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**To: Interested Parties** 

Subject: Indiana Voters Oppose ACA Repeal; Voters Say They Will Blame GOP for Upcoming Rate Increases

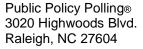
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A new Public Policy Polling survey finds that, by a 34-point margin, Indiana voters oppose repealing the Affordable Care Act and instead want to keep what works and fix what doesn't. A plurality of voters – 49% – say they'll hold Republicans in Washington responsible for health care premium increase announcements this summer and fall – a gaping 29-point margin over those who would not.

Key findings from the survey include:

- By a 61-27 margin, voters say they want to keep what works about the Affordable Care Act and fix what doesn't, rather than repeal it and start over with a new healthcare law independent voters agree by a 55-24 margin.
- Voters say they will blame Republicans if health care premiums increase this summer. 49% say they will hold Republicans in Washington responsible if rates increase, compared to just 20% who said they would not.
- A plurality of voters (48%) say they believe Washington Republicans and President Trump have been trying to undermine and sabotage the Affordable Care Act and a plurality of independent voters (44%) also say they agree with that statement.

PPP surveyed 525 registered voters Indiana from May 9-10, 2018. The margin of error is +/- 4.3%. The survey was conducted using an online panel of registered voters for Protect Our Care.



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## **Indiana Survey Results**

| Q1 | Do you approve or disapprove of President Donald Trump's job performance?   | Q6 | Do you think Washington Republicans and President Trump have been trying to undermine and sabotage the Affordable Care Act, or not?                   |     |
|----|---|----|---|-----|
|    | Approve48%  |    |   |     |
|    | Disapprove 40%  |    | Think Washington Republicans and  |     |
| Q2 | Not sure  |    | President Trump have been trying to undermine and sabotage the Affordable Care Act  | 48% |
|    | Support   |    | Do not think Washington Republicans and<br>President Trump have been trying to<br>undermine and sabotage the Affordable<br>Care Act28%                | d   |
|    | Oppose35%   |    |   | 28% |
|    | Not sure  |    | Not sure  |     |
| Q3 | Which of the following would you most like to see the Congress do about the Affordable Care Act, given the choices of: keeping what works and fixing what doesn't, or repealing it and starting over with a new healthcare law? | Q7 | In the election for President, did you vote for Republican Donald Trump, Democrat Hillary Clinton, someone else, or did you not vote in the election? |     |
|    | Keep what works and fix what doesn't 61%  |    | Donald Trump  |     |
|    | Repeal it and start over with a new   |    | Hillary Clinton   |     |
|    | healthcare law27%   |    | Someone else / Did not vote   |     |
|    | Not sure12%   | Q8 | If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.   |     |
|    | Vould you be more likely or less likely to vote or a candidate who supports repealing the affordable Care Act, or would it not make a lifference?   |    | Woman<br>Man  |     |
|    | More likely   | Q9 | If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If an independent, press 3.   |     |
|    | Less likely32%  |    |   |     |
|    | Wouldn't make a difference17%   |    | Democrat  | 33% |
|    | Not sure19%   |    | Repubican   | 39% |
| Q5 | Will you hold Republicans in Washington   |    | Independent   |     |
|    | Will hold Republicans in Washington responsible if health care premiums increase  |    | White   |     |
|    | this summer   |    | African American  | 11% |
|    | Will not hold Republicans in Washington responsible if health care premiums increase this summer20%   |    | Other   | 5%  |
|    | Not sure  |    |   |     |

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Q11 If you are 18-29 years old, press 1. If 30-45, press 2. If 46-65, press 3. If you are older than 65, press 4.

| 18 to 29      | . 10% |
|---------------|-------|
| 30 to 45      |       |
| 46 to 65      | 43%   |
| Older than 65 | 27%   |

