



National Survey Results

Q1 Wolves in the United States were driven to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states in the late 1800s and early 1900s. They were reintroduced to places like Yellowstone National Park in the mid-1990s and populations have been growing ever since. Do you view that an important conservation success, or not?

View wolves' reintroduction and growing populations as an important conservation success 61%

Do not view wolves' reintroduction and growing populations as an important conservation success 20%

Not sure 19%

Q2 Do you think wolves are an important part of America's natural heritage?

Yes 61%

No 20%

Not sure 20%

Q3 Wolves have been protected under the Endangered Species Act for more than 40 years. The Trump administration has announced plans to remove those protections. That means nearly every wolf in the lower 48 states will no longer be protected. Do you support or oppose the Trump administration's plan to end wolf protections?

Support 29%

Oppose 54%

Not sure 17%

Q4 Trump's plan means that more wolves will be allowed to be hunted for sport. Do you support or oppose allowing more trophy hunting of wolves?

Support 26%

Oppose 58%

Not sure 16%

Q5 Trump's plan would also result in more wolves being trapped or poisoned. Do you support or oppose allowing more wolves to be trapped and poisoned?

Support 22%

Oppose 63%

Not sure 15%

Q6 Trump's new plan means that wolves are unlikely to return to some of their historic habitat, including wild areas in California, Colorado, and New York, where suitable habitat still exists. Do you support or oppose restoring wolves to some of their historic habitats?

Support 59%

Oppose 25%

Not sure 17%

Q7 Would you rather the federal government keep protections for wolves nationwide or take them away?

Would rather the federal government keep protections for wolves nationwide 56%

Would rather the federal government take protections away from wolves 27%

Not sure 16%

Q8 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 43%

Hillary Clinton 47%

Someone else / Did not vote 10%

Q9 If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2. If non-binary, other, or rather not say, press 3.

Woman 51%

Man 45%

Non-binary / Other / Rather not say 4%





Q10 If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If an independent, press 3.

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| <i>Democrat</i> | 38% |
| <i>Republican</i> | 33% |
| <i>Independent</i> | 29% |

Q11 If you are Hispanic or Latino, press 1. If white, press 2. If African-American, press 3. If other, press 4.

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| <i>Hispanic / Latino</i> | 9% |
| <i>White</i> | 73% |
| <i>African-American</i> | 12% |
| <i>Other</i> | 6% |

Q12 If you are 18-45 years old, press 1. If 46-65, press 2. If older than 65, press 3.

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| <i>18 to 45</i> | 23% |
| <i>46 to 65</i> | 45% |
| <i>Older than 65</i> | 32% |





| | Base | 2016 Vote | | |
|---|------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| | | Donald Trump | Hillary Clinton | Someone else / Did not vote |
| View Wolves' Reintroduction and Growing Populations as Conservation Success Yes / No | | | | |
| View wolves' reintroduction and growing populations as an important conservation success | 61% | 55% | 68% | 56% |
| Do not view wolves' reintroduction and growing populations as an important conservation success | 20% | 27% | 15% | 12% |
| Not sure | 19% | 18% | 17% | 32% |

| | Base | 2016 Vote | | |
|---|------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| | | Donald Trump | Hillary Clinton | Someone else / Did not vote |
| Think Wolves Are Important Part of America's Natural Heritage Yes / No | | | | |
| Yes | 61% | 55% | 65% | 62% |
| No | 20% | 26% | 13% | 22% |
| Not sure | 20% | 18% | 22% | 17% |

| | Base | 2016 Vote | | |
|---|------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| | | Donald Trump | Hillary Clinton | Someone else / Did not vote |
| Trump Administration's Plan to End Wolf Protections Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 29% | 53% | 8% | 24% |
| Oppose | 54% | 27% | 80% | 51% |
| Not sure | 17% | 20% | 12% | 26% |

| | Base | 2016 Vote | | |
|--|------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| | | Donald Trump | Hillary Clinton | Someone else / Did not vote |
| Allowing More Trophy Hunting of Wolves Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 26% | 45% | 10% | 21% |
| Oppose | 58% | 37% | 78% | 54% |
| Not sure | 16% | 18% | 11% | 25% |





