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MARKEY MAINTAINS LEAD OVER MOULTON IN DEMOCRATIC SENATE PRIMARY IN MASSACHUSETTS

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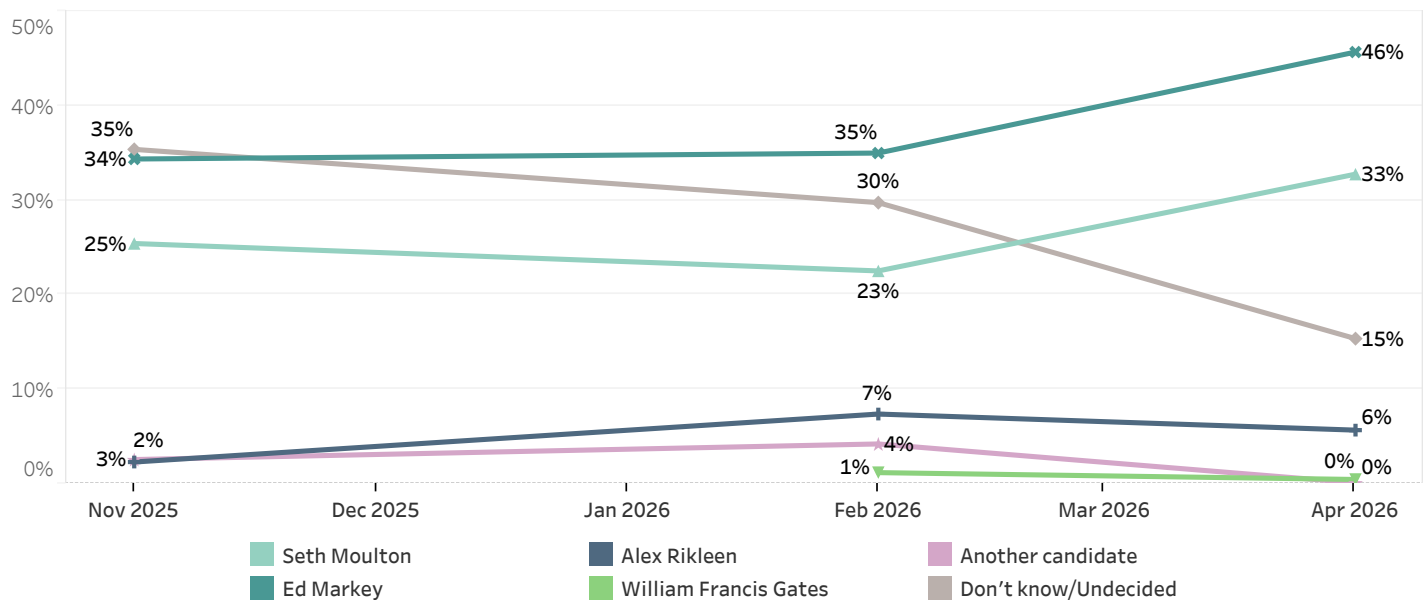
DURHAM, NH - Incumbent Ed Markey continues to lead Representative Seth Moulton in the Democratic primary for U.S. Senate in Massachusetts. Both candidates are popular among Democratic voters and both are favored over prospective Republican challenger John Deaton in the general election. Governor Maura Healey leads prospective Republican challengers in November. Massachusetts voters favor proposed ballot questions to enact same-day voter registration, decrease state income taxes, and institute rent control, while most oppose repealing laws that legalized the use of marijuana. Most support a proposed bill regulating the use of social media by children and half say the cost of living or housing is the most important problem facing the commonwealth.

2026 U.S. Senate Election

Incumbent Senator Ed Markey continues to lead Congressman Seth Moulton in the Democratic primary for U.S. Senate in Massachusetts. Among likely 2026 Democratic primary voters, 46% say they would vote for Markey if the primary were held today, 33% would vote for Moulton, 6% would vote for Alex Rikleen, less than 1% would vote for William Francis Gates, less than 1% would vote for another candidate, and 15% are undecided. The percentage of likely voters who are undecided has declined since February, resulting in higher levels of support for Markey (46%) and Moulton (33%) but a similar gap between the two as in February. Markey leads among socialists, progressives, those aged 35 to 49, women, and Central Mass and Middlesex County residents, while Moulton's strongest support comes from liberals, those aged 50 to 64, those with a high school education or less, and Western Mass and Essex County residents.

Both Markey and Moulton are popular among likely Democratic primary voters: 62% have a favorable opinion of Markey, 20% have an unfavorable opinion, 15% are neutral, and 3% don't know enough about him to say. Markey's net favorability rating (the percentage who have a favorable rating minus those who are unfavorable) among Democratic primary voters is +42, largely unchanged since February (+44). Forty percent of Democratic primary voters have a favorable opinion of Moulton, 16% have an unfavorable opinion, 28% are neutral, and 16% don't know enough about him to say, yielding a net favorability rating of +24, up from +12 in February. Most likely Democratic primary voters don't know enough to have an opinion on William Francis Gates (72%) or Alex Rikleen (88%).

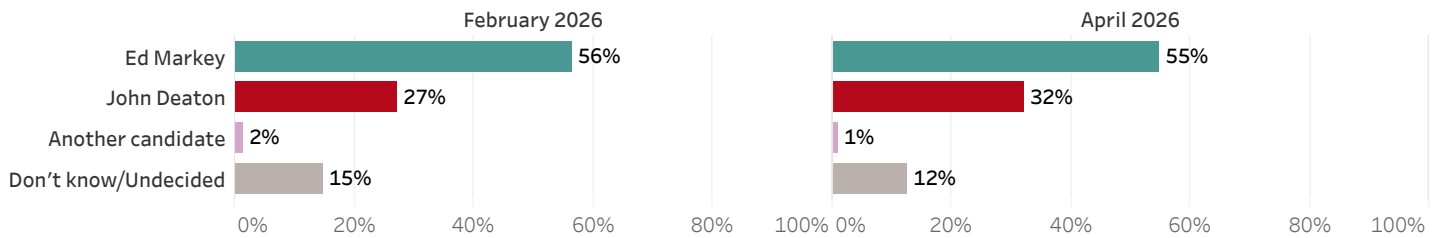
Massachusetts 2026 U.S. Senate Democratic Primary



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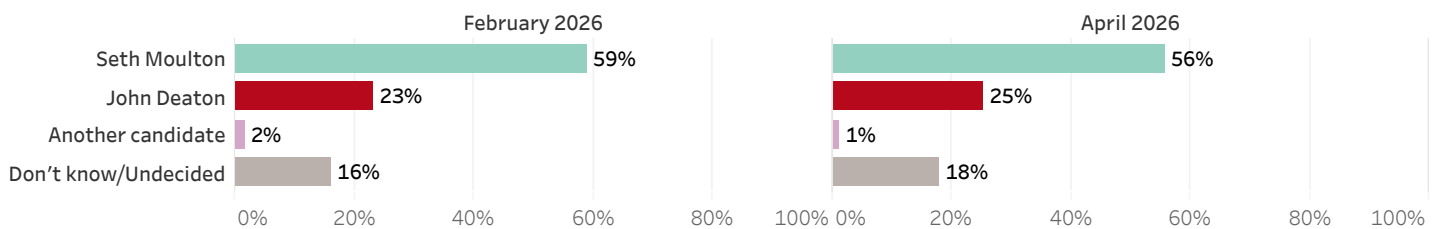
In a general election matchup between Markey and likely Republican opponent John Deaton, 55% of likely general election voters say they would vote for Markey if the general election were held today, 32% would vote for Deaton, 1% would vote for another candidate, and 12% are undecided. Markey's lead over Deaton (23 percentage points) has narrowed since February (29 percentage points). Ninety-two percent of Democrats would vote for Markey while 97% of Republicans would vote for Deaton and a plurality of Independents (44%) are undecided.

Massachusetts 2026 U.S. Senate General Election - Deaton vs. Markey



If Moulton wins the nomination, 56% of likely general election voters say they would vote for Moulton, 25% would vote for Deaton, 1% would vote for another candidate, and 18% are undecided. Moulton's lead over Deaton (31 percentage points) is slightly lower than in February (36 percentage points). Eighty-eight percent of Democrats would vote for Moulton while 77% of Republicans would vote for Deaton and half of Independents (50%) are undecided.

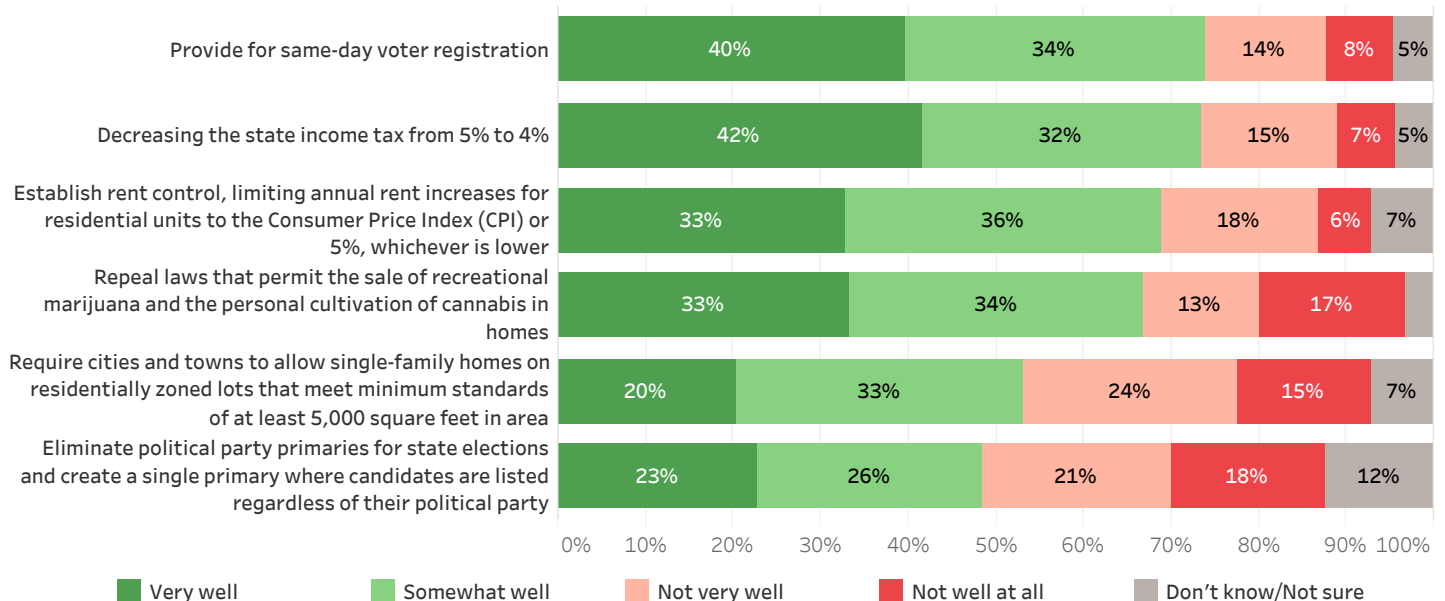
Massachusetts 2026 U.S. Senate General Election - Deaton vs. Moulton



Possible 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Questions

Advocates have collected enough signatures on several proposals through the Commonwealth's initiative petition process to place them on the 2026 general election ballot, depending on the actions of the Legislature and supporters' ability to collect additional signatures. Most likely general election voters in Massachusetts say they understand very or somewhat well the questions providing for same-day voter registration (74%), decreasing the state income tax from 5% to 4% (74%), establishing rent control (69%), and repealing laws that permit the sale of recreational marijuana and cultivation of cannabis in homes (67%). However, only about half of likely voters say they understand very or somewhat well the measure requiring cities and towns to allow single-family homes in appropriate places (53%) or the measure which would eliminate political party primaries and creating a single primary (49%).

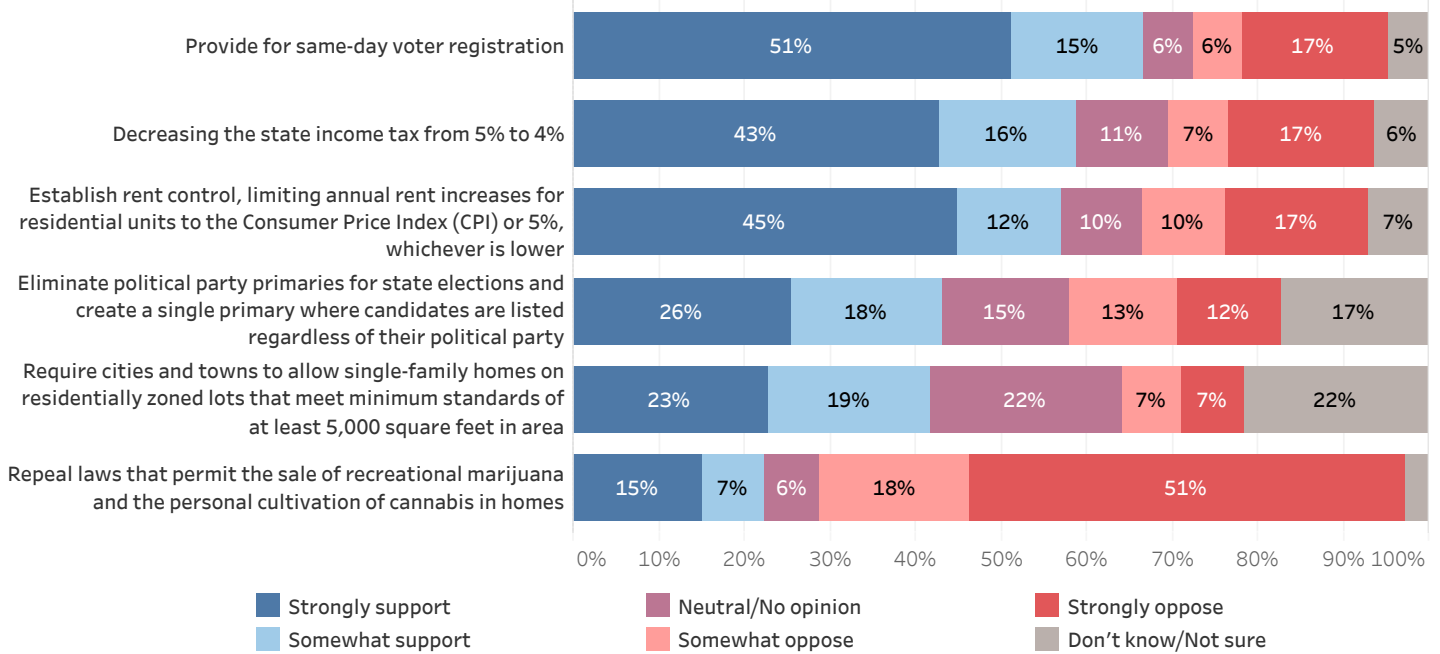
How Well Understand 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Questions - April 2026



Two-thirds of likely general election voters (67%) strongly (51%) or somewhat (15%) support same-day voter registration, 23% strongly (17%) or somewhat (6%) oppose this, 6% are neutral or have no opinion, and 5% are unsure. Majorities also favor decreasing the state income tax from 5% to 4% (59%) and establishing rent control (57%). Pluralities support eliminating political party primaries and creating a single primary (43%) and requiring cities and towns to allow single-family homes in appropriate places (42%), while 69% strongly (51%) or somewhat (18%) oppose repealing laws that permit the sale of recreational marijuana and cultivation of cannabis in homes.

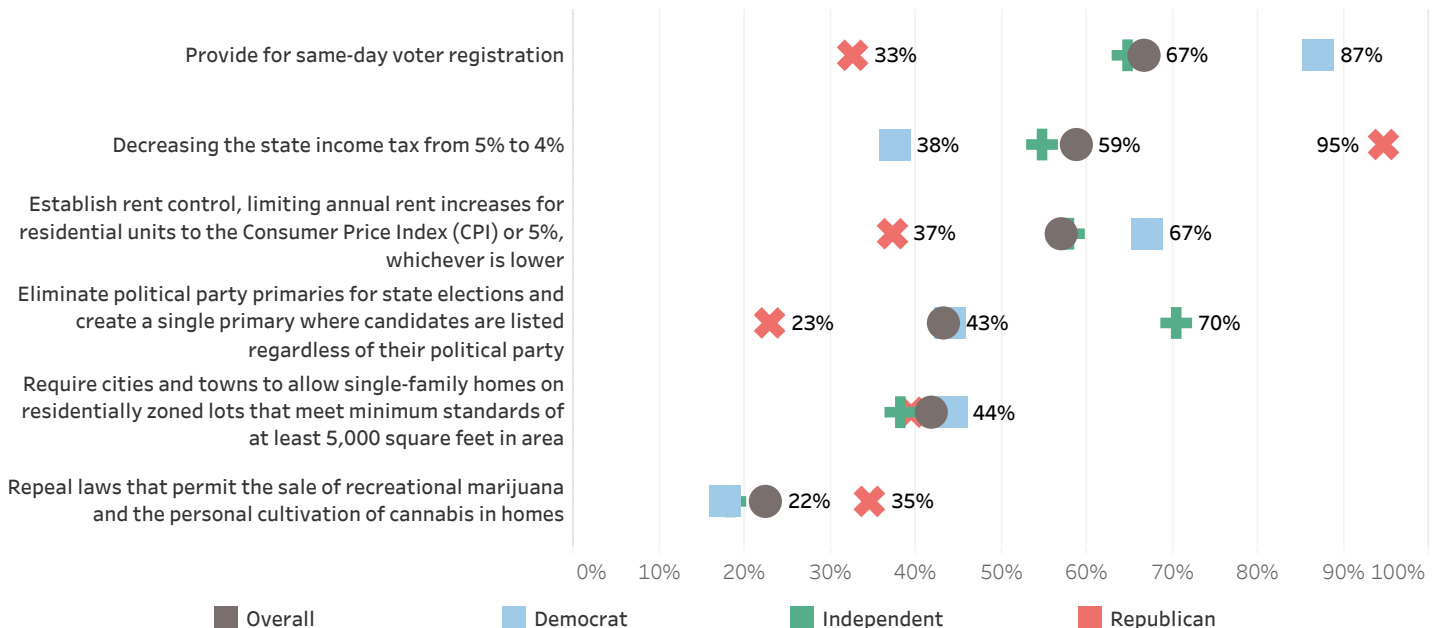
Since February, support has increased for same-day registration (+6 percentage points) and requiring cities and towns to allow single-family homes in appropriate places (+6), while opinions on the other possible questions is largely unchanged.

