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To: Interested Parties

Subject: Majority of Wisconsin Voters Reject Trump and Republican Health Care Agenda Putting Trump's Re-Election Prospects in Badger State in Doubt

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On the eve of President Trump's visit to Wisconsin, a new Public Policy Polling survey finds that a majority of Wisconsin voters trust Democrats over President Trump on healthcare. Democrats have a 10-point lead in trust over President Trump on the overall issue of healthcare (52% to 42%) and a 16-point lead with independents (53%-37%). A further 55% trust Democrats more to protect people with preexisting conditions, while 42% trust President Trump.

President Trump's war on Wisconsin's health care results in 50% of voters in Wisconsin (and 53% of independents) saying they are less likely to vote for President Trump again in 2020, while only 29% (and 22% of independents) are more likely to support him again. A majority of voters aged 18-45 (56%) and pluralities of voters aged 46-65 (48%) and older than 65 (46%) say they are less likely to vote for President Trump again in 2020 due to the Republican efforts to repeal the ACA.

Trump's health care agenda is widely rejected by Wisconsinites:

- By 25-points (57% to 32%) people do not support Trump's lawsuit to strike down the ACA. Support for his lawsuit falls to only 27% with independents.
- A large majority (68% to 18%) further oppose Trump's proposed budget that cuts \$1-trillion from Medicaid and \$845-billion from Medicare. A plurality of Republicans (45%) oppose it as do a majority of Democrats (92%) and independents (68%).
- Wisconsin voters also support the Affordable Care Act itself. A majority of voters (58%) oppose repealing the ACA, with only 23% supporting repeal and only 13% of independents supporting Trump's repeal.

PPP surveyed 762 Wisconsin voters from April 23-24, 2019. The margin of error is +/- 3.6%. This poll was conducted by telephone.





Wisconsin Survey Results

Q1 Do you approve or disapprove of President Donald Trump's job performance?

Approve 44%
Disapprove 54%
Not sure 2%

Q2 If the election for President was held today, would you vote for Republican Donald Trump, or his Democratic opponent?

Donald Trump 44%
Democratic opponent 53%
Not sure 4%

Q3 Who do you trust more on the issue of health care: President Trump, or Democrats?

President Trump 42%
Democrats 52%
Not sure 6%

Q4 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?

Would most like Congress to keep what works and fix what doesn't 62%
Would most like Congress to repeal the ACA and start over with a new healthcare law 32%
Not sure 7%

Q5 Do you support or oppose the Republican efforts to repeal the Affordable Care Act without any replacement?

Support 23%
Oppose 58%
Not sure 19%

Q6 Who do you trust more on the issue of protecting health care for people with preexisting conditions: President Trump, or Democrats?

President Trump 42%
Democrats 55%
Not sure 4%

Q7 Recently President Trump proposed a new budget for the country that includes a more than \$1-trillion dollar cut to Medicaid and an \$845-billion dollar cut to Medicare. Do you support or oppose these proposed cuts to Medicaid and Medicare?

Support 18%
Oppose 68%
Not sure 14%

Q8 Recently the Trump administration's Justice Department went to court to strike down the entire Affordable Care Act. Do you think the Affordable Care Act should be struck down by the courts, or not?

Think the Affordable Care Act should be struck down 32%
Do not think the Affordable Care Act should be struck down 57%
Not sure 12%

Q9 Do Republican efforts to repeal or strike down the Affordable Care Act make you more likely or less likely to vote for President Trump next time, or do they not make a difference?

More likely 29%
Less likely 50%
It doesn't make a difference 20%
Not sure 1%





Q10 Does the Republican health care agenda make you more likely or less likely to vote for President Trump next time, or does it not make a difference?

More likely 29%
Less likely 49%
It doesn't make a difference 20%
Not sure 1%

Q11 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?

Donald Trump 47%
Hillary Clinton 46%
Someone else / Did not vote 7%

Q12 If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

Woman 53%
Man 47%

Q13 If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If an independent, press 3.

Democrat 32%
Republican 32%
Independent 36%

Q14 If you are white, press 1. If other, press 2.

White 88%
Other 12%

Q15 If you are 18-45 years old, press 1. If 46-65, press 2. If older than 65, press 3.

