



Daily Kos

Iowa survey
November 2020

Overview

This report contains the results of a Civiqs survey of 853 likely voters in Iowa from October 29–November 1, 2020. The survey was conducted online, among selected members of the Civiqs research panel. Sampled individuals were emailed by Civiqs and responded using a personalized link to the survey at civiqs.com.

The survey results are weighted by age, race, gender, education, and party identification to be representative of the population of likely voters in Iowa. The general design effect due to weighting is 1.19. The survey has a margin of error of $\pm 3.7\%$ at the 95% confidence level, accounting for the design effect. All survey results in this report are reported as percentages.

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Topline Results

1. If the election for U.S. senator from Iowa were held today, who would you vote for?

Theresa Greenfield, Democrat	50%
Joni Ernst, Republican	47%
Rick Stewart, Libertarian	1%
Suzanne Herzog, Independent	0%
Someone else	0%
Unsure	1%

2. If the election for president of the United States were held today, and the choices were Donald Trump and Joe Biden, who would you vote for?

Joe Biden, Democrat	49%
Donald Trump, Republican	48%
Someone else	3%
Unsure	0%

3. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Joni Ernst?

Favorable	44%
Unfavorable	50%
Unsure	5%

4. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Theresa Greenfield?

Favorable	43%
Unfavorable	45%
Unsure	12%

5. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Chuck Grassley?

Favorable	45%
Unfavorable	47%
Unsure	8%

6. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Joe Biden?

Favorable	43%
Unfavorable	53%
Unsure	4%

7. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Donald Trump?

Favorable	47%
Unfavorable	52%
Unsure	2%

8. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Kim Reynolds?

Favorable	42%
Unfavorable	51%
Unsure	7%

Crosstabs

1. If the election for U.S. senator from Iowa were held today, who would you vote for?

	Total	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Female	Male
Theresa Greenfield, Democrat	50%	97%	4%	57%	59%	39%
Joni Ernst, Republican	47%	2%	94%	36%	40%	56%
Rick Stewart, Libertarian	1%	0%	1%	4%	0%	3%
Suzanne Herzog, Independent	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Someone else	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
Unsure	1%	0%	1%	2%	0%	2%

	Total	White	Other	White: Non-College	College
Theresa Greenfield, Democrat	50%	49%	54%	50%	48%
Joni Ernst, Republican	47%	48%	39%	47%	49%
Rick Stewart, Libertarian	1%	1%	2%	1%	3%
Suzanne Herzog, Independent	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Someone else	0%	0%	4%	0%	0%
Unsure	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%

	Total	Non-College	College grad	Postgrad	Urban	Suburban	Rural
Theresa Greenfield, Democrat	50%	49%	49%	55%	59%	51%	40%
Joni Ernst, Republican	47%	48%	47%	43%	38%	45%	56%
Rick Stewart, Libertarian	1%	1%	4%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Suzanne Herzog, Independent	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Someone else	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%
Unsure	1%	2%	0%	0%	1%	2%	1%

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	White: 18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Theresa Greenfield, Democrat	50%	67%	47%	48%	37%	68%	46%	48%	36%
Joni Ernst, Republican	47%	27%	49%	50%	62%	26%	49%	50%	63%
Rick Stewart, Libertarian	1%	3%	2%	0%	1%	2%	2%	0%	1%
Suzanne Herzog, Independent	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Someone else	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
Unsure	1%	3%	0%	1%	0%	3%	0%	1%	0%

	Total	Biden fav only	Trump fav only	Both unfav
Theresa Greenfield, Democrat	50%	98%	1%	73%
Joni Ernst, Republican	47%	1%	96%	11%
Rick Stewart, Libertarian	1%	0%	1%	11%
Suzanne Herzog, Independent	0%	0%	1%	0%
Someone else	0%	0%	0%	2%
Unsure	1%	1%	1%	4%

	Total	Already voted	Likely voter
Theresa Greenfield, Democrat	50%	67%	27%
Joni Ernst, Republican	47%	31%	67%
Rick Stewart, Libertarian	1%	0%	3%
Suzanne Herzog, Independent	0%	0%	1%
Someone else	0%	1%	0%
Unsure	1%	0%	3%

2. If the election for president of the United States were held today, and the choices were Donald Trump and Joe Biden, who would you vote for?