Support or Oppose Possible 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Questions - April 2026



Most Democrats and Independents support same-day voter registration, but few Republicans do. Similarly, majorities of Democrats and Independents support rent control, but less than half of Republicans do. Nearly all Republicans support decreasing the state income tax from 5% to 4% compared to only about half of Independents and just over a third of Democrats. Independents are more likely than Democrats and Republicans to support eliminating political party primaries and creating a single primary. Few Republicans, Independents, or Democrats support repealing laws that permit the sale of recreational marijuana.

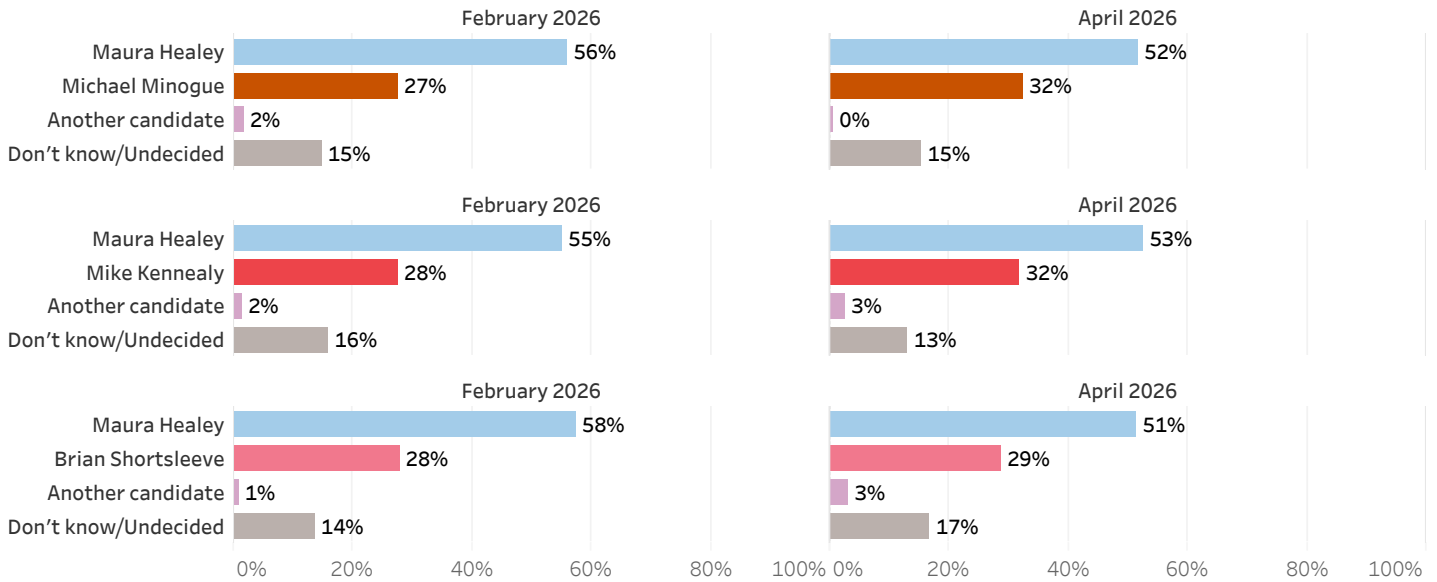
Support Possible 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Questions - by Party ID - April 2026



2026 Massachusetts Gubernatorial Election

In the 2026 election for governor of Massachusetts, Democrat Maura Healey is running for re-election and is the presumptive nominee on the Democratic side. Several candidates have emerged as contenders for the Republican nomination, but each struggle in prospective matchups with Healey. In a contest between Healey and former healthcare executive Michael Minogue, 52% say they would vote for Healey, 32% would vote for Minogue, less than 1% would vote for another candidate, and 15% are undecided. In a matchup with former Massachusetts Secretary of Housing and Economic Development Mike Kennealy, 53% would vote for Healey, 32% would vote for Kennealy, 3% would vote for another candidate, and 13% are undecided. Similarly, in a matchup between Healey and former administrator of the MBTA Brian Shortsleeve, 51% would vote for Healey, 29% would vote for Shortsleeve, 3% would vote for another candidate, and 17% are undecided. These matchups have remained largely unchanged since February.

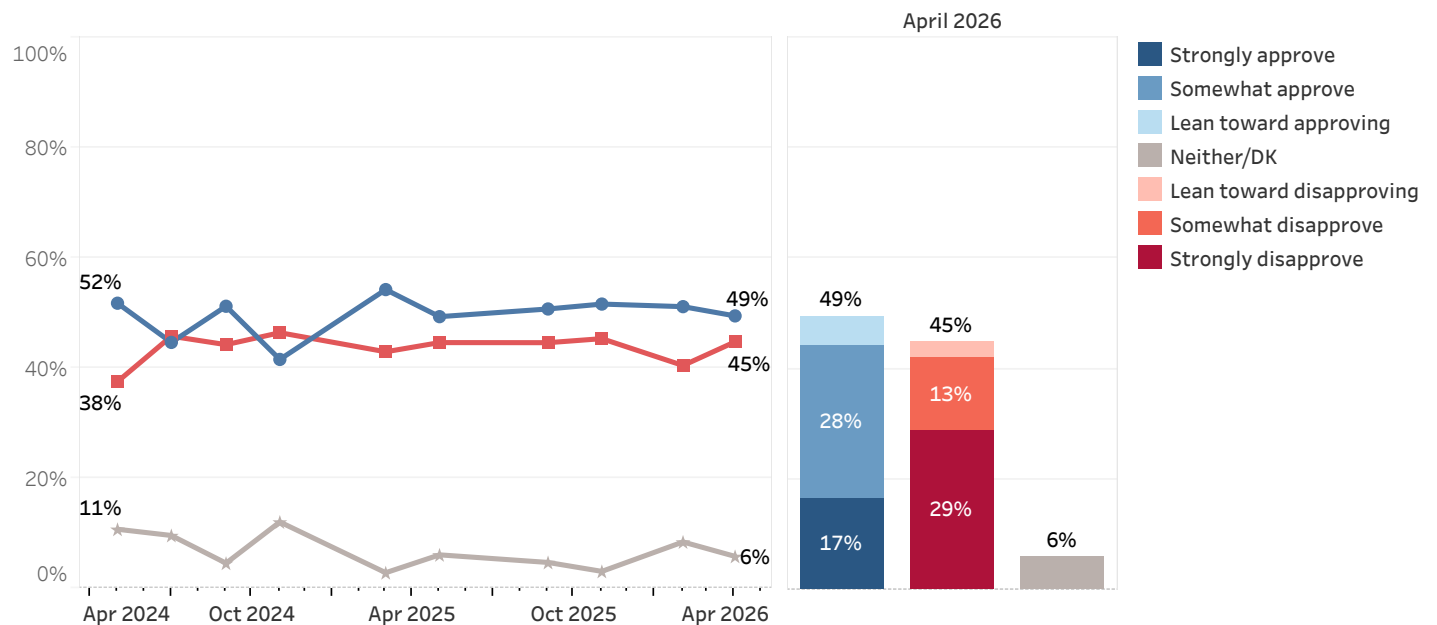
Massachusetts 2026 Gubernatorial General Election Matchups



Approval of Maura Healey

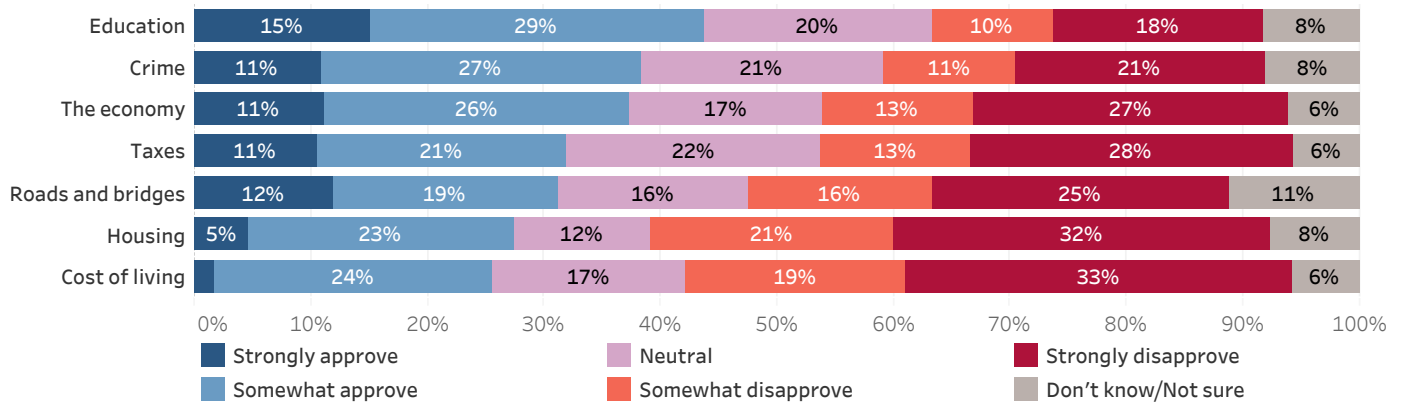
Forty-nine percent of Massachusetts residents approve of Maura Healey's handling of her job as governor, 45% disapprove, and 6% neither approve nor disapprove or are unsure. Healey's net approval rating is +4, down from +11 February. Seventy-five percent of Democrats and 45% of Independents approve of Healey's performance, while only 2% of Republicans approve.

Approval of Governor Healey's Job Performance



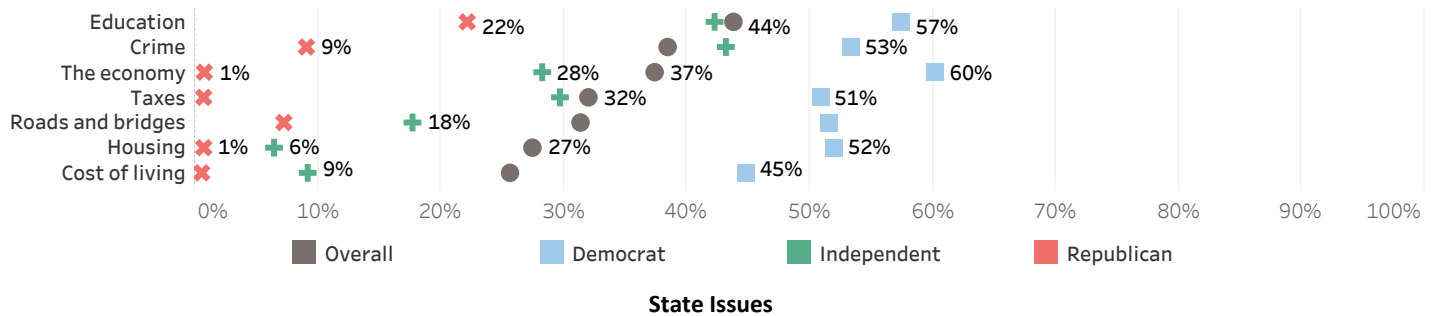
Healey earns the highest marks for her handling of education (44% approve), while residents are divided on her handling of crime (38% approve, 33% disapprove) and the economy (37% approve, 40% disapprove). Pluralities disapprove of Healey's handling of taxes (41%) and roads and bridges (41%). Majorities disapprove of her handling of housing (53%) and the cost of living (52%).

Approval of Governor Healey's Handling of Various Issues - April 2026



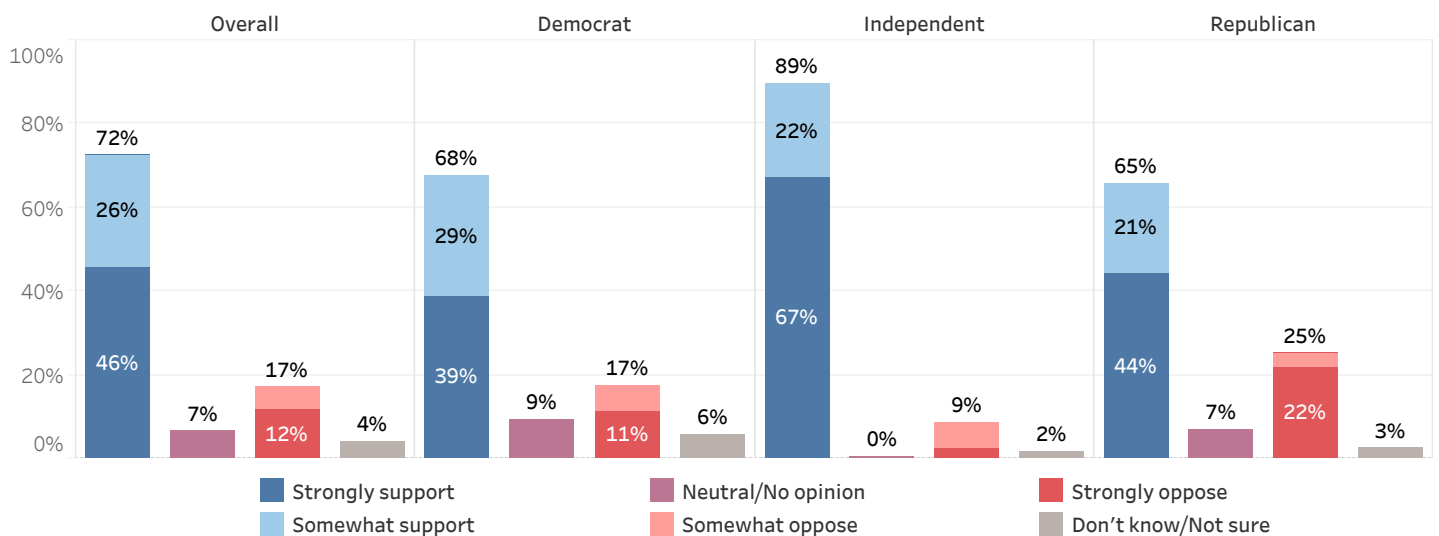
Majorities of Democrats approve of Healey's handling of each of these issues other than the cost of living. Independents are somewhat positive on Healey's handling of education and crime but few approve of her handling of roads and bridges, the cost of living, or housing. Republicans are overwhelmingly negative in their assessment of Healey on these issues apart from education.

