	21%	12%	6%	214
	Republican	43%	40%	12%	5%		577
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	36%	38%	16%	8%	2%	347
	35 to 49	36%	39%	20%	5%	0%	334
	50 to 64	34%	48%	12%	3%	2%	402
	65 and older	41%	43%	10%	4%	2%	396
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	36%	39%	20%	4%	0%	714
	Women	38%	46%	8%	5%	3%	735
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	40%	34%	15%	7%	3%	534
	Tech school/Some college	37%	46%	14%	3%	1%	453
	College graduate	32%	47%	14%	5%	2%	313
	Postgraduate work	35%	49%	13%	3%		191
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	39%	45%	12%	4%	0%	348
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	40%	40%	14%	4%	1%	263
	Northern Maine	30%	47%	12%	8%	3%	299
	Southern Maine	37%	40%	17%	4%	2%	573
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	38%	41%	16%	4%	2%	764
	2nd Congressional District	35%	44%	13%	7%	1%	719
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	37%	46%	13%	2%	2%	751
	Voted for Trump	40%	40%	13%	6%	1%	634
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	16%	18%	27%	40%		43
	Did not vote in 2020	13%	39%	32%	12%	4%	64

### Concern Political Leaders Will Use Illegal or Violent Means to Gain or Hold on to Power in Next Year

How much, if at all, are you concerned about the following things happening over the next year? Political leaders will use illegal or violent methods to gain or hold onto power

		<u>Very concerned</u>	<u>Somewhat concerned</u>	<u>Not very concerned</u>	<u>Not concerned at all</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	53%	27%	11%	8%	1%	1,486
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	66%	25%	6%	1%	2%	514
	Registered Republican	44%	27%	15%	14%	0%	400
	Registered Green Party	52%	19%	1%	29%		52
	Registered Unenrolled	48%	30%	10%	9%	2%	452
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	66%	26%	5%	2%	2%	689
	Independent	36%	31%	12%	18%	3%	207
	Republican	43%	27%	17%	13%	0%	576
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	53%	18%	12%	15%	2%	347
	35 to 49	53%	25%	15%	7%	0%	334
	50 to 64	47%	31%	12%	7%	4%	398
	65 and older	57%	31%	5%	6%	0%	390
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	47%	26%	15%	11%	1%	715
	Women	58%	28%	7%	5%	2%	731
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	48%	23%	13%	13%	3%	523
	Tech school/Some college	59%	26%	9%	6%		454
	College graduate	50%	32%	11%	6%	2%	313
	Postgraduate work	54%	33%	9%	3%	0%	191
<b>Region of State</b>	Central Maine	60%	26%	8%	5%	1%	348
	Downeast/Coastal Maine	46%	24%	14%	15%	1%	263
	Northern Maine	44%	31%	13%	10%	3%	300
	Southern Maine	56%	26%	11%	6%	1%	562
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	54%	25%	10%	9%	1%	753
	2nd Congressional District	51%	28%	12%	7%	1%	719
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	65%	27%	6%	1%	1%	748
	Voted for Trump	40%	28%	17%	14%	1%	627
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	33%	22%	4%	42%		43
	Did not vote in 2020	37%	23%	22%	14%	3%	64

### Concern People Will Try to Interfere in Elections Using Illegal or Violent Means in Next Year

How much, if at all, are you concerned about the following things happening over the next year? People will try to interfere with the election process using illegal or violent methods

		<u>Very concerned</u>	<u>Somewhat concerned</u>	<u>Not very concerned</u>	<u>Not concerned at all</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
<b>STATEWIDE</b>	<b>July 2024</b>	55%	31%	8%	5%	1%	1,497
<b>Voting Registration</b>	Registered Democrat	56%	29%	9%	3%	2%	512
	Registered Republican	65%	26%	6%	3%		408
	Registered Green Party	49%	10%	4%	37%		59
	Registered Unenrolled	46%	43%	8%	2%	1%	450
<b>Party ID</b>	Democrat	58%	30%	8%	3%	1%	691
	Independent	28%	47%	10%	12%	3%	212
	Republican	62%	27%	7%	4%		580
<b>Age of Respondent</b>	18 to 34	48%	34%	8%	9%	1%	347
	35 to 49	55%	31%	9%	4%		333
	50 to 64	58%	29%	9%	2%	2%	404
	65 and older	57%	32%	7%	4%	0%	396
<b>Gender of Respondent</b>	Men	53%	33%	9%	4%	0%	715
	Women	58%	30%	7%	3%	2%	735
<b>Level of Education</b>	High school or less	56%	25%	9%	8%	2%	534
	Tech school/Some college	55%	37%	6%	2%		454
	College graduate	56%	31%	9%	2%	2%	313
	Postgraduate work	53%	36%	8%	3%	0%	191
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	Northern Maine	52%	28%	8%	9%	3%	299
	Southern Maine	57%	31%	8%	3%	0%	573
<b>Cong. District</b>	1st Congressional District	57%	31%	8%	3%	1%	764
	2nd Congressional District	52%	32%	9%	6%	1%	719
<b>2020 Pres Vote</b>	Voted for Biden	56%	34%	7%	2%	1%	749
	Voted for Trump	58%	29%	7%	4%	1%	638
	Voted for other 2020 candidate	25%	26%	7%	42%		43
	Did not vote in 2020	39%	22%	31%	6%	1%	64