



## WBUR Poll Massachusetts 2016 General Election Survey of 502 Likely Voters Field Dates October 13-16, 2016

Some questions held for later release.

I'm going to read you the names of several people who are active in public affairs. After I read each one please tell me if you have a generally favorable or generally unfavorable view of the person. If you have never heard of the person or if you are undecided, please just say so. **READ FIRST NAME.** How about **READ NEXT NAME?** 

**REPEAT QUESTION TEXT ONLY IF NECESSARY, PROBE IF RESPONDENT SAYS "DON'T KNOW".** Have you heard of **READ NAME** and are undecided about (him/her)? Or **PAUSE** have you never heard of (him/her)?

Order rotated.	Favorable	Unfavorable	Heard of / Undecided	Never heard of	Refused
Hillary Clinton	52%	40%	8%	0%	1%
Donald Trump	25%	68%	7%	0%	1%
Charlie Baker	55%	17%	22%	5%	1%
Elizabeth Warren	53%	36%	8%	2%	<1%
Jill Stein	16%	29%	28%	27%	<1%
Bill Weld	35%	27%	19%	18%	1%

If the election for President were held today, and the candidates were **ROTATE ORDER OF CANDIDATES** Democrat Hillary Clinton, Republican Donald Trump, Libertarian Gary Johnson, and Green Party candidate Jill Stein **(STINE)**, for whom would you vote?

If undecided, ask... Even though you say you are undecided -- which way are you leaning as of today? List not read unless requested by respondent. Order rotated, if read.

*If Johnson or Stein voter or leaners, ask...* What if the election were <u>just</u> between Democrat Hillary Clinton and Republican Donald Trump? If it were just the two of them, for whom would you vote?

	Sep	Oct
Initial preference	7-10	13-16
Hillary Clinton	52%	52%
Donald Trump	26%	27%
Gary Johnson	7%	6%
Jill Stein	4%	3%
Another candidate (not read)	3%	2%
Refused (not read)	1%	2%
Don't Know / Undecided (not read)	8%	7%
Vote preference with leaners		
Hillary Clinton	54%	54%
Donald Trump	28%	28%
Gary Johnson	9%	7%
Jill Stein	4%	3%
Another candidate (not read)	3%	2%
Don't Know / Refused (not read)	3%	6%
Vote preference, head-to-head		
Hillary Clinton	60%	57%
Donald Trump	31%	31%
Another candidate (not read)	5%	3%
Don't Know / Refused (not read)	5%	9%

Do you approve or disapprove of the job Charlie Baker is doing as Governor?

Approve	68%
Disapprove	14%
Don't Know / Refused	18%

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Governor Charlie Baker is handling the situation with the MBTA?

	July	Oct
	2015	13-16
Approve	53%	41%
Disapprove	21%	21%
Don't Know / Refused	26%	37%

## **Demographics**

Party Registration	Democrat Republican Unenrolled	35% 12% 53%
Race		
	White / Caucasian All others Don't Know / Refused	83% 14% 3%
Age		
	18 to 29 30 to 44 45 to 59 60+	15% 23% 32% 30%
Gender		
	Male Female	48% 52%
Education		
	High School or less Some college, no degree College graduate (BA/BS) Advanced degree Don't know / refused	18% 27% 31% 22% 2%

**About the Poll** 

These results are based on a survey of 502 likely voters in the 2016 General Election in Massachusetts. Live telephone interviews were conducted October 13-16, 2016 via both landline and cell phone using conventional registration based sampling procedures. The margin of sampling error is  $\pm$ 4.4 percentage points with a 95 percent level of confidence. The poll was sponsored by WBUR, a National Public Radio station in the Boston area.

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