Approval of Governor Healey's Handling of Various Issues - by Party ID - April 2026



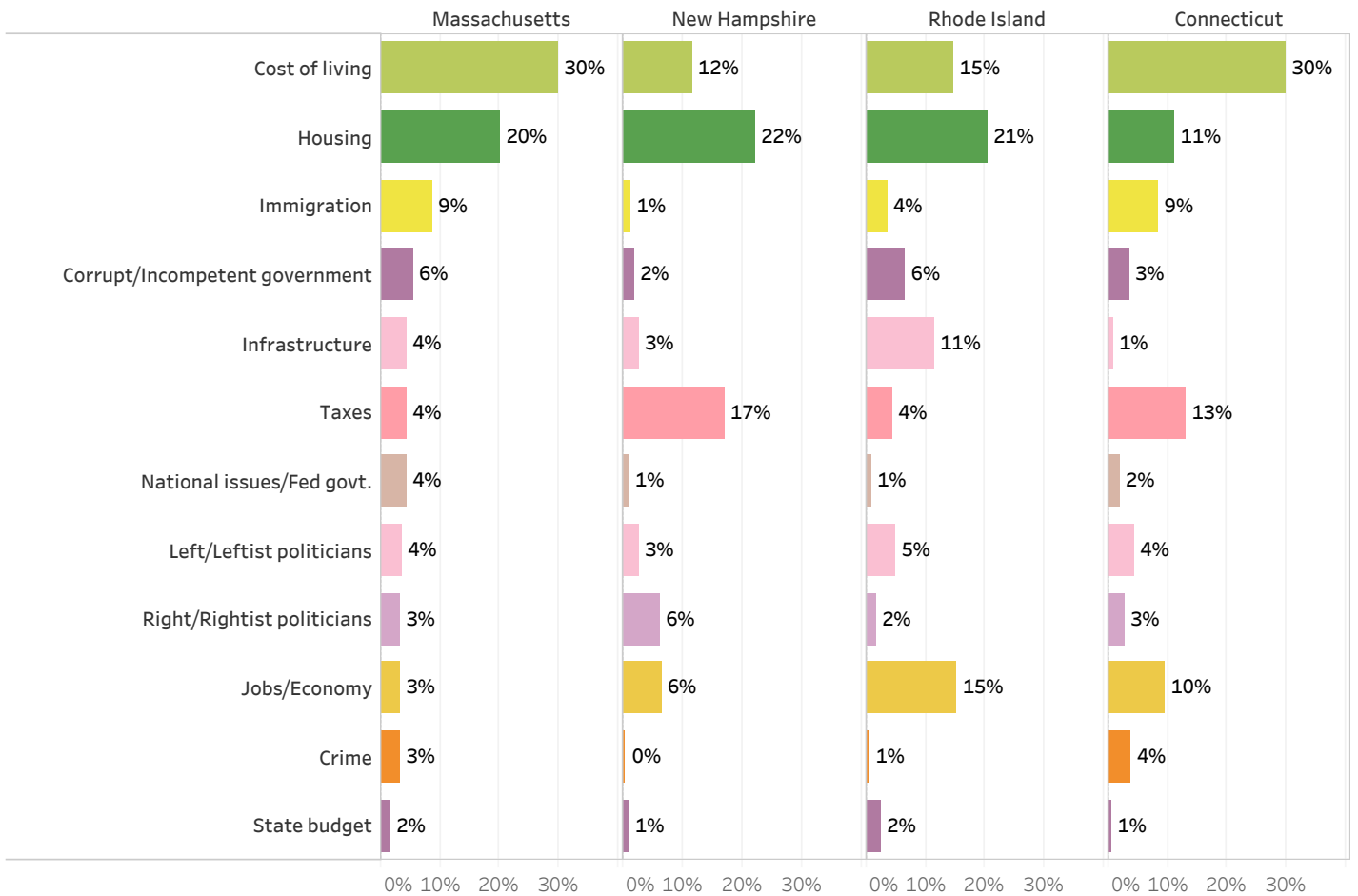
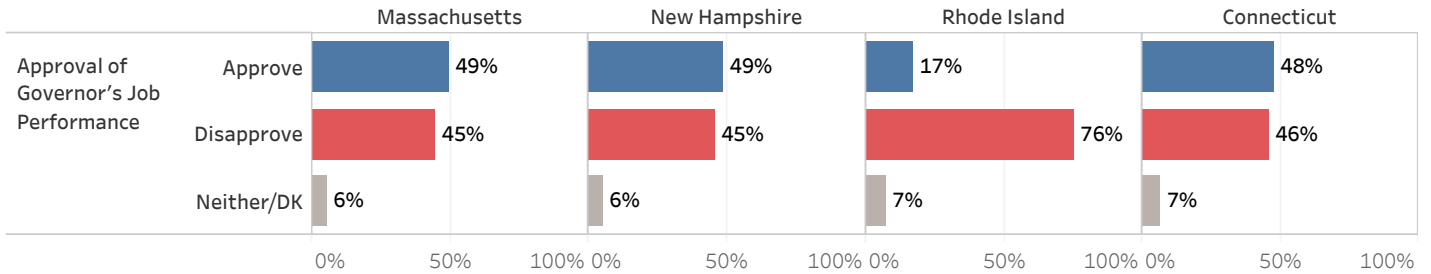
On another topic, the Massachusetts Legislature is considering a bill to ban social media use for all children under the age of 14 and require social media platforms to obtain parental consent for children aged 14-15. Seventy-two percent of Bay Staters strongly (46%) or somewhat (26%) support this bill, only 17% strongly (12%) or somewhat (5%) oppose doing this, 7% are neutral or have no opinion, and 4% don't know or are unsure. Majorities of Independents (89%), Democrats (68%), and Republicans (65%) support this bill.

Support or Oppose Bill Banning Social Media for Children Under 14 and Requiring Parental Consent for Children Aged 14-15 - by Party ID - April 2026



Notable State Differences - April 2026

Approval of Governor Healey largely matches approval of Governor Ayotte among New Hampshire residents and Governor Lamont among Connecticut residents, but is significantly higher than approval of Governor Dan McKee among Rhode Islanders. Massachusetts residents, along with Connecticut residents, are significantly more likely than New Hampshire and Rhode Island residents to say that the cost of living or immigration is the most important problem facing the commonwealth. Massachusetts residents are less likely than residents of other states to say that jobs or the economy is the most important problem.



Bay State Poll Methodology

These findings are based on the latest Bay State Poll, conducted by the University of New Hampshire Survey Center. Bay State Panel members were sent an invitation to complete the survey and 587 completed the survey online, yielding a response rate of 29%. In addition, 134 Massachusetts residents completed the survey after receiving an invitation via text message to complete the survey. Overall, 721 Massachusetts residents completed the survey online between April 16 and April 20. The margin of sampling error for the survey is +/- 3.6 percent.

Included in the sample were 606 likely voters in the 2026 General Election (MOE +/- 4.0 percent). Also included in the sample were 356 likely 2026 Democratic state primary voters (MOE +/- 5.2 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 2.5%.

The Bay State Panel is a probability-based web panel of Massachusetts residents. Approximately 2,500 Massachusetts 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 MA Secretary of State and to 2024 election results in Massachusetts. 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 Bay State Poll, contact Dr. Andrew Smith at (603) 862-2226 or by email at andrew.smith@unh.edu.

April 2026 Bay State Poll Demographics

		%	N
Gender of Respondent	Men	47%	330
	Women	53%	372
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	28%	196
	35 to 49	27%	189
	50 to 64	23%	161
	65 and older	23%	166
Level of Education	High school or less	31%	222
	Tech school/Some college	23%	167
	College graduate	24%	174
	Postgraduate work	21%	153
Region of State	Central MA	12%	86
	Essex	12%	80
	Middlesex	24%	162
	Norfolk/Suffolk	22%	153
	Southern, Cape & Islands	20%	139
	Western MA	10%	68
Party ID	Democrat	51%	357
	Independent	22%	155
	Republican	27%	187
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	27%	186
	Registered Unenrolled	64%	437
	Registered Republican	9%	59
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	34%	243
	Voted for Harris	61%	435
	Voted for other 2024 candidate	2%	16
	Did not vote in 2024	2%	14

Massachusetts 2026 U.S. Senate Democratic Primary

If the 2026 Massachusetts U.S. Senate primary were held today, who would you vote for in the Democratic Primary?

		<u>William Francis Gates</u>	<u>Ed Markey</u>	<u>Seth Moulton</u>	<u>Alex Rikleen</u>	<u>Another candidate</u>	<u>Don't know/ Undecided</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	0%	46%	33%	6%	0%	15%	353
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	1%	66%	17%	3%	0%	14%	138
	Registered Unenrolled	0%	33%	42%	8%	0%	17%	208
Party ID	Democrat	1%	51%	27%	3%	0%	17%	274
	Independent/Republican	0%	25%	56%	16%	0%	3%	71
Political Ideology	Socialist	1%	64%	7%	21%		7%	72
	Progressive	1%	73%	15%	0%	0%	11%	92
	Liberal	0%	29%	43%	0%		28%	82
	Moderate		40%	41%	7%		13%	60
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	1%	43%	26%	18%		13%	98
	35 to 49	1%	51%	27%	1%		20%	103
	50 to 64		42%	51%		0%	6%	76
	65 and older	0%	48%	27%	1%	0%	23%	72
Gender of Respondent	Men	0%	40%	42%	8%	0%	10%	184
	Women	1%	51%	25%	2%		21%	155
Level of Education	High school or less		42%	44%			14%	92
	Tech school/Some college		62%	20%	7%	0%	11%	80
	College graduate	2%	42%	27%	16%		14%	92
	Postgraduate work		40%	37%		0%	23%	86
Children in Household	Children in household	1%	39%	39%	2%		18%	63
	No children in household	0%	55%	27%	1%	0%	16%	223
Region of State	Central MA	0%	53%	28%	7%		11%	38
	Essex		33%	64%		1%	3%	26
	Middlesex	0%	52%	25%	0%		22%	71
	Norfolk/Suffolk		49%	30%			21%	100
	Southern, Cape & Islands		43%	25%	22%	0%	10%	62
	Western MA	4%	29%	54%	6%		7%	39
Household Income	\$45,000 - \$74,999		89%	5%	1%		4%	45
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	3%	57%	12%	1%	0%	26%	37
	\$150,000 or more		40%	44%			16%	91
Media Usage	CNN viewer	0%	38%	47%		0%	15%	104
	Local MA news viewer	1%	61%	32%	0%	0%	7%	181
	MS NOW viewer		37%	41%			22%	76
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Harris	0%	48%	29%	6%		16%	310
	Voted for Trump	0%	30%	65%	4%	0%	0%	34

Favorability - Ed Markey - Likely DEM Primary Voters

Below is a list of public figures in Massachusetts. 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 - Ed Markey

		<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	62%	15%	20%	3%	356
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	81%	8%	6%	5%	140
	Registered Unenrolled	49%	20%	30%	1%	209
Party ID	Democrat	75%	16%	7%	2%	277
	Independent/Republican	19%	12%	70%		71
Political Ideology	Socialist	66%	14%	19%	1%	72
	Progressive	88%	4%	6%	2%	92
	Liberal	68%	24%	7%	2%	82
	Moderate	43%	32%	23%	2%	63
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	52%	5%	40%	3%	98
	35 to 49	63%	18%	16%	3%	106
	50 to 64	72%	14%	13%	2%	76
	65 and older	66%	26%	6%	2%	72
Gender of Respondent	Men	53%	13%	34%	1%	187
	Women	73%	20%	5%	3%	155
Level of Education	High school or less	64%	11%	22%	3%	92
	Tech school/Some college	72%	13%	13%	2%	82
	College graduate	50%	16%	32%	2%	93
	Postgraduate work	64%	21%	12%	3%	86
Children in Household	Children in household	58%	19%	19%	5%	63
	No children in household	73%	16%	9%	1%	223
Region of State	Central MA	72%	13%	5%	10%	38
	Essex	50%	8%	42%		26
	Middlesex	60%	28%	12%		73
	Norfolk/Suffolk	70%	16%	11%	3%	100
	Southern, Cape & Islands	59%	15%	22%	4%	62
	Western MA	44%	3%	52%	0%	39
Household Income	\$45,000 - \$74,999	95%	3%	2%		45
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	79%	10%	8%	3%	37
	\$150,000 or more	56%	19%	22%	2%	92
Media Usage	CNN viewer	68%	22%	9%	2%	105
	Local MA news viewer	78%	12%	7%	2%	181
	MS NOW viewer	66%	24%	7%	3%	77
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Harris	68%	17%	13%	2%	310
	Voted for Trump	24%		76%		37

Favorability - Seth Moulton - Likely DEM Primary Voters

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		<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	40%	28%	16%	16%	355
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	29%	35%	25%	11%	139
	Registered Unenrolled	46%	25%	10%	19%	209
Party ID	Democrat	40%	33%	17%	11%	276
	Independent/Republican	47%	9%	13%	31%	71
Political Ideology	Socialist	9%	31%	35%	24%	72
	Progressive	36%	40%	19%	6%	92
	Liberal	55%	27%	3%	14%	82
	Moderate	39%	26%	13%	22%	63
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	33%	21%	25%	20%	98
	35 to 49	26%	42%	21%	12%	106
	50 to 64	60%	19%	7%	14%	76
	65 and older	48%	28%	5%	19%	72
Gender of Respondent	Men	44%	23%	14%	19%	187
	Women	39%	32%	18%	10%	154
Level of Education	High school or less	50%	39%		12%	92
	Tech school/Some college	35%	21%	22%	23%	82
	College graduate	27%	28%	26%	20%	92
	Postgraduate work	48%	25%	16%	10%	86
Children in Household	Children in household	44%	26%	19%	11%	63
	No children in household	37%	32%	16%	14%	222
Region of State	Central MA	47%	11%	21%	21%	38
	Essex	61%	27%	5%	7%	26
	Middlesex	34%	23%	34%	9%	73
	Norfolk/Suffolk	29%	51%	8%	12%	100
	Southern, Cape & Islands	44%	15%	4%	37%	62
	Western MA	62%	19%	5%	13%	38
Household Income	\$45,000 - \$74,999	21%	34%	27%	18%	45
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	22%	10%	28%	39%	37
	\$150,000 or more	52%	30%	11%	8%	92
Media Usage	CNN viewer	51%	29%	11%	9%	105
	Local MA news viewer	36%	31%	19%	14%	180
	MS NOW viewer	56%	25%	5%	14%	77
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Harris	38%	32%	16%	14%	309
	Voted for Trump	57%	2%	17%	24%	37

Favorability - Alex Rikleen - Likely DEM Primary Voters

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		<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	6%	4%	2%	88%	354
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	4%	5%	3%	88%	138
	Registered Unenrolled	8%	3%	2%	87%	209
Party ID	Democrat	4%	5%	3%	89%	275
	Independent/Republican	16%	0%	1%	82%	71
Political Ideology	Socialist	24%	0%	0%	76%	72
	Progressive	2%	6%	1%	91%	91
	Liberal	0%	6%	5%	88%	81
	Moderate	3%	5%	4%	88%	63
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	19%	2%		80%	98
	35 to 49	2%	5%	4%	89%	105
	50 to 64		6%	3%	91%	76
	65 and older	3%	3%	2%	92%	72
Gender of Respondent	Men	9%	3%	3%	85%	187
	Women	3%	5%	2%	90%	153
Level of Education	High school or less				100%	92
	Tech school/Some college	3%	7%	4%	87%	82
	College graduate	19%	1%	3%	77%	92
	Postgraduate work	2%	9%	3%	86%	85
Children in Household	Children in household	6%	3%	2%	89%	62
	No children in household	2%	5%	2%	91%	222
Region of State	Central MA	10%	1%	2%	86%	38
	Essex	0%	2%	2%	96%	26
	Middlesex	2%	4%	6%	88%	73
	Norfolk/Suffolk	2%	5%	2%	92%	100
	Southern, Cape & Islands	22%	4%	1%	73%	62
	Western MA	2%	2%	0%	96%	38
Household Income	\$45,000 - \$74,999	2%	1%	1%	96%	44
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	3%	7%	3%	87%	37
	\$150,000 or more	0%	7%	3%	90%	91
Media Usage	CNN viewer	1%	4%	2%	93%	104
	Local MA news viewer	2%	4%	2%	92%	180
	MS NOW viewer	1%	6%	3%	91%	77
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	Voted for Trump	1%	0%	6%	93%	37

Favorability - William Francis Gates - Likely DEM Primary Voters

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		<u>Favorable</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Unfavorable</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	12%	13%	3%	72%	354
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	13%	10%	3%	74%	138
	Registered Unenrolled	12%	16%	3%	69%	209
Party ID	Democrat	10%	16%	3%	71%	275
	Independent/Republican	21%	3%	2%	73%	71
Political Ideology	Socialist	31%	5%	1%	62%	72
	Progressive	9%	16%	2%	73%	92
	Liberal	6%	23%	3%	69%	81
	Moderate	12%	12%	7%	69%	62
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	25%	4%	1%	70%	97
	35 to 49	7%	13%	5%	76%	106
	50 to 64	7%	14%	3%	76%	76
	65 and older	10%	27%	1%	62%	72
Gender of Respondent	Men	11%	10%	4%	75%	186
	Women	14%	18%	2%	66%	154
Level of Education	High school or less		17%		83%	92
	Tech school/Some college	14%	10%	4%	72%	82
	College graduate	21%	12%	3%	63%	91
	Postgraduate work	15%	14%	4%	67%	86
Children in Household	Children in household	21%	15%	2%	62%	62
	No children in household	7%	16%	2%	75%	222
Region of State	Central MA	30%	3%		67%	37
	Essex	7%	12%	1%	80%	26
	Middlesex	11%	8%	5%	76%	73
	Norfolk/Suffolk	6%	17%	3%	74%	100
	Southern, Cape & Islands	24%	23%	3%	49%	62
	Western MA	5%	2%	0%	93%	38
Household Income	\$45,000 - \$74,999	19%	13%		68%	44
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	14%	3%	1%	82%	37
	\$150,000 or more	10%	16%	4%	70%	92
Media Usage	CNN viewer	16%	17%	1%	65%	104
	Local MA news viewer	10%	8%	2%	80%	179
	MS NOW viewer	10%	25%	2%	63%	77
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Harris	14%	14%	2%	70%	308
	Voted for Trump		5%	11%	84%	37

Massachusetts 2026 U.S. Senate General Election - Deaton vs. Markey

If the 2026 general election for U.S. Senate in Massachusetts was being held today with the following candidates, which candidate would you vote for?