| | Base | 2016 Vote | | |
|---|------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| | | Donald Trump | Hillary Clinton | Someone else / Did not vote |
| Allowing More Wolves To Be Trapped and Poisoned Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 22% | 41% | 6% | 16% |
| Oppose | 63% | 44% | 79% | 70% |
| Not sure | 15% | 15% | 15% | 15% |

| | Base | 2016 Vote | | |
|--|------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| | | Donald Trump | Hillary Clinton | Someone else / Did not vote |
| Restoring Wolves to Some of Their Historic Lands Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 59% | 46% | 72% | 51% |
| Oppose | 25% | 38% | 13% | 23% |
| Not sure | 17% | 16% | 15% | 26% |

| | Base | 2016 Vote | | |
|--|------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| | | Donald Trump | Hillary Clinton | Someone else / Did not vote |
| Would Rather Federal Government Keep / Take Away Protections for Wolves | | | | |
| Would rather the federal government keep protections for wolves nationwide | 56% | 34% | 77% | 59% |
| Would rather the federal government take protections away from wolves | 27% | 47% | 10% | 25% |
| Not sure | 16% | 20% | 13% | 16% |

| | Base | Gender | | |
|---|------|--------|-----|-------------------------------------|
| | | Woman | Man | Non-binary / Other / Rather not say |
| View Wolves' Reintroduction and Growing Populations as Conservation Success Yes / No | | | | |
| View wolves' reintroduction and growing populations as an important conservation success | 61% | 66% | 57% | 47% |
| Do not view wolves' reintroduction and growing populations as an important conservation success | 20% | 17% | 24% | 14% |
| Not sure | 19% | 17% | 19% | 39% |





| | Base | Gender | | |
|---|------------|--------|-----|-------------------------------------|
| | | Woman | Man | Non-binary / Other / Rather not say |
| Think Wolves Are Important Part of America's Natural Heritage Yes / No | | | | |
| Yes | 61% | 65% | 56% | 52% |
| No | 20% | 18% | 23% | 11% |
| Not sure | 20% | 17% | 21% | 36% |

| | Base | Gender | | |
|---|------------|--------|-----|-------------------------------------|
| | | Woman | Man | Non-binary / Other / Rather not say |
| Trump Administration's Plan to End Wolf Protections Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 29% | 24% | 35% | 29% |
| Oppose | 54% | 62% | 47% | 44% |
| Not sure | 17% | 15% | 18% | 27% |

| | Base | Gender | | |
|--|------------|--------|-----|-------------------------------------|
| | | Woman | Man | Non-binary / Other / Rather not say |
| Allowing More Trophy Hunting of Wolves Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 26% | 20% | 34% | 22% |
| Oppose | 58% | 67% | 48% | 58% |
| Not sure | 16% | 13% | 18% | 19% |

| | Base | Gender | | |
|---|------------|--------|-----|-------------------------------------|
| | | Woman | Man | Non-binary / Other / Rather not say |
| Allowing More Wolves To Be Trapped and Poisoned Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 22% | 13% | 33% | 19% |
| Oppose | 63% | 73% | 53% | 51% |
| Not sure | 15% | 14% | 15% | 30% |

| | Base | Gender | | |
|--|------------|--------|-----|-------------------------------------|
| | | Woman | Man | Non-binary / Other / Rather not say |
| Restoring Wolves to Some of Their Historic Lands Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 59% | 67% | 49% | 55% |
| Oppose | 25% | 18% | 32% | 27% |
| Not sure | 17% | 15% | 19% | 18% |





| | Base | Gender | | |
|---|------------|--------|-----|-------------------------------------|
| | | Woman | Man | Non-binary / Other / Rather not say |
| Would Rather Federal Government Keep / Take Away Protections for Wolves | | | | |
| Would rather the federal government keep protections for wolves nationwide | 56% | 64% | 49% | 44% |
| Would rather the federal government take protections away from wolves | 27% | 20% | 36% | 19% |
| Not sure | 16% | 16% | 15% | 37% |

