



MICHIGAN TERM LIMITS POLL: EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

US Term Limits survey conducted Jan 15-16, 2026 by RMG Research Group
 508 Registered Voters in Michigan participated in the survey

A large majority (79%) of Michigan voters approve of placing term limits on Congress.

80% of voters favor having Michigan call for an amendment proposing convention to enact congressional term limits. Additionally, 73% of voters state that they would be more likely to vote for a candidate for state legislature who supports implementing term limits for members of Congress.

Do you approve or disapprove of placing term limits on members of Congress?

Total		Gender		Age					Race		Party		
		Men	Wom	18-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	White	Other	GOP	Dem	Ind
Approve	79%	79%	79%	73%	75%	81%	87%	78%	81%	74%	83%	75%	63%
Strongly approve	49%	49%	48%	28%	52%	50%	58%	55%	53%	35%	54%	43%	38%
Somewhat approve	30%	30%	31%	45%	23%	31%	29%	23%	28%	39%	29%	32%	25%
Disapprove	14%	17%	12%	19%	16%	18%	8%	11%	11%	21%	9%	20%	22%
Somewhat disapprove	8%	11%	5%	10%	12%	11%	3%	5%	5%	15%	5%	11%	14%
Strongly disapprove	6%	6%	7%	9%	4%	7%	5%	6%	6%	6%	4%	9%	8%
Not sure	7%	4%	10%	8%	8%	1%	5%	11%	8%	5%	8%	6%	15%

Would you want your state senator and state representative to favor or oppose legislation calling for a convention to propose congressional term limits?

Total		Gender		Age					Race		Party		
		Men	Wom	18-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	White	Other	GOP	Dem	Ind
Favor	77%	79%	75%	75%	69%	64%	86%	81%	80%	67%	81%	73%	61%
Oppose	12%	14%	9%	11%	21%	25%	4%	7%	8%	25%	7%	16%	15%
Not sure	11%	7%	15%	14%	11%	11%	10%	11%	12%	8%	12%	11%	25%

The U.S. Constitution authorizes state legislatures to call for a convention to recommend constitutional amendments. Two-thirds of states would have to agree before any action could be taken. Would you favor or oppose having Michigan call for an amendment proposing convention to enact congressional terms limits?

Total		Gender		Age					Race		Party		
		Men	Wom	18-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	White	Other	GOP	Dem	Ind
Favor	80%	87%	75%	79%	79%	77%	85%	81%	82%	78%	82%	80%	64%
Strongly favor	47%	54%	41%	39%	41%	40%	51%	58%	50%	39%	49%	46%	30%
Somewhat favor	33%	33%	34%	40%	38%	37%	34%	23%	32%	39%	33%	34%	34%
Oppose	9%	8%	10%	12%	9%	16%	6%	6%	8%	13%	7%	11%	16%
Somewhat oppose	7%	6%	8%	11%	9%	9%	4%	4%	6%	10%	6%	8%	7%
Strongly oppose	2%	2%	2%	1%	0%	7%	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	9%
Not sure	11%	5%	15%	8%	12%	7%	10%	14%	11%	9%	12%	9%	20%

Would you be more likely or less likely to vote for a candidate for state legislature who supports implementing term limits for members of Congress?

Total		Gender		Age					Race		Party		
		Men	Wom	18-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	White	Other	GOP	Dem	Ind
More Likely	73%	76%	69%	78%	72%	68%	71%	71%	75%	65%	76%	69%	58%
Much more likely	39%	40%	37%	34%	31%	32%	43%	46%	40%	36%	42%	35%	26%
Somewhat more likely	34%	36%	32%	44%	41%	36%	28%	25%	35%	29%	34%	34%	32%
Less Likely	10%	14%	7%	9%	14%	15%	9%	8%	7%	19%	7%	13%	9%
Somewhat less likely	7%	10%	4%	6%	8%	10%	7%	5%	5%	12%	4%	9%	0%
Much less likely	3%	4%	3%	3%	6%	5%	2%	3%	2%	7%	3%	4%	9%
No impact	12%	8%	15%	5%	8%	15%	17%	13%	12%	12%	11%	12%	17%
Not sure	6%	2%	9%	8%	6%	2%	3%	7%	6%	4%	5%	5%	16%

At present the Michigan State Legislature has term limits. Knowing this, do you think it is fair that members of Congress are able to stay in office for life?

Total		Gender		Age					Race		Party		
		Men	Wom	18-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	White	Other	GOP	Dem	Ind
Fair	21%	26%	17%	44%	22%	31%	12%	7%	17%	36%	22%	21%	11%
Very fair	8%	11%	6%	16%	10%	7%	4%	6%	7%	13%	9%	8%	3%
Somewhat fair	13%	15%	11%	28%	12%	24%	8%	1%	10%	23%	13%	13%	8%
Unfair	76%	73%	79%	53%	79%	68%	86%	90%	82%	58%	76%	76%	81%
Somewhat unfair	20%	17%	23%	17%	24%	24%	23%	18%	19%	25%	17%	24%	22%
Very unfair	56%	56%	56%	36%	55%	44%	63%	72%	63%	33%	59%	52%	59%
Not sure	2%	0%	4%	3%	0%	0%	3%	3%	1%	6%	2%	2%	8%

Methodology

The survey of 508 registered Michigan voters was conducted for USTL on January 15-16, 2026. Field work for the survey was conducted by RMG Research, Inc. Certain quotas were applied, and the sample was lightly weighted by gender, age, and race.

The margin of sampling error for the full sample is +/- 4.3 percentage points.