		<u>John Deaton</u>	<u>Ed Markey</u>	<u>Another candidate</u>	<u>Don't know/Undecided</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	32%	55%	1%	12%	603
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	4%	91%	1%	3%	137
	Registered Unenrolled	35%	47%	1%	17%	397
	Registered Republican	94%	6%		1%	44
Party ID	Democrat	3%	92%	1%	4%	284
	Independent	15%	40%	1%	44%	132
	Republican	97%	1%		2%	166
Political Ideology	Socialist	1%	80%	0%	18%	88
	Progressive		97%	2%	1%	97
	Liberal	5%	91%	1%	2%	92
	Moderate	43%	42%	0%	15%	145
	Conservative	95%	3%	1%	2%	80
	Libertarian	81%	1%	4%	14%	31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	33%	53%	1%	13%	155
	35 to 49	23%	65%	1%	12%	150
	50 to 64	33%	50%	2%	16%	138
	65 and older	40%	50%	0%	10%	156
Gender of Respondent	Men	41%	54%	1%	4%	298
	Women	23%	55%	1%	21%	288
Level of Education	High school or less	46%	47%		7%	171
	Tech school/Some college	39%	46%	1%	15%	144
	College graduate	22%	56%	1%	21%	160
	Postgraduate work	17%	74%	2%	6%	124
Children in Household	Children in household	31%	60%	0%	8%	97
	No children in household	27%	59%	1%	13%	389
Region of State	Central MA	25%	44%	0%	31%	79
	Essex	48%	43%	1%	8%	60
	Middlesex	29%	58%	1%	12%	130
	Norfolk/Suffolk	17%	73%	2%	8%	125
	Southern, Cape & Islands	29%	54%		17%	118
	Western MA	62%	37%		1%	61
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	29%	70%		1%	38
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	16%	78%	0%	6%	61
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	33%	38%	1%	28%	37
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	13%	53%		34%	63
	\$150,000 or more	27%	61%	1%	10%	150
Media Usage	CNN viewer	16%	76%	1%	7%	141
	Conservative radio listener	87%	3%		10%	64
	Fox News viewer	79%	15%		6%	96
	Joe Rogan listener	69%	11%		20%	21
	Local MA news viewer	24%	67%	1%	8%	277
	MS NOW viewer	25%	68%	1%	6%	110
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	87%	2%		10%	199
	Voted for Harris	4%	85%	1%	11%	375

Massachusetts 2026 U.S. Senate General Election - Deaton vs. Moulton

If the 2026 general election for U.S. Senate in Massachusetts was being held today with the following candidates, which candidate would you vote for?

		<u>John Deaton</u>	<u>Seth Moulton</u>	<u>Another candidate</u>	<u>Don't know/Undecided</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	25%	56%	1%	18%	600
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	4%	86%	2%	8%	135
	Registered Unenrolled	26%	52%	1%	21%	395
	Registered Republican	85%	6%		9%	46
Party ID	Democrat	2%	88%	1%	8%	280
	Independent	10%	38%	3%	50%	131
	Republican	77%	19%		4%	167
Political Ideology	Socialist		63%	2%	35%	86
	Progressive	1%	88%	1%	10%	94
	Liberal	5%	91%	0%	3%	92
	Moderate	34%	45%	3%	19%	147
	Conservative	88%	5%		7%	82
	Libertarian	71%	13%		16%	31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	16%	57%	1%	25%	156
	35 to 49	17%	66%		18%	146
	50 to 64	32%	54%	1%	13%	137
	65 and older	37%	46%	3%	15%	156
Gender of Respondent	Men	29%	61%	1%	9%	297
	Women	21%	50%	2%	27%	286
Level of Education	High school or less	30%	58%		12%	171
	Tech school/Some college	38%	44%	3%	16%	143
	College graduate	19%	52%	1%	27%	159
	Postgraduate work	12%	70%	1%	17%	123
Children in Household	Children in household	22%	71%	4%	4%	96
	No children in household	25%	52%	1%	22%	386
Region of State	Central MA	24%	40%	5%	32%	79
	Essex	48%	49%	0%	2%	59
	Middlesex	23%	50%	2%	26%	132
	Norfolk/Suffolk	16%	69%	0%	14%	125
	Southern, Cape & Islands	28%	48%		23%	118
	Western MA	15%	83%	0%	2%	60
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	31%	36%	5%	29%	35
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	11%	77%	0%	11%	60
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	30%	39%	0%	31%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	12%	36%	7%	45%	63
	\$150,000 or more	21%	69%	0%	10%	148
Media Usage	CNN viewer	9%	83%	0%	9%	142
	Conservative radio listener	87%	3%		10%	64
	Fox News viewer	72%	19%	4%	6%	96
	Joe Rogan listener	69%	11%		21%	21
	Local MA news viewer	19%	63%	2%	16%	275
	MS NOW viewer	24%	70%	0%	5%	108
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	70%	16%	2%	12%	201
	Voted for Harris	3%	78%	1%	18%	372

How Well Understand 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Question - Decrease State Income Tax from 5% to 4%

How well do you feel you understand the following proposed ballot questions that may be on the general election ballot in November? Decreasing the state income tax from 5% to 4%

		<u>Very well</u>	<u>Somewhat well</u>	<u>Not very well</u>	<u>Not well at all</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	42%	32%	15%	7%	5%	602
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	25%	35%	24%	9%	7%	138
	Registered Unenrolled	46%	32%	12%	7%	4%	401
	Registered Republican	56%	30%	13%	0%	1%	40
Party ID	Democrat	31%	34%	24%	7%	4%	286
	Independent	33%	38%	7%	12%	9%	132
	Republican	64%	26%	7%	2%	1%	162
Political Ideology	Socialist	45%	34%	10%	8%	4%	88
	Progressive	17%	54%	23%	4%	2%	97
	Liberal	44%	30%	17%	7%	3%	92
	Moderate	38%	34%	13%	12%	4%	147
	Conservative	68%	16%	11%	4%	0%	76
	Libertarian	58%	30%	7%	5%		31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	50%	31%	10%	6%	2%	151
	35 to 49	36%	41%	16%	3%	4%	150
	50 to 64	42%	21%	20%	14%	3%	140
	65 and older	39%	34%	16%	4%	8%	157
Gender of Respondent	Men	58%	25%	13%	3%	1%	295
	Women	24%	41%	17%	10%	7%	290
Level of Education	High school or less	54%	31%	8%		7%	171
	Tech school/Some college	36%	29%	19%	15%	2%	139
	College graduate	38%	38%	12%	6%	6%	162
	Postgraduate work	36%	27%	26%	8%	2%	125
Children in Household	Children in household	51%	20%	18%	10%	1%	97
	No children in household	38%	37%	15%	7%	2%	391
Region of State	Central MA	36%	31%	16%	13%	4%	79
	Essex	27%	45%	23%	2%	2%	60
	Middlesex	48%	12%	18%	7%	14%	133
	Norfolk/Suffolk	37%	43%	10%	7%	3%	126
	Southern, Cape & Islands	45%	33%	16%	5%	1%	113
	Western MA	61%	26%	13%	1%	0%	61
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	66%	12%	19%	3%	0%	38
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	43%	21%	21%	7%	9%	61
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	48%	29%	18%	4%	1%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	19%	46%	16%	18%	2%	63
	\$150,000 or more	38%	27%	21%	12%	2%	150
Media Usage	CNN viewer	50%	31%	12%	4%	4%	142
	Conservative radio listener	47%	41%	7%	5%		64
	Fox News viewer	51%	35%	7%	7%	0%	97
	Joe Rogan listener	43%	34%	23%			21
	Local MA news viewer	39%	35%	13%	11%	2%	278
	MS NOW viewer	38%	45%	11%	4%	2%	111
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	57%	29%	6%	6%	2%	196
	Voted for Harris	35%	35%	20%	7%	3%	378

How Well Understand 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Question - Repeal Recreational Marijuana Laws

How well do you feel you understand the following proposed ballot questions that may be on the general election ballot in November? Repeal laws that permit the sale of recreational marijuana and the personal cultivation of cannabis in homes

		<u>Very well</u>	<u>Somewhat well</u>	<u>Not very well</u>	<u>Not well at all</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	33%	34%	13%	17%	3%	602
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	29%	40%	16%	11%	3%	138
	Registered Unenrolled	33%	30%	13%	21%	3%	401
	Registered Republican	55%	33%	5%	5%	1%	40
Party ID	Democrat	37%	35%	18%	9%	1%	286
	Independent	26%	39%	6%	19%	9%	132
	Republican	32%	25%	10%	31%	1%	162
Political Ideology	Socialist	54%	30%	11%	5%	0%	88
	Progressive	17%	61%	14%	8%	1%	97
	Liberal	45%	31%	14%	8%	1%	92
	Moderate	27%	23%	16%	31%	2%	148
	Conservative	41%	38%	14%	4%	2%	76
	Libertarian	50%	31%	15%	4%		31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	38%	35%	8%	19%		151
	35 to 49	35%	36%	12%	13%	3%	150
	50 to 64	31%	30%	20%	17%	3%	140
	65 and older	30%	34%	11%	18%	7%	157
Gender of Respondent	Men	40%	34%	11%	14%	1%	295
	Women	25%	35%	15%	20%	5%	291
Level of Education	High school or less	27%	38%	1%	26%	7%	171
	Tech school/Some college	36%	23%	18%	22%	1%	139
	College graduate	38%	36%	16%	7%	3%	162
	Postgraduate work	33%	37%	18%	11%	1%	125
Children in Household	Children in household	47%	16%	18%	18%	1%	97
	No children in household	31%	42%	12%	15%	1%	392
Region of State	Central MA	37%	38%	8%	14%	4%	79
	Essex	23%	26%	8%	42%	2%	60
	Middlesex	31%	33%	13%	13%	9%	133
	Norfolk/Suffolk	43%	43%	5%	8%	2%	126
	Southern, Cape & Islands	35%	36%	23%	4%	1%	113
	Western MA	26%	13%	13%	48%	0%	61
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	43%	42%	4%	11%		38
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	43%	26%	23%	8%	0%	61
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	36%	40%	16%	8%	0%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	24%	46%	10%	19%	1%	63
	\$150,000 or more	34%	31%	16%	18%	1%	150
Media Usage	CNN viewer	39%	36%	12%	13%	1%	142
	Conservative radio listener	28%	30%	13%	29%	0%	64
	Fox News viewer	39%	11%	13%	36%	1%	97
	Joe Rogan listener	55%	7%	38%			21
	Local MA news viewer	33%	32%	14%	21%	1%	278
	MS NOW viewer	38%	28%	11%	21%	1%	111
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	29%	27%	11%	31%	2%	196
	Voted for Harris	37%	38%	14%	10%	1%	378

How Well Understand 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Question - Require Allowing Single-Family Homes on Appropriate Lots

How well do you feel you understand the following proposed ballot questions that may be on the general election ballot in November? Require cities and towns to allow single-family homes on residentially zoned lots that meet minimum standards of at least 5,000 square feet in area

		<u>Very well</u>	<u>Somewhat well</u>	<u>Not very well</u>	<u>Not well at all</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	20%	33%	24%	15%	7%	600
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	9%	32%	32%	16%	12%	138
	Registered Unenrolled	26%	37%	22%	11%	4%	398
	Registered Republican	9%	14%	17%	37%	24%	40
Party ID	Democrat	15%	35%	32%	13%	5%	284
	Independent	17%	33%	25%	15%	10%	132
	Republican	31%	33%	12%	16%	8%	162
Political Ideology	Socialist	14%	35%	34%	8%	9%	88
	Progressive	11%	44%	35%	9%	2%	97
	Liberal	20%	42%	24%	10%	3%	90
	Moderate	19%	24%	23%	29%	4%	148
	Conservative	17%	31%	21%	17%	14%	76
	Libertarian	28%	33%	9%	29%		31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	26%	19%	30%	20%	4%	151
	35 to 49	19%	40%	26%	9%	6%	148
	50 to 64	16%	36%	23%	20%	5%	140
	65 and older	20%	35%	19%	13%	14%	157
Gender of Respondent	Men	26%	36%	26%	9%	4%	293
	Women	13%	31%	24%	22%	10%	291
Level of Education	High school or less	27%	48%	8%	5%	12%	171
	Tech school/Some college	19%	28%	26%	25%	2%	137
	College graduate	13%	29%	34%	16%	8%	162
	Postgraduate work	22%	20%	34%	18%	6%	125
Children in Household	Children in household	26%	14%	43%	13%	4%	97
	No children in household	19%	42%	19%	16%	5%	389
Region of State	Central MA	6%	30%	25%	22%	16%	79
	Essex	27%	38%	26%	7%	3%	60
	Middlesex	17%	32%	22%	14%	15%	133
	Norfolk/Suffolk	20%	48%	16%	13%	4%	124
	Southern, Cape & Islands	14%	30%	33%	21%	2%	113
	Western MA	57%	19%	20%	4%	1%	61
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	19%	2%	25%	32%	22%	38
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	31%	12%	40%	9%	7%	61
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	10%	47%	19%	20%	4%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	12%	45%	23%	17%	3%	63
	\$150,000 or more	25%	18%	30%	23%	3%	148
Media Usage	CNN viewer	22%	33%	25%	14%	4%	140
	Conservative radio listener	11%	60%	10%	18%	1%	64
	Fox News viewer	30%	24%	10%	27%	10%	97
	Joe Rogan listener	5%	5%	30%	58%	1%	21
	Local MA news viewer	20%	33%	23%	21%	3%	276
	MS NOW viewer	14%	54%	13%	17%	2%	111
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	28%	33%	12%	19%	8%	196
	Voted for Harris	17%	34%	31%	14%	4%	376

How Well Understand 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Question - Institute Same Day Registration

How well do you feel you understand the following proposed ballot questions that may be on the general election ballot in November? Provide for same-day voter registration

		<u>Very well</u>	<u>Somewhat well</u>	<u>Not very well</u>	<u>Not well at all</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	40%	34%	14%	8%	5%	598
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	35%	41%	15%	4%	5%	138
	Registered Unenrolled	41%	31%	14%	10%	5%	397
	Registered Republican	61%	24%	10%	4%	2%	40
Party ID	Democrat	41%	40%	13%	3%	3%	282
	Independent	30%	42%	11%	8%	9%	132
	Republican	48%	15%	19%	16%	2%	162
Political Ideology	Socialist	54%	33%	8%	1%	4%	88
	Progressive	35%	59%	3%	2%	1%	95
	Liberal	51%	31%	14%	4%	1%	90
	Moderate	25%	36%	18%	18%	3%	148
	Conservative	43%	12%	36%	8%	1%	76
	Libertarian	35%	30%	7%	14%	14%	31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	50%	36%	7%	1%	6%	151
	35 to 49	42%	39%	12%	4%	3%	148
	50 to 64	37%	22%	29%	10%	3%	139
	65 and older	31%	38%	8%	16%	7%	157
Gender of Respondent	Men	50%	29%	14%	4%	1%	293
	Women	27%	40%	14%	11%	7%	289
Level of Education	High school or less	41%	33%	9%	10%	7%	171
	Tech school/Some college	43%	24%	21%	11%	1%	135
	College graduate	34%	42%	14%	2%	7%	162
	Postgraduate work	43%	36%	12%	8%	2%	125
Children in Household	Children in household	55%	19%	20%	6%	1%	97
	No children in household	34%	43%	12%	9%	2%	388
Region of State	Central MA	36%	42%	10%	9%	4%	79
	Essex	34%	25%	9%	30%	1%	60
	Middlesex	33%	26%	25%	3%	12%	133
	Norfolk/Suffolk	40%	45%	8%	5%	2%	124
	Southern, Cape & Islands	33%	37%	19%	6%	4%	111
	Western MA	69%	24%	5%	1%	1%	61
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	44%	41%	11%	4%		38
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	49%	35%	9%	2%	5%	61
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	38%	44%	15%	3%	1%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	26%	51%	17%	5%	1%	63
	\$150,000 or more	41%	36%	13%	10%	1%	146
Media Usage	CNN viewer	50%	39%	4%	2%	6%	138
	Conservative radio listener	21%	7%	29%	36%	7%	64
	Fox News viewer	48%	14%	9%	24%	5%	97
	Joe Rogan listener	31%	25%	16%	9%	20%	21
	Local MA news viewer	40%	34%	10%	12%	3%	274
	MS NOW viewer	42%	31%	5%	17%	5%	110
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	39%	21%	22%	14%	3%	196
	Voted for Harris	42%	42%	9%	4%	3%	374

How Well Understand 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Question - Establish Rent Control

How well do you feel you understand the following proposed ballot questions that may be on the general election ballot in November? Establish rent control, limiting annual rent increases for residential units to the Consumer Price Index (CPI) or 5%, whichever is lower