| | Base | Party | | |
|--|------------|----------|------------|-------------|
| | | Democrat | Republican | Independent |
| View Wolves' Reintroduction and Growing Populations as Conservation Success Yes / No | | | | |
| View wolves' reintroduction and growing populations as an important conservation success | 61% | 70% | 57% | 55% |
| Do not view wolves' reintroduction and growing populations as an important conservation success | 20% | 17% | 28% | 15% |
| Not sure | 19% | 14% | 14% | 31% |

| | Base | Party | | |
|---|------------|----------|------------|-------------|
| | | Democrat | Republican | Independent |
| Think Wolves Are Important Part of America's Natural Heritage Yes / No | | | | |
| Yes | 61% | 61% | 55% | 66% |
| No | 20% | 19% | 26% | 14% |
| Not sure | 20% | 20% | 19% | 21% |

| | Base | Party | | |
|---|------------|----------|------------|-------------|
| | | Democrat | Republican | Independent |
| Trump Administration's Plan to End Wolf Protections Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 29% | 17% | 51% | 20% |
| Oppose | 54% | 74% | 30% | 56% |
| Not sure | 17% | 9% | 19% | 24% |





| | Base | Party | | |
|---|------|----------|------------|-------------|
| | | Democrat | Republican | Independent |
| Allowing More Trophy Hunting of Wolves | | | | |
| Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 26% | 15% | 42% | 22% |
| Oppose | 58% | 74% | 38% | 59% |
| Not sure | 16% | 10% | 19% | 18% |

| | Base | Party | | |
|--|------|----------|------------|-------------|
| | | Democrat | Republican | Independent |
| Allowing More Wolves To Be Trapped and Poisoned | | | | |
| Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 22% | 14% | 39% | 14% |
| Oppose | 63% | 78% | 47% | 61% |
| Not sure | 15% | 9% | 14% | 25% |

| | Base | Party | | |
|---|------|----------|------------|-------------|
| | | Democrat | Republican | Independent |
| Restoring Wolves to Some of Their Historic Lands | | | | |
| Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 59% | 72% | 54% | 47% |
| Oppose | 25% | 14% | 35% | 28% |
| Not sure | 17% | 14% | 12% | 25% |

| | Base | Party | | |
|---|------|----------|------------|-------------|
| | | Democrat | Republican | Independent |
| Would Rather Federal Government Keep / Take Away Protections for Wolves | | | | |
| Would rather the federal government keep protections for wolves nationwide | 56% | 74% | 38% | 54% |
| Would rather the federal government take protections away from wolves | 27% | 17% | 44% | 22% |
| Not sure | 16% | 9% | 18% | 23% |





| | Base | Race | | | |
|---|------|-------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| | | Hispanic / Latino | White | African-American | Other |
| View Wolves' Reintroduction and Growing Populations as Conservation Success Yes / No | | | | | |
| View wolves' reintroduction and growing populations as an important conservation success | 61% | 58% | 67% | 33% | 59% |
| Do not view wolves' reintroduction and growing populations as an important conservation success | 20% | 26% | 18% | 30% | 20% |
| Not sure | 19% | 16% | 16% | 38% | 21% |

| | Base | Race | | | |
|---|------|-------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| | | Hispanic / Latino | White | African-American | Other |
| Think Wolves Are Important Part of America's Natural Heritage Yes / No | | | | | |
| Yes | 61% | 44% | 66% | 38% | 67% |
| No | 20% | 25% | 18% | 27% | 16% |
| Not sure | 20% | 30% | 16% | 35% | 17% |

| | Base | Race | | | |
|---|------|-------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| | | Hispanic / Latino | White | African-American | Other |
| Trump Administration's Plan to End Wolf Protections Support / Oppose | | | | | |
| Support | 29% | 10% | 32% | 22% | 31% |
| Oppose | 54% | 59% | 52% | 64% | 60% |
| Not sure | 17% | 31% | 16% | 14% | 9% |