18 to 45 31%
46 to 65 38%
Older than 65 31%





	Base	2016 Vote		
		Donald Trump	Hillary Clinton	Someone else / Did not vote
Trump Approval				
Approve	44%	86%	4%	24%
Disapprove	54%	13%	95%	69%
Not sure	2%	1%	1%	8%

	Base	2016 Vote		
		Donald Trump	Hillary Clinton	Someone else / Did not vote
Trump / Democratic Opponent				
Donald Trump	44%	86%	2%	22%
Democratic opponent	53%	10%	96%	64%
Not sure	4%	4%	2%	14%

	Base	2016 Vote		
		Donald Trump	Hillary Clinton	Someone else / Did not vote
Trust More on Health Care: Trump / Democrats				
President Trump	42%	84%	2%	24%
Democrats	52%	10%	94%	65%
Not sure	6%	7%	4%	11%

	Base	2016 Vote		
		Donald Trump	Hillary Clinton	Someone else / Did not vote
Congressional Action Regarding ACA				
Would most like Congress to keep what works and fix what doesn't	62%	34%	89%	65%
Would most like Congress to repeal the ACA and start over with a new healthcare law	32%	57%	6%	24%
Not sure	7%	8%	5%	10%





	Base	2016 Vote		
		Donald Trump	Hillary Clinton	Someone else / Did not vote
Republican Efforts to Repeal ACA Without Replacement Support / Oppose				
Support	23%	44%	3%	11%
Oppose	58%	31%	83%	72%
Not sure	19%	24%	14%	17%

	Base	2016 Vote		
		Donald Trump	Hillary Clinton	Someone else / Did not vote
Trust More on Protecting Health Care for People With Preexisting Conditions: Trump / Democrats				
President Trump	42%	82%	3%	22%
Democrats	55%	13%	96%	67%
Not sure	4%	5%	1%	11%

	Base	2016 Vote		
		Donald Trump	Hillary Clinton	Someone else / Did not vote
Trump's Proposed Cuts to Medicaid and Medicare Support / Oppose				
Support	18%	35%	2%	6%
Oppose	68%	43%	91%	85%
Not sure	14%	22%	7%	9%

	Base	2016 Vote		
		Donald Trump	Hillary Clinton	Someone else / Did not vote
Think ACA Should Be Struck Down by Courts Yes / No				
Think the Affordable Care Act should be struck down	32%	61%	4%	14%
Do not think the Affordable Care Act should be struck down	57%	20%	94%	67%
Not sure	12%	19%	3%	19%





	Base	2016 Vote		
		Donald Trump	Hillary Clinton	Someone else / Did not vote
Republican Efforts to Repeal ACA More / Less Likely to Vote for Trump				
More likely	29%	57%	1%	16%
Less likely	50%	15%	85%	60%
It doesn't make a difference	20%	26%	13%	20%
Not sure	1%	2%	1%	3%

	Base	2016 Vote		
		Donald Trump	Hillary Clinton	Someone else / Did not vote
Republican Health Care Agenda More / Less Likely to Vote for Trump				
More likely	29%	58%	1%	16%
Less likely	49%	13%	84%	69%
It doesn't make a difference	20%	27%	14%	12%
Not sure	1%	2%	0%	3%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Trump Approval			
Approve	44%	38%	51%
Disapprove	54%	60%	48%
Not sure	2%	2%	1%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Trump / Democratic Opponent			
Donald Trump	44%	37%	51%
Democratic opponent	53%	58%	47%
Not sure	4%	5%	2%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Trust More on Health Care: Trump / Democrats			
President Trump	42%	37%	48%
Democrats	52%	55%	49%
Not sure	6%	8%	3%



	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Congressional Action Regarding ACA			
Would most like Congress to keep what works and fix what doesn't	62%	65%	58%
Would most like Congress to repeal the ACA and start over with a new healthcare law	32%	26%	39%
Not sure	7%	10%	4%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Republican Efforts to Repeal ACA Without Replacement Support / Oppose			
Support	23%	17%	30%
Oppose	58%	61%	54%
Not sure	19%	22%	16%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Trust More on Protecting Health Care for People With Preexisting Conditions: Trump / Democrats			
President Trump	42%	37%	47%
Democrats	55%	58%	51%
Not sure	4%	5%	3%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Trump's Proposed Cuts to Medicaid and Medicare Support / Oppose			
Support	18%	12%	24%
Oppose	68%	75%	60%
Not sure	14%	13%	16%