		<u>Very well</u>	<u>Somewhat well</u>	<u>Not very well</u>	<u>Not well at all</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	33%	36%	18%	6%	7%	601
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	24%	40%	20%	9%	7%	137
	Registered Unenrolled	33%	34%	19%	5%	8%	401
	Registered Republican	53%	37%	4%	4%	2%	40
Party ID	Democrat	29%	44%	18%	6%	3%	286
	Independent	36%	39%	9%	8%	7%	132
	Republican	36%	20%	26%	5%	13%	162
Political Ideology	Socialist	55%	31%	7%	3%	4%	88
	Progressive	26%	57%	13%	2%	1%	97
	Liberal	30%	43%	18%	6%	3%	92
	Moderate	29%	29%	17%	11%	14%	147
	Conservative	40%	20%	26%	12%	2%	76
	Libertarian	53%	39%	5%	3%		31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	54%	24%	17%	2%	3%	151
	35 to 49	28%	51%	10%	7%	4%	150
	50 to 64	26%	32%	28%	12%	2%	140
	65 and older	24%	34%	18%	4%	19%	157
Gender of Respondent	Men	35%	34%	24%	4%	2%	295
	Women	28%	39%	12%	9%	12%	290
Level of Education	High school or less	26%	31%	26%		17%	171
	Tech school/Some college	30%	34%	18%	15%	2%	139
	College graduate	43%	40%	9%	5%	4%	162
	Postgraduate work	33%	38%	19%	7%	4%	125
Children in Household	Children in household	44%	25%	22%	7%	2%	97
	No children in household	32%	41%	15%	6%	6%	391
Region of State	Central MA	51%	24%	8%	11%	6%	78
	Essex	24%	30%	14%	1%	31%	60
	Middlesex	29%	29%	23%	9%	11%	133
	Norfolk/Suffolk	42%	46%	4%	5%	3%	126
	Southern, Cape & Islands	31%	42%	23%	4%	1%	113
	Western MA	20%	32%	46%	2%	1%	61
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	64%	27%	8%	1%	0%	38
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	30%	36%	24%	5%	5%	61
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	38%	42%	18%	3%	0%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	41%	42%	13%	2%	1%	63
	\$150,000 or more	35%	36%	14%	14%	2%	150
Media Usage	CNN viewer	39%	46%	8%	3%	3%	142
	Conservative radio listener	22%	12%	32%	7%	27%	64
	Fox News viewer	49%	18%	10%	5%	18%	97
	Joe Rogan listener	42%	25%	16%	16%		21
	Local MA news viewer	34%	40%	12%	6%	8%	278
	MS NOW viewer	30%	37%	12%	3%	17%	111
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	30%	27%	25%	8%	11%	196
	Voted for Harris	35%	43%	14%	6%	2%	377

How Well Understand 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Question - Create Non-Partisan Primaries

How well do you feel you understand the following proposed ballot questions that may be on the general election ballot in November? Eliminate political party primaries for state elections and create a single primary where candidates are listed regardless of their political party

		<u>Very well</u>	<u>Somewhat well</u>	<u>Not very well</u>	<u>Not well at all</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	23%	26%	21%	18%	12%	602
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	17%	37%	23%	14%	9%	138
	Registered Unenrolled	26%	22%	22%	18%	12%	401
	Registered Republican	25%	22%	7%	16%	31%	40
Party ID	Democrat	24%	27%	28%	14%	7%	286
	Independent	16%	39%	23%	11%	10%	132
	Republican	26%	14%	11%	26%	23%	162
Political Ideology	Socialist	21%	39%	24%	8%	8%	88
	Progressive	14%	46%	28%	7%	5%	97
	Liberal	33%	18%	27%	18%	4%	92
	Moderate	24%	22%	19%	30%	4%	148
	Conservative	22%	12%	16%	33%	17%	76
	Libertarian	36%	25%	14%	6%	20%	31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	24%	21%	25%	8%	21%	151
	35 to 49	26%	45%	13%	8%	8%	150
	50 to 64	25%	19%	24%	26%	6%	140
	65 and older	16%	18%	22%	29%	15%	157
Gender of Respondent	Men	29%	27%	20%	13%	11%	295
	Women	14%	26%	24%	23%	14%	291
Level of Education	High school or less	19%	18%	11%	29%	24%	171
	Tech school/Some college	34%	17%	28%	13%	8%	139
	College graduate	14%	44%	21%	11%	9%	162
	Postgraduate work	27%	22%	28%	16%	7%	125
Children in Household	Children in household	42%	23%	17%	13%	5%	97
	No children in household	22%	27%	21%	22%	7%	392
Region of State	Central MA	21%	24%	23%	17%	15%	79
	Essex	29%	14%	16%	34%	7%	60
	Middlesex	22%	22%	13%	30%	13%	133
	Norfolk/Suffolk	33%	29%	27%	5%	6%	126
	Southern, Cape & Islands	10%	32%	28%	21%	10%	113
	Western MA	25%	19%	19%	4%	34%	61
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	14%	6%	31%	27%	22%	38
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	29%	29%	9%	25%	8%	61
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	31%	34%	20%	4%	11%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	10%	39%	27%	18%	6%	63
	\$150,000 or more	33%	24%	24%	16%	3%	150
Media Usage	CNN viewer	38%	16%	27%	11%	9%	142
	Conservative radio listener	14%	8%	10%	56%	10%	64
	Fox News viewer	33%	17%	9%	27%	15%	97
	Joe Rogan listener	27%	16%	18%	12%	27%	21
	Local MA news viewer	26%	26%	19%	23%	5%	278
	MS NOW viewer	26%	12%	26%	28%	8%	111
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	22%	19%	14%	24%	20%	196
	Voted for Harris	24%	30%	26%	15%	6%	378

Support or Oppose Possible 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Question - Decrease State Income Tax from 5% to 4%

Generally speaking, would you support or oppose the following proposed ballot questions that may be on the general election ballot in November or do you not have an opinion on these? Decreasing the state income tax from 5% to 4%

		<u>Strongly support</u>	<u>Somewhat support</u>	<u>Neutral/No opinion</u>	<u>Somewhat oppose</u>	<u>Strongly oppose</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	43%	16%	11%	7%	17%	6%	607
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	11%	11%	26%	13%	26%	13%	137
	Registered Unenrolled	46%	19%	7%	6%	17%	5%	401
	Registered Republican	81%	11%	5%		3%	1%	46
Party ID	Democrat	22%	16%	18%	13%	24%	8%	286
	Independent	40%	14%	8%	3%	22%	12%	132
	Republican	76%	18%	2%	1%	3%	0%	168
Political Ideology	Socialist	7%	8%	2%	8%	52%	23%	88
	Progressive	23%	9%	32%	11%	20%	4%	97
	Liberal	34%	17%	8%	10%	22%	9%	92
	Moderate	54%	22%	9%	5%	8%	2%	147
	Conservative	90%	4%	2%	1%	3%	0%	82
	Libertarian	60%	24%	3%		12%		31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	25%	25%	1%	8%	25%	16%	157
	35 to 49	33%	8%	28%	9%	19%	4%	150
	50 to 64	53%	19%	5%	7%	12%	4%	140
	65 and older	62%	10%	10%	5%	12%	2%	157
Gender of Respondent	Men	47%	15%	14%	7%	12%	5%	301
	Women	39%	18%	8%	7%	20%	8%	290
Level of Education	High school or less	63%	12%	16%		9%		171
	Tech school/Some college	44%	22%	8%	10%	16%	0%	145
	College graduate	25%	14%	10%	7%	28%	16%	162
	Postgraduate work	37%	15%	8%	13%	16%	11%	125
Children in Household	Children in household	42%	10%	8%	8%	24%	8%	97
	No children in household	43%	13%	13%	9%	18%	4%	391
Region of State	Central MA	47%	14%	1%	8%	31%	0%	78
	Essex	53%	11%	5%	14%	13%	5%	60
	Middlesex	44%	9%	3%	13%	16%	13%	133
	Norfolk/Suffolk	42%	11%	19%	6%	19%	3%	126
	Southern, Cape & Islands	40%	19%	18%	1%	10%	11%	119
	Western MA	32%	39%	7%	2%	19%	1%	60
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	74%	4%	4%	5%	12%	1%	38
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	24%	15%	17%	8%	29%	7%	61
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	32%	16%	30%	7%	13%	2%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	27%	14%	6%	12%	32%	9%	63
	\$150,000 or more	39%	16%	6%	13%	19%	6%	150
Media Usage	CNN viewer	50%	13%	4%	5%	20%	7%	142
	Conservative radio listener	78%	11%	5%	0%	6%		64
	Fox News viewer	85%	11%	3%	0%	1%		97
	Joe Rogan listener	64%	26%	9%	1%			21
	Local MA news viewer	42%	17%	13%	8%	16%	4%	278
	MS NOW viewer	57%	13%	8%	4%	15%	3%	111
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	70%	19%	6%	1%	2%	2%	202
	Voted for Harris	27%	14%	14%	11%	26%	9%	377

Support or Oppose Possible 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Question - Repeal Recreational Marijuana Laws

Generally speaking, would you support or oppose the following proposed ballot questions that may be on the general election ballot in November or do you not have an opinion on these? Repeal laws that permit the sale of recreational marijuana and the personal cultivation of cannabis in homes

		<u>Strongly support</u>	<u>Somewhat support</u>	<u>Neutral/No opinion</u>	<u>Somewhat oppose</u>	<u>Strongly oppose</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	15%	7%	6%	18%	51%	3%	606
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	4%	10%	4%	10%	65%	6%	137
	Registered Unenrolled	16%	7%	5%	21%	48%	2%	399
	Registered Republican	34%	4%	3%	14%	45%		46
Party ID	Democrat	10%	7%	4%	11%	63%	4%	286
	Independent	13%	6%	3%	17%	59%	3%	132
	Republican	27%	8%	6%	31%	28%	1%	166
Political Ideology	Socialist	0%	4%	1%	2%	89%	5%	88
	Progressive	3%	5%	2%	15%	75%	0%	97
	Liberal	15%	9%	4%	14%	51%	6%	92
	Moderate	20%	11%	13%	15%	40%	2%	147
	Conservative	30%	5%	11%	26%	27%	1%	81
	Libertarian	12%	18%	10%	14%	46%		30
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	2%	6%	1%	25%	61%	4%	157
	35 to 49	4%	7%	1%	14%	73%	1%	149
	50 to 64	12%	9%	5%	22%	47%	4%	140
	65 and older	39%	8%	17%	11%	24%	2%	156
Gender of Respondent	Men	8%	5%	5%	24%	57%	0%	299
	Women	22%	9%	8%	12%	44%	5%	290
Level of Education	High school or less	28%	2%	11%	22%	37%		171
	Tech school/Some college	9%	15%	5%	9%	62%	1%	144
	College graduate	7%	4%	4%	18%	60%	7%	161
	Postgraduate work	12%	11%	5%	22%	48%	3%	125
Children in Household	Children in household	7%	5%	7%	13%	60%	7%	97
	No children in household	16%	9%	7%	17%	50%	1%	390
Region of State	Central MA	21%	13%	2%	5%	59%		78
	Essex	36%	6%	3%	18%	37%	1%	60
	Middlesex	15%	9%	5%	24%	39%	8%	133
	Norfolk/Suffolk	8%	5%	7%	8%	71%	1%	126
	Southern, Cape & Islands	13%	9%	12%	15%	48%	2%	117
	Western MA	5%	0%	10%	45%	40%	0%	60
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	39%	2%	23%	2%	33%		38
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	14%	13%	8%	13%	46%	7%	61
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	5%	18%	9%	34%	34%	0%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	5%	5%	2%	19%	68%	1%	63
	\$150,000 or more	12%	10%	3%	16%	57%	3%	150
Media Usage	CNN viewer	12%	6%	4%	11%	65%	2%	142
	Conservative radio listener	43%	10%	5%	28%	15%		64
	Fox News viewer	40%	2%	9%	11%	36%	1%	96
	Joe Rogan listener	13%	4%	9%	8%	67%		21
	Local MA news viewer	17%	8%	7%	11%	55%	2%	278
	MS NOW viewer	25%	5%	6%	12%	52%	1%	111
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	25%	7%	7%	30%	29%	2%	200
	Voted for Harris	8%	7%	6%	11%	65%	3%	377

Support or Oppose Possible 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Question - Require Allowing Single-Family Homes on Appropriate Lots

Generally speaking, would you support or oppose the following proposed ballot questions that may be on the general election ballot in November or do you not have an opinion on these? Require cities and towns to allow single-family homes on residentially zoned lots that meet minimum standards of at least 5,000 square feet in area

		<u>Strongly support</u>	<u>Somewhat support</u>	<u>Neutral/No opinion</u>	<u>Somewhat oppose</u>	<u>Strongly oppose</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	23%	19%	22%	7%	7%	22%	607
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	13%	21%	33%	4%	6%	23%	137
	Registered Unenrolled	29%	20%	17%	8%	8%	18%	400
	Registered Republican	8%	2%	40%	6%	8%	37%	46
Party ID	Democrat	20%	24%	29%	3%	4%	20%	286
	Independent	18%	20%	14%	9%	16%	22%	132
	Republican	32%	8%	20%	12%	7%	22%	168
Political Ideology	Socialist	17%	28%	10%	1%	2%	42%	88
	Progressive	18%	23%	35%	10%	3%	11%	97
	Liberal	21%	32%	31%	2%	3%	11%	92
	Moderate	15%	12%	19%	6%	14%	33%	147
	Conservative	27%	7%	26%	14%	10%	16%	82
	Libertarian	14%	28%	19%	28%	9%	1%	31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	27%	21%	17%	5%	2%	27%	157
	35 to 49	25%	13%	35%	11%	7%	10%	150
	50 to 64	26%	12%	32%	5%	11%	14%	140
	65 and older	14%	30%	7%	7%	9%	33%	157
Gender of Respondent	Men	34%	14%	25%	10%	7%	11%	301
	Women	9%	24%	21%	4%	8%	34%	290
Level of Education	High school or less	32%	15%	23%	3%		27%	171
	Tech school/Some college	23%	18%	28%	9%	8%	13%	145
	College graduate	12%	25%	19%	7%	11%	26%	162
	Postgraduate work	24%	18%	19%	9%	12%	17%	125
Children in Household	Children in household	16%	18%	20%	18%	9%	19%	97
	No children in household	23%	23%	23%	6%	6%	19%	390
Region of State	Central MA	7%	28%	16%	4%	10%	34%	78
	Essex	21%	13%	8%	17%	4%	37%	60
	Middlesex	35%	15%	10%	2%	10%	27%	133
	Norfolk/Suffolk	16%	19%	41%	12%	7%	5%	126
	Southern, Cape & Islands	14%	22%	27%	7%	4%	25%	119
	Western MA	53%	15%	19%	2%	2%	9%	60
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	19%	19%	3%	4%	2%	53%	38
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	34%	18%	14%	3%	2%	29%	61
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	17%	13%	44%	16%	2%	8%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	17%	36%	23%	3%	6%	14%	63
	\$150,000 or more	22%	16%	20%	14%	13%	14%	150
Media Usage	CNN viewer	26%	24%	26%	6%	4%	15%	142
	Conservative radio listener	28%	13%	10%	10%	12%	28%	64
	Fox News viewer	19%	10%	13%	9%	17%	33%	97
	Joe Rogan listener	1%	29%	42%	12%	17%	1%	21
	Local MA news viewer	19%	17%	27%	6%	6%	24%	278
	MS NOW viewer	16%	23%	34%	2%	5%	20%	111
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	27%	9%	21%	11%	15%	17%	202
	Voted for Harris	20%	25%	23%	5%	3%	22%	377

Support or Oppose Possible 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Question - Institute Same Day Registration

Generally speaking, would you support or oppose the following proposed ballot questions that may be on the general election ballot in November or do you not have an opinion on these? Provide for same-day voter registration

		<u>Strongly support</u>	<u>Somewhat support</u>	<u>Neutral/No opinion</u>	<u>Somewhat oppose</u>	<u>Strongly oppose</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	51%	15%	6%	6%	17%	5%	598
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	81%	10%	4%	3%	1%	1%	137
	Registered Unenrolled	46%	17%	7%	6%	18%	6%	391
	Registered Republican	30%	1%	0%	19%	43%	6%	46
Party ID	Democrat	75%	12%	5%	4%	3%	1%	286
	Independent	48%	16%	10%	10%	13%	3%	123
	Republican	16%	16%	4%	7%	43%	13%	168
Political Ideology	Socialist	77%	22%	0%	0%			88
	Progressive	92%	6%	0%	0%	1%		97
	Liberal	76%	8%	3%	8%	4%	1%	92
	Moderate	28%	17%	16%	11%	13%	15%	147
	Conservative	12%	2%	3%	7%	71%	5%	82
	Libertarian	15%	18%	13%	16%	38%		31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	59%	25%	4%	9%	2%	0%	157
	35 to 49	69%	14%	6%	1%	8%	2%	150
	50 to 64	44%	9%	9%	8%	27%	3%	140
	65 and older	31%	13%	4%	5%	32%	14%	148
Gender of Respondent	Men	56%	14%	6%	2%	20%	1%	301
	Women	44%	17%	5%	10%	14%	9%	280
Level of Education	High school or less	46%	18%	1%		25%	11%	162
	Tech school/Some college	43%	15%	11%	11%	17%	3%	145
	College graduate	57%	16%	5%	8%	11%	3%	162
	Postgraduate work	59%	13%	8%	5%	13%	2%	125
Children in Household	Children in household	54%	13%	8%	3%	20%	2%	97
	No children in household	54%	12%	5%	6%	17%	5%	391
Region of State	Central MA	33%	26%	2%	10%	29%	0%	78
	Essex	41%	12%	6%	3%	8%	30%	60
	Middlesex	52%	10%	9%	4%	22%	3%	124
	Norfolk/Suffolk	69%	7%	7%	2%	15%	0%	126
	Southern, Cape & Islands	51%	16%	3%	10%	14%	5%	119
	Western MA	43%	37%	10%	0%	9%	1%	61
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	28%	27%	3%	1%	40%	0%	38
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	69%	4%	7%	10%	8%	1%	61
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	65%	6%	6%	3%	19%	1%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	35%	39%	14%	0%	12%		63
	\$150,000 or more	59%	11%	7%	10%	11%	1%	150
Media Usage	CNN viewer	75%	7%	5%	4%	7%	1%	142
	Conservative radio listener	7%	3%	3%	7%	53%	27%	64
	Fox News viewer	24%	3%	2%	10%	42%	18%	97
	Joe Rogan listener	35%	13%	10%	20%	22%		21
	Local MA news viewer	58%	11%	5%	8%	11%	7%	278
	MS NOW viewer	61%	7%	5%	5%	5%	16%	111
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	16%	15%	7%	5%	44%	13%	202
	Voted for Harris	70%	16%	5%	5%	3%	1%	377