| | Base | Race | | | |
|--|------|-------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| | | Hispanic / Latino | White | African-American | Other |
| Allowing More Trophy Hunting of Wolves Support / Oppose | | | | | |
| Support | 26% | 15% | 28% | 19% | 22% |
| Oppose | 58% | 68% | 57% | 55% | 68% |
| Not sure | 16% | 16% | 14% | 25% | 10% |





| | Base | Race | | | |
|---|------|-------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| | | Hispanic / Latino | White | African-American | Other |
| Allowing More Wolves To Be Trapped and Poisoned Support / Oppose | | | | | |
| Support | 22% | 19% | 24% | 10% | 23% |
| Oppose | 63% | 51% | 64% | 61% | 73% |
| Not sure | 15% | 30% | 12% | 28% | 4% |

| | Base | Race | | | |
|--|------|-------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| | | Hispanic / Latino | White | African-American | Other |
| Restoring Wolves to Some of Their Historic Lands Support / Oppose | | | | | |
| Support | 59% | 65% | 59% | 60% | 41% |
| Oppose | 25% | 17% | 26% | 16% | 46% |
| Not sure | 17% | 18% | 15% | 24% | 13% |

| | Base | Race | | | |
|---|------|-------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| | | Hispanic / Latino | White | African-American | Other |
| Would Rather Federal Government Keep / Take Away Protections for Wolves | | | | | |
| Would rather the federal government keep protections for wolves nationwide | 56% | 62% | 56% | 59% | 49% |
| Would rather the federal government take protections away from wolves | 27% | 26% | 29% | 20% | 26% |
| Not sure | 16% | 12% | 15% | 22% | 25% |

| | Base | Age | | |
|--|------|----------|----------|---------------|
| | | 18 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| View Wolves' Reintroduction and Growing Populations as Conservation Success Yes / No | | | | |
| View wolves' reintroduction and growing populations as an important conservation success | 61% | 55% | 63% | 64% |
| Do not view wolves' reintroduction and growing populations as an important conservation success | 20% | 22% | 21% | 18% |
| Not sure | 19% | 23% | 17% | 19% |





| | Base | Age | | |
|---|------|----------|----------|---------------|
| | | 18 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| Think Wolves Are Important Part of America's Natural Heritage Yes / No | | | | |
| Yes | 61% | 58% | 61% | 62% |
| No | 20% | 20% | 24% | 14% |
| Not sure | 20% | 22% | 15% | 25% |

| | Base | Age | | |
|---|------|----------|----------|---------------|
| | | 18 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| Trump Administration's Plan to End Wolf Protections Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 29% | 26% | 32% | 26% |
| Oppose | 54% | 52% | 56% | 55% |
| Not sure | 17% | 22% | 12% | 19% |

| | Base | Age | | |
|--|------|----------|----------|---------------|
| | | 18 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| Allowing More Trophy Hunting of Wolves Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 26% | 23% | 30% | 22% |
| Oppose | 58% | 60% | 59% | 57% |
| Not sure | 16% | 17% | 11% | 21% |

| | Base | Age | | |
|---|------|----------|----------|---------------|
| | | 18 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| Allowing More Wolves To Be Trapped and Poisoned Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 22% | 33% | 21% | 15% |
| Oppose | 63% | 49% | 67% | 67% |
| Not sure | 15% | 18% | 12% | 18% |

| | Base | Age | | |
|--|------|----------|----------|---------------|
| | | 18 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| Restoring Wolves to Some of Their Historic Lands Support / Oppose | | | | |
| Support | 59% | 55% | 59% | 61% |
| Oppose | 25% | 32% | 26% | 18% |
| Not sure | 17% | 13% | 15% | 21% |





| | Base | Age | | |
|---|------------|----------|----------|---------------|
| | | 18 to 45 | 46 to 65 | Older than 65 |
| Would Rather Federal Government Keep / Take Away Protections for Wolves | | | | |
| Would rather the federal government keep protections for wolves nationwide | 56% | 51% | 58% | 59% |
| Would rather the federal government take protections away from wolves | 27% | 31% | 29% | 23% |
| Not sure | 16% | 17% | 14% | 19% |