	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Think ACA Should Be Struck Down by Courts Yes / No			
Think the Affordable Care Act should be struck down	32%	24%	40%
Do not think the Affordable Care Act should be struck down	57%	61%	52%
Not sure	12%	15%	8%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Republican Efforts to Repeal ACA More / Less Likely to Vote for Trump			
More likely	29%	24%	34%
Less likely	50%	52%	48%
It doesn't make a difference	20%	23%	17%
Not sure	1%	2%	1%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Republican Health Care Agenda More / Less Likely to Vote for Trump			
More likely	29%	24%	35%
Less likely	49%	53%	44%
It doesn't make a difference	20%	21%	19%
Not sure	1%	2%	1%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent
Trump Approval				
Approve	44%	9%	83%	41%
Disapprove	54%	90%	17%	56%
Not sure	2%	1%	1%	3%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent
Trump / Democratic Opponent				
Donald Trump	44%	7%	83%	40%
Democratic opponent	53%	91%	15%	53%
Not sure	4%	1%	3%	7%

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Trust More on Health Care: Trump / Democrats				
President Trump	42%	7%	83%	37%
Democrats	52%	89%	14%	53%
Not sure	6%	4%	3%	10%





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Congressional Action Regarding ACA				
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Would most like Congress to repeal the ACA and start over with a new healthcare law	32%	7%	60%	28%
Not sure	7%	7%	5%	9%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent
Republican Efforts to Repeal ACA Without Replacement Support / Oppose				
Support	23%	8%	45%	17%
Oppose	58%	79%	34%	60%
Not sure	19%	13%	21%	23%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent
Trust More on Protecting Health Care for People With Preexisting Conditions: Trump / Democrats				
President Trump	42%	9%	80%	37%
Democrats	55%	90%	16%	58%
Not sure	4%	1%	4%	5%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent
Trump's Proposed Cuts to Medicaid and Medicare Support / Oppose				
Support	18%	5%	35%	13%
Oppose	68%	92%	45%	68%
Not sure	14%	3%	20%	19%



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Think ACA Should Be Struck Down by Courts Yes / No				
Think the Affordable Care Act should be struck down	32%	7%	61%	27%
Do not think the Affordable Care Act should be struck down	57%	87%	25%	58%
Not sure	12%	6%	14%	15%

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Republican Efforts to Repeal ACA More / Less Likely to Vote for Trump				
More likely	29%	5%	59%	22%
Less likely	50%	77%	19%	53%
It doesn't make a difference	20%	16%	20%	23%
Not sure	1%	1%	1%	2%

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Republican Health Care Agenda More / Less Likely to Vote for Trump				
More likely	29%	5%	62%	22%
Less likely	49%	80%	15%	52%
It doesn't make a difference	20%	15%	20%	24%
Not sure	1%	0%	2%	2%

	Base	Race	
		White	Other
Trump Approval			
Approve	44%	48%	16%
Disapprove	54%	50%	81%
Not sure	2%	1%	2%

	Base	Race	
		White	Other
Trump / Democratic Opponent			
Donald Trump	44%	48%	13%
Democratic opponent	53%	49%	83%
Not sure	4%	4%	4%

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Support	23%	25%	8%
Oppose	58%	57%	62%
Not sure	19%	18%	30%

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Approve	44%	32%	51%	50%
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Not sure	2%	-	1%	4%

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Not sure	7%	6%	7%	7%

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Republican Efforts to Repeal ACA Without Replacement Support / Oppose				
Support	23%	22%	25%	22%
Oppose	58%	65%	57%	51%
Not sure	19%	13%	18%	27%

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Think ACA Should Be Struck Down by Courts Yes / No				
Think the Affordable Care Act should be struck down	32%	27%	38%	29%
Do not think the Affordable Care Act should be struck down	57%	67%	52%	52%
Not sure	12%	7%	10%	19%

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Not sure	1%	-	1%	3%