Support or Oppose Possible 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Question - Establish Rent Control

Generally speaking, would you support or oppose the following proposed ballot questions that may be on the general election ballot in November or do you not have an opinion on these? Establish rent control, limiting annual rent increases for residential units to the Consumer Price Index (CPI) or 5%, whichever is lower

		<u>Strongly support</u>	<u>Somewhat support</u>	<u>Neutral/No opinion</u>	<u>Somewhat oppose</u>	<u>Strongly oppose</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	45%	12%	10%	10%	17%	7%	601
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	49%	22%	8%	6%	6%	9%	137
	Registered Unenrolled	44%	8%	9%	12%	19%	7%	401
	Registered Republican	39%	4%	23%	5%	27%	2%	40
Party ID	Democrat	48%	19%	10%	5%	6%	12%	286
	Independent	54%	4%	10%	11%	20%	1%	132
	Republican	29%	8%	9%	19%	34%	1%	162
Political Ideology	Socialist	65%	19%	1%	1%	7%	8%	88
	Progressive	67%	13%	8%	4%	5%	4%	97
	Liberal	40%	13%	12%	5%	8%	22%	92
	Moderate	41%	9%	19%	7%	16%	7%	147
	Conservative	21%	12%	7%	6%	52%	2%	76
	Libertarian	22%	0%	13%	14%	50%		31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	51%	8%	7%	15%	11%	7%	151
	35 to 49	45%	10%	10%	15%	15%	5%	150
	50 to 64	37%	11%	14%	3%	30%	4%	140
	65 and older	45%	18%	7%	6%	11%	12%	157
Gender of Respondent	Men	42%	9%	10%	12%	25%	2%	295
	Women	46%	16%	10%	8%	8%	12%	290
Level of Education	High school or less	60%	10%		12%	9%	10%	171
	Tech school/Some college	32%	18%	24%	6%	18%	2%	139
	College graduate	45%	8%	5%	12%	22%	9%	162
	Postgraduate work	39%	15%	14%	9%	17%	7%	125
Children in Household	Children in household	26%	28%	13%	11%	11%	10%	97
	No children in household	52%	8%	9%	6%	17%	7%	391
Region of State	Central MA	42%	31%	17%	2%	4%	4%	78
	Essex	52%	9%	11%	18%	9%	2%	60
	Middlesex	37%	6%	10%	4%	35%	8%	133
	Norfolk/Suffolk	56%	11%	4%	5%	12%	11%	126
	Southern, Cape & Islands	52%	9%	8%	11%	15%	5%	113
	Western MA	26%	15%	11%	34%	2%	12%	60
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	71%	22%	1%	1%	2%	2%	38
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	55%	15%	6%	5%	11%	9%	61
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	17%	9%	30%	24%	20%	1%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	64%	10%	12%	3%	8%	2%	63
	\$150,000 or more	34%	14%	16%	11%	17%	7%	150
Media Usage	CNN viewer	41%	20%	13%	7%	7%	12%	142
	Conservative radio listener	40%	1%	6%	2%	51%		64
	Fox News viewer	50%	11%	10%	4%	24%	1%	97
	Joe Rogan listener	34%	4%	36%	2%	24%		21
	Local MA news viewer	54%	15%	9%	7%	11%	4%	278
	MS NOW viewer	55%	9%	13%	5%	3%	15%	111
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	28%	8%	5%	20%	36%	3%	196
	Voted for Harris	53%	15%	12%	5%	6%	10%	377

Support or Oppose Possible 2026 Massachusetts Ballot Question - Create Non-Partisan Primaries

Generally speaking, would you support or oppose the following proposed ballot questions that may be on the general election ballot in November or do you not have an opinion on these? Eliminate political party primaries for state elections and create a single primary where candidates are listed regardless of their political party

		<u>Strongly support</u>	<u>Somewhat support</u>	<u>Neutral/No opinion</u>	<u>Somewhat oppose</u>	<u>Strongly oppose</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	26%	18%	15%	13%	12%	17%	592
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	10%	23%	33%	9%	8%	18%	137
	Registered Unenrolled	33%	18%	8%	15%	10%	17%	391
	Registered Republican	19%	5%	11%	4%	53%	9%	40
Party ID	Democrat	19%	25%	21%	10%	9%	16%	286
	Independent	50%	20%	7%	2%	6%	14%	123
	Republican	18%	5%	9%	26%	23%	19%	162
Political Ideology	Socialist	22%	36%	5%	12%	1%	25%	88
	Progressive	26%	19%	28%	13%	7%	7%	97
	Liberal	31%	13%	14%	5%	15%	22%	92
	Moderate	28%	20%	12%	16%	11%	13%	147
	Conservative	12%	6%	10%	23%	36%	13%	76
	Libertarian	29%	17%	18%	20%	17%		31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	26%	20%	10%	6%	7%	30%	151
	35 to 49	33%	23%	26%	7%	5%	6%	150
	50 to 64	28%	15%	14%	21%	14%	9%	140
	65 and older	17%	11%	10%	16%	23%	24%	147
Gender of Respondent	Men	30%	12%	17%	12%	12%	17%	295
	Women	22%	22%	13%	13%	12%	19%	280
Level of Education	High school or less	20%		18%	24%	10%	29%	162
	Tech school/Some college	28%	30%	19%	7%	10%	6%	139
	College graduate	26%	27%	7%	7%	13%	19%	162
	Postgraduate work	31%	13%	18%	11%	15%	13%	125
Children in Household	Children in household	26%	27%	11%	10%	8%	18%	97
	No children in household	30%	15%	16%	15%	13%	11%	391
Region of State	Central MA	35%	27%	15%	5%	17%	1%	78
	Essex	23%	12%	9%	46%	6%	5%	60
	Middlesex	21%	20%	13%	21%	7%	18%	124
	Norfolk/Suffolk	22%	19%	28%	4%	10%	17%	126
	Southern, Cape & Islands	29%	11%	11%	4%	17%	27%	113
	Western MA	28%	10%	8%	13%	3%	39%	60
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	12%	5%	19%	5%	28%	32%	38
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	26%	37%	2%	4%	17%	14%	61
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	51%	6%	19%	16%	5%	3%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	33%	17%	27%	7%	5%	11%	63
	\$150,000 or more	33%	21%	11%	11%	17%	7%	150
Media Usage	CNN viewer	35%	24%	11%	4%	12%	14%	142
	Conservative radio listener	13%	11%	8%	54%	14%	0%	64
	Fox News viewer	23%	11%	8%	19%	31%	7%	97
	Joe Rogan listener	34%	26%	24%	4%	12%	1%	21
	Local MA news viewer	21%	26%	18%	12%	13%	11%	278
	MS NOW viewer	31%	11%	8%	20%	15%	15%	111
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	21%	7%	11%	22%	22%	18%	196
	Voted for Harris	28%	23%	16%	8%	7%	17%	377

Massachusetts 2026 Gubernatorial General Election - Healey vs. Kennealy

If the 2026 general election for governor of Massachusetts was being held today with the following candidates, which candidate would you vote for?

		<u>Maura Healey</u>	<u>Mike Kennealy</u>	<u>Another candidate</u>	<u>Don't know/Undecided</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	53%	32%	3%	13%	597
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	87%	5%	2%	6%	137
	Registered Unenrolled	48%	36%	1%	15%	397
	Registered Republican	5%	73%	21%	2%	44
Party ID	Democrat	88%	3%	1%	8%	281
	Independent	46%	25%		29%	129
	Republican	2%	87%	8%	3%	166
Political Ideology	Socialist	93%		2%	5%	88
	Progressive	91%	5%	1%	3%	97
	Liberal	93%	2%		5%	89
	Moderate	37%	41%	1%	20%	148
	Conservative	2%	81%	13%	4%	80
	Libertarian	4%	79%	2%	15%	31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	60%	34%	1%	5%	155
	35 to 49	57%	29%	1%	14%	150
	50 to 64	47%	35%	1%	17%	140
	65 and older	45%	30%	8%	17%	148
Gender of Respondent	Men	52%	39%	2%	8%	295
	Women	53%	25%	4%	18%	285
Level of Education	High school or less	40%	43%	5%	12%	166
	Tech school/Some college	43%	35%	3%	19%	142
	College graduate	58%	29%	2%	11%	161
	Postgraduate work	72%	17%	0%	10%	125
Children in Household	Children in household	60%	29%	1%	10%	97
	No children in household	56%	27%	4%	14%	382
Region of State	Central MA	58%	15%	11%	15%	74
	Essex	41%	47%		12%	60
	Middlesex	49%	29%	2%	19%	131
	Norfolk/Suffolk	72%	18%	2%	8%	126
	Southern, Cape & Islands	49%	34%	1%	16%	116
	Western MA	32%	63%	0%	5%	60
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	31%	7%	30%	32%	33
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	80%	13%		7%	57
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	41%	50%	3%	6%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	70%	11%	1%	18%	63
	\$150,000 or more	58%	29%	2%	12%	150
Media Usage	CNN viewer	74%	16%		11%	136
	Conservative radio listener	3%	82%	4%	10%	64
	Fox News viewer	10%	66%	12%	12%	96
	Joe Rogan listener	10%	66%	0%	23%	21
	Local MA news viewer	60%	22%	2%	16%	269
	MS NOW viewer	69%	24%		7%	111
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	3%	85%	7%	6%	200
	Voted for Harris	82%	4%	1%	14%	369

Massachusetts 2026 Gubernatorial General Election - Healey vs. Shortsleeve

If the 2026 general election for governor of Massachusetts was being held today with the following candidates, which candidate would you vote for?

		<u>Maura Healey</u>	<u>Brian Shortsleeve</u>	<u>Another candidate</u>	<u>Don't know/Undecided</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	51%	29%	3%	17%	603
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	88%	6%	1%	5%	137
	Registered Unenrolled	46%	35%	2%	17%	397
	Registered Republican	5%	48%	21%	26%	44
Party ID	Democrat	87%	3%	1%	9%	286
	Independent	42%	21%	0%	36%	129
	Republican	2%	79%	9%	9%	166
Political Ideology	Socialist	93%		2%	5%	88
	Progressive	92%	5%	0%	3%	97
	Liberal	94%	2%	1%	4%	89
	Moderate	34%	37%	1%	28%	147
	Conservative	2%	73%	14%	11%	80
	Libertarian	1%	65%	12%	23%	31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	61%	26%	1%	12%	155
	35 to 49	54%	26%	2%	18%	150
	50 to 64	47%	34%	1%	18%	140
	65 and older	43%	30%	8%	20%	153
Gender of Respondent	Men	50%	37%	1%	12%	295
	Women	52%	21%	5%	22%	290
Level of Education	High school or less	38%	41%	5%	15%	171
	Tech school/Some college	43%	28%	5%	25%	142
	College graduate	56%	25%	2%	17%	160
	Postgraduate work	73%	17%	1%	10%	125
Children in Household	Children in household	56%	27%	4%	14%	97
	No children in household	56%	24%	4%	17%	388
Region of State	Central MA	55%	14%	11%	20%	79
	Essex	32%	40%	7%	21%	60
	Middlesex	49%	29%	2%	20%	132
	Norfolk/Suffolk	73%	16%	2%	9%	126
	Southern, Cape & Islands	48%	30%	0%	22%	116
	Western MA	32%	63%	0%	5%	60
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	29%	6%	26%	39%	38
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	80%	9%		11%	58
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	40%	53%	2%	5%	38
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	70%	11%	1%	18%	63
	\$150,000 or more	55%	23%	3%	18%	150
Media Usage	CNN viewer	68%	13%		19%	142
	Conservative radio listener	3%	81%	5%	11%	64
	Fox News viewer	10%	61%	13%	16%	97
	Joe Rogan listener	10%	66%	0%	23%	21
	Local MA news viewer	58%	18%	3%	21%	275
	MS NOW viewer	69%	24%		7%	111
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	3%	77%	8%	12%	200
	Voted for Harris	80%	4%	0%	16%	375

Massachusetts 2026 Gubernatorial General Election - Healey vs. Minogue

If the 2026 general election for governor of Massachusetts was being held today with the following candidates, which candidate would you vote for?..

		<u>Maura Healey</u>	<u>Michael Minogue</u>	<u>Another candidate</u>	<u>Don't know/Undecided</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	52%	32%	0%	15%	599
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	88%	5%	1%	6%	136
	Registered Unenrolled	47%	35%	0%	18%	398
	Registered Republican	4%	94%	1%	1%	46
Party ID	Democrat	88%	3%	1%	9%	277
	Independent	45%	17%	0%	38%	132
	Republican	2%	95%	0%	3%	168
Political Ideology	Socialist	93%		2%	5%	88
	Progressive	92%	5%		3%	96
	Liberal	90%	5%	1%	4%	92
	Moderate	35%	41%		23%	145
	Conservative	2%	94%	1%	3%	82
	Libertarian	4%	74%		23%	31
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	59%	34%	1%	6%	157
	35 to 49	58%	21%	0%	21%	149
	50 to 64	46%	35%	0%	18%	138
	65 and older	43%	40%	0%	17%	151
Gender of Respondent	Men	51%	40%	1%	8%	301
	Women	52%	25%	0%	23%	282
Level of Education	High school or less	40%	48%		12%	166
	Tech school/Some college	40%	39%	0%	21%	144
	College graduate	58%	23%	2%	18%	161
	Postgraduate work	73%	17%		10%	124
Children in Household	Children in household	60%	29%	1%	10%	97
	No children in household	55%	27%	1%	17%	383
Region of State	Central MA	58%	27%	1%	15%	74
	Essex	40%	48%		12%	60
	Middlesex	47%	30%	1%	22%	133
	Norfolk/Suffolk	73%	17%	1%	9%	125
	Southern, Cape & Islands	46%	30%		23%	117
	Western MA	32%	62%		6%	61
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	31%	32%	5%	31%	33
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	73%	14%		13%	61
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	37%	32%	1%	30%	36
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	70%	12%		17%	63
	\$150,000 or more	58%	29%	0%	12%	150
Media Usage	CNN viewer	73%	14%		12%	137
	Conservative radio listener	0%	89%	1%	11%	62
	Fox News viewer	8%	79%	1%	12%	95
	Local MA news viewer	60%	23%	1%	16%	269
	MS NOW viewer	68%	24%		7%	109
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	3%	86%	1%	11%	202
	Voted for Harris	81%	5%	0%	14%	369

Approval of Governor Healey's Job Performance

Generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the way Maura Healey is handling her job as Governor?

