

FOX NEWS POLL

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OHIO 2022 GOP PRIMARIES

Methodology

Interviews were conducted March 2-6, 2022 among a random sample of 918 Ohio Republican primary voters contacted on landlines (227) and cellphones (691).

Results based on the full sample have a margin of sampling error of ± 3 percentage points.

Telephone numbers were randomly selected from a statewide voter file of registered Ohio voters using a probability proportionate to size method, which means phone numbers are proportionally representative to the number of voters in all regions across the state. Respondents were screened to identify potential participants in the Ohio Republican primary elections.

The Fox News Poll is conducted under the joint direction of Beacon Research (D) and Shaw & Company Research (R).

Fieldwork conducted by Braun Research, Inc. of Princeton, NJ.

Results are of registered voters, unless otherwise noted.

An asterisk () is used for percentages of less than one-half percent.*

A dash (-) represents a value of zero.

Some percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding. In the same way, percentages in "total" columns may be one point more or less than the sum of their parts due to rounding.

1. How likely are you to vote in the May 3rd Ohio Republican primary election for governor and U.S. Senator -- will you definitely vote in the Republican primary, probably vote, probably not vote, or definitely not vote?

	<u>Definitely</u> <u>vote</u>	<u>Probably</u> <u>vote</u>	<u>Probably</u> <u>not vote</u>	<u>Definitely</u> <u>not vote</u>	<u>(Don't know)</u>
2-6 Mar 22	75%	25	-	-	-

2. How interested are you in the Republican primary election? Are you:

	<u>Extremely</u>	<u>Very</u>	<u>Somewhat</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>(Don't know)</u>
2-6 Mar 22	43%	31	21	4	2
Q3 Gibbons supporters	49%	31	17	1	2
Q3 Mandel supporters	49%	32	16	3	-
Q3 Vance supporters	48%	32	20	-	-

3. If the Ohio Republican primary election for U.S. Senator were held today, who would you vote for if the candidates were: **[RANDOMIZE]** **[IF NOT SURE: Well, if you had to decide today, which one would you choose?]**

	<u>2-6 Mar 22</u>
Mike Gibbons	22%
Josh Mandel	20
J.D. Vance	11
Jane Timken	9
Matt Dolan	7
Neil Patel	2
Mark Pukita	1
(Other)	*
(Wouldn't vote)	4
(Don't know)	24

[SKIP IF OTHER, WOULDN'T VOTE, OR DON'T KNOW IN Q3, ±3.5%]

4. Are you certain to support that candidate, or is there a chance you may change your mind?

	<u>Certain to support</u>	<u>May change mind</u>	<u>(Don't know)</u>
2-6 Mar 22	34%	62	4
Q3 Gibbons supporters	35%	62	3
Q3 Mandel supporters	32%	64	4
Q3 Vance supporters	31%	66	3

5. If the Republican primary election for governor were held today, who would you vote for if the candidates were: **[RANDOMIZE]** **[IF NOT SURE: Well, if you had to decide today, which one would you choose?]**

	<u>2-6 Mar 22</u>
Mike DeWine	50%
Joe Blystone	21
Jim Renacci	18
(Other)	*
(Wouldn't vote)	2
(Don't know)	10

[SKIP IF OTHER, WOULDN'T VOTE, OR DON'T KNOW IN Q5, ±3.5%]

6. Are you certain to support that candidate, or is there a chance you may change your mind?

	<u>Certain to support</u>	<u>May change mind</u>	<u>(Don't know)</u>
2-6 Mar 22	58%	40	3
Q5 DeWine supporters	60%	36	4
Q5 Blystone supporters	62%	36	2
Q5 Renacci supporters	45%	54	1

7.-10. In deciding your vote in the Republican primary for U.S. Senate, please tell me whether each of the following is extremely important, very, somewhat, or not at all important -- how important is it that the candidate shares your views on ... [RANDOMIZE]

	<u>Extremely</u>	<u>Very</u>	<u>Somewhat</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>(Don't know)</u>
Economic issues, like inflation, spending, and taxes?	56%	37	7	1	*
Immigration and border security?	49%	33	14	3	1
Social issues, like abortion, school curriculum, and transgender issues?	35%	34	21	9	1
COVID-19 policies, like mask and vaccine mandates?	29%	27	25	17	1

11.-13. I'm going to read you the names of several individuals. Please tell me whether you have a generally favorable or unfavorable opinion of each one. If you've never heard of one, please just say so. [IF FAVORABLE/UNFAVORABLE: Is that strongly (favorable / unfavorable) or only somewhat?] [RANDOMIZE]

	<u>-----Favorable-----</u>			<u>-----Unfavorable-----</u>			<u>(Can't say)</u>	<u>Never heard of</u>
	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Strongly</u>	<u>Somewhat</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Somewhat</u>	<u>Strongly</u>		
Donald Trump	78%	58	20	21	5	15	1	*
Mike DeWine	63%	28	35	34	16	18	2	*
Rob Portman	55%	19	37	26	14	12	11	8