		<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>Neither/DK</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	49%	45%	6%	719
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	81%	16%	3%	185
	Registered Unenrolled	44%	51%	5%	437
	Registered Republican	3%	97%	0%	59
Party ID	Democrat	75%	20%	5%	355
	Independent	45%	41%	14%	155
	Republican	2%	98%	0%	186
Political Ideology	Socialist	64%	34%	2%	109
	Progressive	86%	14%	0%	118
	Liberal	87%	11%	2%	97
	Moderate	51%	44%	5%	171
	Conservative	1%	98%	0%	109
	Libertarian	4%	96%		32
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	45%	47%	8%	196
	35 to 49	53%	43%	5%	189
	50 to 64	56%	40%	4%	160
	65 and older	46%	48%	6%	165
Gender of Respondent	Men	44%	55%	1%	330
	Women	56%	35%	9%	370
Level of Education	High school or less	48%	43%	10%	222
	Tech school/Some college	40%	56%	5%	167
	College graduate	43%	54%	3%	174
	Postgraduate work	69%	26%	5%	152
Children in Household	Children in household	51%	48%	1%	115
	No children in household	55%	39%	6%	465
Region of State	Central MA	63%	37%	0%	86
	Essex	59%	40%	1%	80
	Middlesex	29%	54%	17%	162
	Norfolk/Suffolk	70%	26%	4%	153
	Southern, Cape & Islands	46%	51%	3%	139
	Western MA	36%	60%	4%	67
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	66%	32%	2%	62
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	55%	44%	1%	73
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	37%	58%	5%	41
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	64%	29%	7%	83
	\$150,000 or more	60%	40%	0%	168
Media Usage	CNN viewer	63%	33%	4%	154
	Conservative radio listener	3%	97%		70
	Fox News viewer	24%	72%	4%	126
	Joe Rogan listener	10%	90%		22
	Local MA news viewer	60%	37%	4%	337
	MS NOW viewer	68%	32%	0%	116
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	9%	88%	2%	243
	Voted for Harris	75%	22%	3%	434

Approval of Governor Healey's Handling of the Economy

Generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the way Governor Healey is handling the following in Massachusetts? The economy

		<u>Strongly approve</u>	<u>Somewhat approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat disapprove</u>	<u>Strongly disapprove</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	11%	26%	17%	13%	27%	6%	719
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	36%	33%	16%	4%	6%	6%	185
	Registered Unenrolled	3%	27%	20%	16%	30%	4%	436
	Registered Republican	0%	2%	0%	24%	72%	1%	59
Party ID	Democrat	22%	38%	18%	6%	6%	9%	356
	Independent	1%	27%	26%	17%	21%	7%	155
	Republican	1%	0%	5%	22%	73%	0%	186
Political Ideology	Socialist	20%	21%	40%	8%	4%	8%	109
	Progressive	35%	35%	17%	9%	1%	3%	118
	Liberal	11%	57%	20%	5%	5%	3%	97
	Moderate	2%	31%	16%	15%	33%	2%	170
	Conservative	0%	9%	5%	10%	75%	0%	109
	Libertarian	4%	0%	4%	20%	72%	1%	32
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	3%	25%	27%	17%	16%	12%	196
	35 to 49	25%	19%	12%	14%	27%	4%	189
	50 to 64	10%	32%	15%	9%	34%	1%	160
	65 and older	6%	29%	13%	11%	35%	6%	165
Gender of Respondent	Men	12%	26%	11%	19%	29%	2%	329
	Women	11%	28%	18%	9%	26%	9%	372
Level of Education	High school or less	22%	22%	6%	13%	27%	10%	222
	Tech school/Some college	2%	26%	18%	17%	34%	2%	166
	College graduate	6%	15%	29%	11%	30%	8%	174
	Postgraduate work	9%	46%	17%	11%	15%	3%	153
Children in Household	Children in household	8%	28%	17%	10%	32%	6%	115
	No children in household	12%	29%	16%	12%	26%	4%	464
Region of State	Central MA	3%	19%	30%	13%	29%	5%	85
	Essex	7%	38%	16%	5%	35%	0%	80
	Middlesex	5%	16%	14%	14%	33%	17%	162
	Norfolk/Suffolk	29%	28%	21%	7%	15%	1%	153
	Southern, Cape & Islands	11%	35%	13%	5%	33%	3%	138
	Western MA	3%	25%	9%	39%	19%	5%	68
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	35%	22%	4%	7%	30%	2%	62
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	1%	47%	17%	11%	17%	7%	73
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	11%	21%	11%	11%	43%	4%	41
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	3%	35%	27%	24%	8%	3%	83
	\$150,000 or more	9%	35%	23%	9%	24%	0%	168
Media Usage	CNN viewer	6%	44%	18%	5%	23%	4%	153
	Conservative radio listener	0%	3%	7%	8%	82%	0%	70
	Fox News viewer	17%	3%	4%	11%	65%	0%	126
	Joe Rogan listener		10%		1%	89%		22
	Local MA news viewer	16%	33%	14%	12%	23%	2%	338
	MS NOW viewer	6%	46%	17%	4%	27%	1%	115
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	0%	10%	3%	23%	64%	0%	242
	Voted for Harris	18%	38%	24%	7%	8%	5%	434

Approval of Governor Healey's Handling of Education

Generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the way Governor Healey is handling the following in Massachusetts? Education

		<u>Strongly approve</u>	<u>Somewhat approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat disapprove</u>	<u>Strongly disapprove</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	15%	29%	20%	10%	18%	8%	721
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	39%	25%	17%	6%	3%	10%	186
	Registered Unenrolled	7%	34%	21%	11%	20%	6%	437
	Registered Republican	6%	11%	15%	26%	41%		59
Party ID	Democrat	26%	31%	22%	6%	3%	12%	356
	Independent	4%	38%	23%	14%	12%	8%	155
	Republican	4%	18%	10%	15%	53%	1%	187
Political Ideology	Socialist	21%	23%	39%	6%	0%	10%	109
	Progressive	42%	36%	12%	6%	0%	5%	118
	Liberal	12%	42%	34%	7%	2%	3%	97
	Moderate	9%	32%	18%	7%	30%	3%	171
	Conservative	4%	15%	10%	18%	52%	1%	109
	Libertarian	5%	0%	21%	37%	23%	14%	32
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	6%	39%	23%	7%	8%	16%	196
	35 to 49	29%	22%	11%	18%	14%	5%	189
	50 to 64	13%	36%	18%	6%	25%	3%	160
	65 and older	13%	13%	28%	11%	28%	8%	166
Gender of Respondent	Men	17%	33%	15%	9%	22%	4%	330
	Women	14%	26%	22%	12%	14%	11%	371
Level of Education	High school or less	25%	21%	14%	6%	24%	11%	222
	Tech school/Some college	10%	25%	30%	8%	23%	4%	167
	College graduate	6%	26%	25%	18%	12%	13%	174
	Postgraduate work	18%	45%	11%	11%	11%	4%	153
Children in Household	Children in household	10%	34%	15%	16%	23%	2%	115
	No children in household	17%	24%	25%	10%	17%	8%	465
Region of State	Central MA	13%	16%	33%	14%	17%	7%	85
	Essex	11%	39%	6%	9%	33%	1%	80
	Middlesex	8%	18%	19%	10%	24%	21%	162
	Norfolk/Suffolk	33%	27%	19%	7%	12%	2%	152
	Southern, Cape & Islands	13%	28%	24%	14%	10%	9%	139
	Western MA	7%	52%	14%	8%	14%	5%	68
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	37%	6%	24%	17%	11%	5%	62
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	10%	17%	48%	14%	6%	6%	73
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	13%	12%	8%	38%	17%	12%	41
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	14%	33%	39%	6%	2%	5%	83
	\$150,000 or more	12%	43%	16%	9%	18%	2%	169
Media Usage	CNN viewer	10%	32%	26%	8%	17%	6%	154
	Conservative radio listener	2%	6%	5%	11%	66%	10%	70
	Fox News viewer	21%	8%	7%	10%	49%	5%	126
	Joe Rogan listener	1%	0%	12%	11%	45%	31%	22
	Local MA news viewer	20%	27%	23%	8%	17%	5%	338
	MS NOW viewer	12%	31%	28%	1%	21%	7%	116
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	4%	23%	10%	17%	45%	1%	243
	Voted for Harris	22%	34%	26%	6%	4%	7%	435

Approval of Governor Healey's Handling of Taxes

Generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the way Governor Healey is handling the following in Massachusetts? Taxes

		<u>Strongly approve</u>	<u>Somewhat approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat disapprove</u>	<u>Strongly disapprove</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	11%	21%	22%	13%	28%	6%	721
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	31%	23%	27%	7%	7%	6%	186
	Registered Unenrolled	4%	25%	21%	15%	32%	2%	437
	Registered Republican	0%		9%	22%	56%	12%	59
Party ID	Democrat	19%	32%	27%	6%	7%	9%	356
	Independent	7%	23%	25%	19%	24%	2%	155
	Republican	0%	1%	6%	20%	70%	3%	187
Political Ideology	Socialist	20%	31%	30%	10%	0%	8%	109
	Progressive	30%	29%	29%	7%	3%	2%	118
	Liberal	6%	50%	31%	6%	4%	4%	97
	Moderate	2%	20%	23%	17%	35%	3%	171
	Conservative	0%	0%	8%	9%	77%	6%	109
	Libertarian		2%	4%	12%	82%		32
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	1%	26%	29%	20%	12%	12%	196
	35 to 49	25%	13%	18%	10%	27%	7%	189
	50 to 64	7%	26%	18%	15%	32%	2%	161
	65 and older	10%	20%	22%	6%	42%	1%	165
Gender of Respondent	Men	11%	19%	21%	16%	31%	2%	330
	Women	11%	22%	23%	11%	25%	8%	371
Level of Education	High school or less	26%	16%	10%	9%	34%	5%	222
	Tech school/Some college	1%	19%	31%	13%	30%	5%	167
	College graduate	2%	20%	25%	18%	26%	9%	174
	Postgraduate work	8%	31%	26%	12%	19%	3%	153
Children in Household	Children in household	4%	15%	31%	12%	30%	9%	115
	No children in household	11%	26%	21%	10%	27%	5%	465
Region of State	Central MA	1%	23%	33%	7%	30%	6%	85
	Essex	6%	30%	18%	10%	36%		80
	Middlesex	8%	10%	23%	15%	28%	16%	162
	Norfolk/Suffolk	28%	26%	19%	10%	16%	2%	152
	Southern, Cape & Islands	8%	23%	24%	5%	37%	3%	139
	Western MA	4%	24%	9%	32%	27%	4%	68
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	35%	11%	21%	4%	28%	0%	62
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	1%	38%	23%	5%	17%	17%	73
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	8%	24%	18%	6%	39%	4%	41
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	2%	48%	22%	17%	8%	3%	83
	\$150,000 or more	5%	18%	36%	13%	26%	1%	168
Media Usage	CNN viewer	4%	28%	37%	7%	22%	2%	154
	Conservative radio listener	0%	3%	6%	2%	89%		70
	Fox News viewer	17%	3%	9%	8%	63%		126
	Joe Rogan listener		10%	22%		68%		22
	Local MA news viewer	15%	25%	23%	11%	25%	2%	338
	MS NOW viewer	3%	42%	28%	3%	23%	0%	116
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	0%	7%	2%	19%	69%	3%	243
	Voted for Harris	15%	31%	33%	10%	6%	5%	435

Approval of Governor Healey's Handling of Housing

Generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the way Governor Healey is handling the following in Massachusetts? Housing

		<u>Strongly approve</u>	<u>Somewhat approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat disapprove</u>	<u>Strongly disapprove</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	5%	23%	12%	21%	32%	8%	720
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	12%	48%	18%	9%	8%	6%	186
	Registered Unenrolled	2%	17%	11%	27%	37%	6%	436
	Registered Republican	0%	1%	1%	11%	76%	11%	59
Party ID	Democrat	9%	43%	14%	13%	11%	10%	356
	Independent	1%	6%	20%	35%	30%	8%	155
	Republican	0%	1%	2%	20%	74%	4%	187
Political Ideology	Socialist	1%	34%	24%	17%	16%	8%	109
	Progressive	14%	47%	9%	15%	11%	4%	118
	Liberal	11%	44%	11%	26%	5%	3%	96
	Moderate	3%	10%	15%	25%	44%	3%	171
	Conservative	0%	4%	6%	12%	71%	6%	109
	Libertarian		1%	7%	12%	66%	14%	32
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	3%	12%	16%	34%	21%	14%	196
	35 to 49	4%	31%	5%	18%	35%	7%	189
	50 to 64	8%	28%	18%	8%	35%	3%	161
	65 and older	5%	20%	5%	22%	42%	6%	165
Gender of Respondent	Men	5%	25%	7%	23%	37%	2%	330
	Women	5%	21%	16%	19%	27%	12%	371
Level of Education	High school or less	4%	34%	3%	19%	31%	10%	222
	Tech school/Some college	4%	19%	11%	16%	44%	6%	166
	College graduate	4%	9%	21%	22%	32%	11%	174
	Postgraduate work	7%	25%	15%	29%	21%	3%	153
Children in Household	Children in household	5%	21%	8%	23%	32%	10%	115
	No children in household	3%	27%	13%	16%	34%	6%	464
Region of State	Central MA	3%	18%	29%	10%	36%	3%	85
	Essex	6%	18%	7%	32%	37%		80
	Middlesex	4%	13%	13%	16%	34%	21%	162
	Norfolk/Suffolk	3%	43%	9%	20%	24%	1%	152
	Southern, Cape & Islands	9%	18%	10%	24%	32%	6%	138
	Western MA	2%	24%	5%	36%	26%	7%	68
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	2%	37%	3%	19%	37%	3%	62
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	4%	36%	8%	15%	23%	14%	73
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	8%	19%	5%	10%	53%	5%	41
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	4%	13%	26%	33%	22%	3%	83
	\$150,000 or more	6%	24%	21%	18%	30%	2%	169
Media Usage	CNN viewer	4%	36%	11%	18%	24%	8%	154
	Conservative radio listener	0%	3%	1%	9%	81%	6%	70
	Fox News viewer	1%	18%	2%	11%	63%	5%	126
	Joe Rogan listener		10%			70%	20%	22
	Local MA news viewer	2%	32%	11%	19%	31%	4%	338
	MS NOW viewer	5%	40%	9%	13%	28%	5%	116
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	0%	0%	3%	24%	69%	3%	243
	Voted for Harris	8%	37%	17%	19%	13%	6%	434

Approval of Governor Healey's Handling of Crime

Generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the way Governor Healey is handling the following in Massachusetts? Crime

		<u>Strongly approve</u>	<u>Somewhat approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat disapprove</u>	<u>Strongly disapprove</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	11%	27%	21%	11%	21%	8%	720
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	28%	34%	23%	1%	4%	10%	186
	Registered Unenrolled	5%	28%	20%	17%	24%	6%	436
	Registered Republican	0%	18%	12%	4%	65%	0%	59
Party ID	Democrat	20%	33%	23%	8%	3%	13%	356
	Independent	4%	39%	30%	12%	8%	7%	155
	Republican	1%	8%	5%	15%	70%	0%	187
Political Ideology	Socialist	21%	35%	27%	8%		9%	109
	Progressive	21%	54%	18%	0%	4%	4%	118
	Liberal	19%	27%	27%	20%	2%	5%	97
	Moderate	6%	31%	20%	13%	28%	2%	171
	Conservative	0%	9%	8%	7%	70%	6%	109
	Libertarian	5%	8%	2%	10%	61%	14%	32
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	5%	35%	18%	15%	13%	14%	196
	35 to 49	17%	28%	27%	4%	19%	6%	189
	50 to 64	14%	23%	16%	19%	27%	2%	160
	65 and older	8%	23%	23%	9%	30%	7%	165
Gender of Respondent	Men	8%	29%	16%	16%	28%	3%	330
	Women	14%	28%	25%	6%	15%	13%	371
Level of Education	High school or less	13%	18%	14%	17%	25%	12%	222
	Tech school/Some college	8%	29%	18%	12%	31%	2%	167
	College graduate	6%	28%	31%	5%	17%	12%	174
	Postgraduate work	16%	38%	22%	8%	10%	5%	152
Children in Household	Children in household	8%	23%	19%	14%	29%	7%	115
	No children in household	12%	32%	22%	9%	19%	6%	465
Region of State	Central MA	4%	35%	28%	6%	22%	4%	85
	Essex	9%	46%	7%	4%	32%	1%	80
	Middlesex	9%	18%	24%	4%	27%	18%	162
	Norfolk/Suffolk	20%	29%	16%	20%	12%	2%	153
	Southern, Cape & Islands	12%	26%	30%	4%	19%	10%	138
	Western MA	4%	21%	15%	36%	18%	5%	68
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	36%	9%	34%	3%	16%	2%	62
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	2%	52%	15%	13%	11%	7%	73
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	16%	12%	37%	6%	26%	4%	41
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	7%	48%	16%	14%	12%	3%	83
	\$150,000 or more	14%	35%	22%	8%	20%	2%	168
Media Usage	CNN viewer	9%	35%	21%	15%	13%	8%	154
	Conservative radio listener	0%	6%	5%	4%	78%	6%	70
	Fox News viewer	17%	8%	10%	6%	56%	4%	126
	Joe Rogan listener	0%		12%		66%	21%	22
	Local MA news viewer	13%	33%	22%	11%	15%	4%	338
	MS NOW viewer	11%	26%	21%	14%	23%	5%	116
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	1%	13%	8%	17%	58%	2%	243
	Voted for Harris	17%	38%	28%	9%	2%	7%	434

Approval of Governor Healey's Handling of Cost of Living

Generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the way Governor Healey is handling the following in Massachusetts? Cost of living

		<u>Strongly approve</u>	<u>Somewhat approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat disapprove</u>	<u>Strongly disapprove</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	2%	24%	17%	19%	33%	6%	721
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	4%	46%	25%	11%	9%	5%	186
	Registered Unenrolled	1%	18%	16%	25%	35%	4%	437
	Registered Republican	0%	1%	2%	3%	94%	0%	59
Party ID	Democrat	4%	41%	24%	13%	11%	8%	356
	Independent	0%	9%	17%	36%	31%	7%	155
	Republican	0%	0%	4%	15%	80%	0%	187
Political Ideology	Socialist	0%	38%	35%	13%	8%	5%	109
	Progressive	5%	47%	19%	17%	9%	3%	118
	Liberal	5%	46%	31%	11%	4%	2%	97
	Moderate	1%	16%	11%	25%	45%	2%	171
	Conservative	0%	0%	6%	13%	80%	0%	109
	Libertarian		1%	3%	13%	83%		32
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	1%	10%	23%	31%	24%	11%	196
	35 to 49	2%	30%	14%	13%	36%	5%	189
	50 to 64	2%	29%	15%	17%	36%	0%	161
	65 and older	2%	27%	13%	10%	40%	7%	165
Gender of Respondent	Men	2%	28%	8%	23%	37%	2%	330
	Women	2%	21%	25%	14%	30%	8%	371
Level of Education	High school or less		42%	5%	14%	29%	11%	222
	Tech school/Some college	1%	15%	20%	18%	45%	2%	167
	College graduate	1%	15%	26%	16%	36%	6%	174
	Postgraduate work	6%	17%	20%	31%	24%	2%	153
Children in Household	Children in household	3%	11%	25%	15%	41%	5%	115
	No children in household	2%	27%	18%	18%	32%	3%	465
Region of State	Central MA	0%	4%	44%	2%	42%	8%	85
	Essex	5%	9%	10%	36%	39%	0%	80
	Middlesex	1%	9%	22%	14%	39%	14%	162
	Norfolk/Suffolk	1%	42%	16%	19%	21%	1%	153
	Southern, Cape & Islands	2%	43%	5%	13%	35%	3%	139
	Western MA	2%	27%	5%	38%	23%	5%	68
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	1%	56%	3%	7%	32%	2%	62
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	0%	28%	25%	22%	24%	2%	73
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	9%	17%	8%	10%	53%	3%	41
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	2%	8%	28%	33%	26%	2%	83
	\$150,000 or more	3%	15%	28%	22%	30%	1%	169
Media Usage	CNN viewer	3%	27%	32%	9%	26%	2%	154
	Conservative radio listener	0%	3%	7%	7%	84%		70
	Fox News viewer	0%	19%	6%	4%	70%		126
	Joe Rogan listener		10%	0%	1%	89%		22
	Local MA news viewer	2%	31%	18%	17%	30%	2%	338
	MS NOW viewer	3%	38%	22%	9%	28%	0%	116
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	0%	0%	3%	23%	74%		243
	Voted for Harris	3%	39%	25%	17%	12%	4%	435

Approval of Governor Healey's Handling of Roads and Bridges

Generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the way Governor Healey is handling the following in Massachusetts? Roads & bridges

		<u>Strongly approve</u>	<u>Somewhat approve</u>	<u>Neutral</u>	<u>Somewhat disapprove</u>	<u>Strongly disapprove</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	12%	19%	16%	16%	25%	11%	721
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	32%	30%	17%	13%	3%	6%	186
	Registered Unenrolled	6%	18%	18%	17%	30%	11%	437
	Registered Republican	0%	8%	10%	11%	61%	11%	59
Party ID	Democrat	21%	30%	20%	13%	6%	10%	356
	Independent	4%	14%	20%	25%	19%	18%	155
	Republican	2%	5%	7%	9%	68%	10%	187
Political Ideology	Socialist	18%	32%	16%	23%	3%	8%	109
	Progressive	33%	26%	27%	8%	1%	5%	118
	Liberal	13%	37%	23%	20%	4%	3%	97
	Moderate	7%	15%	13%	20%	28%	17%	171
	Conservative	0%	9%	13%	8%	63%	6%	109
	Libertarian	4%	0%	10%	23%	52%	11%	32
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	2%	22%	20%	12%	23%	21%	196
	35 to 49	26%	19%	9%	12%	21%	13%	189
	50 to 64	10%	17%	23%	28%	21%	2%	161
	65 and older	11%	16%	13%	14%	38%	8%	166
Gender of Respondent	Men	15%	14%	13%	21%	33%	5%	330
	Women	10%	25%	18%	11%	19%	16%	371
Level of Education	High school or less	26%	8%	5%	12%	36%	13%	222
	Tech school/Some college	7%	20%	23%	19%	22%	8%	167
	College graduate	3%	29%	16%	21%	24%	7%	174
	Postgraduate work	8%	24%	24%	13%	14%	17%	153
Children in Household	Children in household	7%	33%	14%	9%	19%	18%	115
	No children in household	14%	18%	17%	17%	25%	9%	465
Region of State	Central MA	11%	32%	12%	7%	33%	6%	85
	Essex	6%	11%	9%	9%	39%	26%	80
	Middlesex	3%	20%	21%	13%	22%	21%	162
	Norfolk/Suffolk	29%	9%	23%	22%	13%	4%	153
	Southern, Cape & Islands	14%	22%	9%	28%	25%	3%	139
	Western MA	4%	22%	10%	7%	42%	16%	68
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	36%	10%	6%	22%	26%	0%	62
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	12%	32%	26%	5%	10%	15%	73
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	10%	21%	5%	13%	48%	3%	41
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	8%	27%	17%	16%	7%	24%	83
	\$150,000 or more	7%	28%	25%	15%	15%	9%	169
Media Usage	CNN viewer	14%	25%	19%	16%	19%	8%	154
	Conservative radio listener	2%	9%	5%	8%	77%	0%	70
	Fox News viewer	22%	9%	6%	6%	51%	7%	126
	Joe Rogan listener		10%		17%	73%		22
	Local MA news viewer	20%	19%	13%	19%	17%	12%	338
	MS NOW viewer	17%	19%	14%	22%	26%	1%	116
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	3%	6%	7%	10%	60%	14%	243
	Voted for Harris	18%	28%	21%	19%	8%	5%	435

Support or Oppose Bill Banning Social Media for Children Under 14 and Requiring Parental Consent for Children Aged 14-15

The Massachusetts Legislature is considering a bill which would ban social media use for all children under the age of 14 and require social media platforms to obtain parental consent for children aged 14-15. Generally speaking, would you support or oppose a bill which would ban social media use for children under 14 and require social media platforms to obtain parental consent for children aged 14-15 or do you not have an opinion on this?

		Strongly support	Somewhat support	Neutral/No opinion	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose	Don't know/Not sure	N
STATEWIDE	April 2026	46%	26%	7%	5%	12%	4%	721
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	48%	23%	16%	5%	4%	4%	186
	Registered Unenrolled	46%	28%	2%	5%	13%	5%	437
	Registered Republican	48%	23%	13%	5%	10%		59
Party ID	Democrat	39%	29%	9%	6%	11%	6%	357
	Independent	67%	22%	0%	6%	2%	2%	155
	Republican	44%	21%	7%	3%	22%	3%	187
Political Ideology	Socialist	44%	32%	1%	12%	11%	0%	109
	Progressive	41%	23%	21%	8%	3%	5%	118
	Liberal	37%	38%	4%	5%	3%	13%	97
	Moderate	53%	33%	3%	4%	4%	4%	171
	Conservative	53%	29%	8%	2%	7%	1%	109
	Libertarian	25%	5%	12%	4%	44%	11%	32
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	35%	25%	8%	4%	28%	1%	196
	35 to 49	49%	15%	12%	9%	10%	4%	189
	50 to 64	40%	42%	3%	6%	6%	3%	161
	65 and older	59%	28%	2%	3%	2%	7%	166
Gender of Respondent	Men	36%	32%	11%	4%	16%	1%	330
	Women	56%	22%	3%	6%	6%	7%	372
Level of Education	High school or less	47%	25%	9%		14%	5%	222
	Tech school/Some college	42%	21%	10%	6%	17%	4%	167
	College graduate	41%	33%	4%	11%	8%	4%	174
	Postgraduate work	55%	28%	2%	6%	7%	2%	153
Children in Household	Children in household	51%	29%	2%	9%	6%	4%	115
	No children in household	47%	26%	7%	5%	11%	4%	465
Region of State	Central MA	73%	13%	1%	2%	9%	1%	86
	Essex	68%	19%	2%	3%	3%	5%	80
	Middlesex	42%	29%	1%	8%	15%	5%	162
	Norfolk/Suffolk	39%	24%	16%	4%	9%	8%	153
	Southern, Cape & Islands	40%	34%	8%	5%	9%	3%	139
	Western MA	27%	29%	9%	3%	30%	2%	68
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	64%	18%	2%	9%	4%	3%	62
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	45%	27%	2%	11%	13%	1%	73
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	41%	29%	1%	4%	25%		41
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	62%	16%	5%	5%	12%		83
	\$150,000 or more	55%	29%	3%	6%	4%	4%	169
Media Usage	CNN viewer	49%	29%	1%	4%	9%	7%	154
	Conservative radio listener	44%	31%	1%	4%	18%	1%	70
	Fox News viewer	71%	12%	1%	2%	13%	0%	126
	Joe Rogan listener	29%	15%	7%	2%	48%		22
	Local MA news viewer	51%	27%	8%	6%	7%	2%	338
	MS NOW viewer	48%	29%	2%	4%	8%	9%	116
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	52%	20%	6%	2%	15%	4%	243
	Voted for Harris	42%	32%	7%	7%	8%	4%	435

Most Important Problem Facing Massachusetts

What do you think is the most important problem facing the Commonwealth of Massachusetts today? (coded)

		<u>Climate change/ Environment</u>	<u>Corrupt/ Incompetent government</u>	<u>Cost of living</u>	<u>Crime</u>	<u>Healthcare</u>	<u>Housing</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	1%	6%	30%	3%	1%	20%
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	3%	1%	18%	12%	3%	36%
	Registered Unenrolled	0%	8%	35%	0%	1%	14%
	Registered Republican		2%	43%			9%
Party ID	Democrat	1%	1%	27%	6%	2%	31%
	Independent		2%	42%		0%	8%
	Republican		17%	29%			5%
Political Ideology	Socialist	3%	1%	16%	19%	4%	15%
	Progressive	0%	0%	34%		2%	34%
	Liberal	1%	0%	35%		1%	42%
	Moderate	0%	9%	33%	1%	0%	19%
	Conservative		18%	26%			7%
	Libertarian		4%	60%			6%
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	2%	1%	39%		3%	16%
	35 to 49	0%	5%	43%	11%	1%	21%
	50 to 64	0%	13%	33%	1%	1%	14%
	65 and older	0%	5%	5%		0%	26%
Gender of Respondent	Men	0%	11%	32%		0%	18%
	Women	1%	2%	28%	6%	2%	20%
Level of Education	High school or less		15%	10%	10%		29%
	Tech school/Some college		1%	36%		1%	20%
	College graduate	3%	3%	34%	1%	3%	12%
	Postgraduate work	0%	1%	46%		1%	18%
Children in Household	Children in household		8%	43%		0%	17%
	No children in household	1%	6%	28%	4%	1%	22%
Region of State	Central MA		0%	19%			23%
	Essex	0%		48%			8%
	Middlesex	2%	13%	29%	1%	2%	9%
	Norfolk/Suffolk	0%	1%	31%	13%	1%	34%
	Southern, Cape & Islands		1%	29%		1%	24%
	Western MA	2%	32%	21%		5%	13%
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	1%	0%	5%	33%	2%	20%
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	5%	1%	17%		5%	36%
	\$75,000 - \$99,999		1%	60%			11%
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	0%		43%		1%	7%
	\$150,000 or more	0%	7%	38%		0%	23%
Media Usage	CNN viewer	2%	6%	42%		0%	27%
	Conservative radio listener		24%	26%			1%
	Fox News viewer		9%	22%	16%		6%
	Joe Rogan listener		1%	56%			2%
	Local MA news viewer	1%	3%	32%	6%	1%	27%
	MS NOW viewer	0%	0%	35%		0%	25%
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump		16%	34%			6%
	Voted for Harris	1%	1%	29%	5%	2%	29%

Most Important Problem Facing Massachusetts

What do you think is the most important problem facing the Commonwealth of Massachusetts today? (coded)

		<u>Immigration</u>	<u>Infrastructure</u>	<u>Jobs/Economy</u>	<u>Left/Leftist politicians</u>	<u>National issues/Fed govt.</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	9%	4%	3%	4%	4%
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	2%	1%	5%	1%	4%
	Registered Unenrolled	9%	7%	3%	4%	6%
	Registered Republican	27%		1%	3%	0%
Party ID	Democrat	3%	3%	4%	2%	4%
	Independent	5%	14%	2%	2%	11%
	Republican	25%		1%	8%	0%
Political Ideology	Socialist		15%	2%		18%
	Progressive	2%	3%	2%	0%	5%
	Liberal	0%	2%	6%	1%	2%
	Moderate	19%	3%	5%	1%	1%
	Conservative	18%	3%	1%	13%	0%
	Libertarian	4%			0%	
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	2%	10%	2%		7%
	35 to 49	5%	0%	2%	0%	6%
	50 to 64	8%	6%	4%	5%	2%
	65 and older	21%	1%	5%	10%	1%
Gender of Respondent	Men	5%	2%	3%	4%	8%
	Women	12%	6%	3%	3%	2%
Level of Education	High school or less	13%			6%	
	Tech school/Some college	14%	1%	7%	3%	1%
	College graduate	3%	12%	3%	3%	12%
	Postgraduate work	5%	3%	4%	2%	4%
Children in Household	Children in household	4%	4%	6%	7%	3%
	No children in household	9%	5%	3%	2%	3%
Region of State	Central MA	14%	18%	2%	11%	1%
	Essex	24%	1%	0%	2%	1%
	Middlesex	9%	3%	4%	1%	6%
	Norfolk/Suffolk	3%	2%	1%	6%	2%
	Southern, Cape & Islands	2%	3%	6%	2%	11%
	Western MA	1%	0%	7%	1%	1%
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	18%		3%	10%	2%
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	3%		7%		4%
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	2%	5%	3%	1%	1%
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	10%	19%	3%	1%	2%
	\$150,000 or more	3%	5%	3%	3%	3%
Media Usage	CNN viewer	0%	3%	3%	5%	1%
	Conservative radio listener	34%		1%	4%	
	Fox News viewer	29%		1%	10%	0%
	Joe Rogan listener	11%		1%	10%	
	Local MA news viewer	9%	1%	4%	3%	3%
	MS NOW viewer	18%	2%	3%	2%	2%
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump	24%		1%	8%	
	Voted for Harris	2%	7%	5%	1%	7%

Most Important Problem Facing Massachusetts

What do you think is the most important problem facing the Commonwealth of Massachusetts today? (coded)

		<u>Right/Rightist politicians</u>	<u>State budget</u>	<u>Taxes</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Don't know/Not sure</u>	<u>N</u>
STATEWIDE	April 2026	3%	2%	4%	3%	2%	661
Voting Registration	Registered Democrat	4%	0%	1%	7%	1%	165
	Registered Unenrolled	4%	1%	6%	1%		403
	Registered Republican		8%	1%	4%		56
Party ID	Democrat	5%	0%	1%	4%	4%	329
	Independent	3%	1%	7%	2%		150
	Republican		4%	9%	2%		160
Political Ideology	Socialist	4%			3%	1%	106
	Progressive	5%	0%	0%	8%		105
	Liberal	4%	0%	2%	1%		91
	Moderate	2%	2%	3%	1%		162
	Conservative		5%	6%	2%		103
	Libertarian		4%	20%	3%		32
Age of Respondent	18 to 34	3%	0%	4%	2%	8%	166
	35 to 49	2%		1%	1%		182
	50 to 64	6%	1%	4%	2%		145
	65 and older	3%	5%	9%	6%		158
Gender of Respondent	Men	4%	3%	5%	4%	0%	288
	Women	3%	0%	4%	2%	3%	354
Level of Education	High school or less		2%	5%	3%	6%	191
	Tech school/Some college	5%	2%	6%	3%		154
	College graduate	5%	1%	4%	2%	1%	167
	Postgraduate work	4%	2%	3%	4%		145
Children in Household	Children in household	2%	1%	3%	1%		110
	No children in household	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%	449
Region of State	Central MA	4%	5%	1%	1%		84
	Essex	6%	2%	4%	3%		76
	Middlesex	3%	0%	8%	2%	8%	158
	Norfolk/Suffolk	2%	0%	0%	1%		148
	Southern, Cape & Islands	4%	2%	7%	6%	1%	124
	Western MA	1%	2%	9%	5%		38
Household Income	Less than \$45,000	1%	0%	0%	3%		61
	\$45,000 - \$74,999	0%	7%	4%	10%		69
	\$75,000 - \$99,999	6%	2%	1%	1%	4%	40
	\$100,000 - \$149,999	4%	1%	5%	4%		79
	\$150,000 or more	5%	1%	4%	2%		158
Media Usage	CNN viewer	2%	1%	2%	3%		149
	Conservative radio listener	3%	1%	5%	0%		69
	Fox News viewer	2%	1%	4%	2%		123
	Joe Rogan listener	9%		12%			22
	Local MA news viewer	2%	2%	3%	2%		330
	MS NOW viewer	5%	1%	3%	1%		112
2024 Pres Vote	Voted for Trump		3%	6%	2%		215
	Voted for Harris	5%	1%	1%	3%	0%	406