	Total	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Female	Male
Joe Biden, Democrat	49%	97%	4%	57%	58%	40%
Donald Trump, Republican	48%	2%	94%	37%	40%	57%
Someone else	3%	1%	1%	6%	2%	3%
Unsure	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%

	Total	White	Other	White: Non-College	College
Joe Biden, Democrat	49%	49%	54%	49%	48%
Donald Trump, Republican	48%	48%	44%	48%	49%
Someone else	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%
Unsure	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

	Total	Non-College	College grad	Postgrad	Urban	Suburban	Rural
Joe Biden, Democrat	49%	49%	50%	54%	60%	50%	39%
Donald Trump, Republican	48%	49%	48%	42%	36%	45%	59%
Someone else	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%	5%	2%
Unsure	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	White: 18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Joe Biden, Democrat	49%	68%	46%	46%	37%	70%	46%	46%	36%
Donald Trump, Republican	48%	29%	49%	52%	61%	27%	50%	52%	62%
Someone else	3%	3%	5%	1%	1%	3%	5%	2%	1%
Unsure	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%

	Total	Biden fav only	Trump fav only	Both unfav
Joe Biden, Democrat	49%	99%	0%	67%
Donald Trump, Republican	48%	1%	99%	7%
Someone else	3%	0%	1%	26%
Unsure	0%	0%	0%	0%

	Total	Already voted	Likely voter
Joe Biden, Democrat	49%	67%	26%
Donald Trump, Republican	48%	32%	68%
Someone else	3%	1%	5%
Unsure	0%	0%	1%

3. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Joni Ernst?

	Total	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Female	Male
Favorable	44%	3%	90%	31%	39%	51%
Unfavorable	50%	94%	5%	61%	60%	40%
Unsure	5%	3%	4%	8%	2%	9%

	Total	White	Other	White: Non-College	College
Favorable	44%	45%	38%	45%	46%
Unfavorable	50%	50%	56%	50%	50%
Unsure	5%	5%	6%	5%	4%

	Total	Non-College	College grad	Postgrad	Urban	Suburban	Rural
Favorable	44%	45%	45%	38%	34%	41%	53%
Unfavorable	50%	49%	52%	55%	62%	54%	41%
Unsure	5%	5%	3%	7%	4%	5%	6%

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	White: 18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Favorable	44%	27%	45%	47%	59%	26%	46%	47%	59%
Unfavorable	50%	66%	48%	49%	38%	67%	48%	49%	38%
Unsure	5%	7%	6%	4%	3%	7%	7%	4%	3%

	Total	Biden fav only	Trump fav only	Both unfav
Favorable	44%	1%	92%	2%
Unfavorable	50%	96%	3%	89%
Unsure	5%	3%	6%	10%

	Total	Already voted	Likely voter
Favorable	44%	29%	64%
Unfavorable	50%	67%	29%
Unsure	5%	4%	7%

4. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Theresa Greenfield?

	Total	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Female	Male
Favorable	43%	90%	4%	44%	52%	34%
Unfavorable	45%	3%	85%	37%	37%	54%
Unsure	12%	7%	11%	19%	11%	12%

	Total	White	Other	White: Non-College	College
Favorable	43%	43%	50%	43%	43%
Unfavorable	45%	45%	36%	45%	46%
Unsure	12%	12%	14%	12%	11%

	Total	Non-College	College grad	Postgrad	Urban	Suburban	Rural
Favorable	43%	42%	44%	49%	49%	45%	35%
Unfavorable	45%	45%	44%	43%	38%	42%	54%
Unsure	12%	12%	13%	8%	13%	13%	12%

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	White: 18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Favorable	43%	53%	40%	43%	36%	53%	40%	44%	35%
Unfavorable	45%	27%	46%	46%	60%	27%	47%	45%	61%
Unsure	12%	20%	13%	11%	4%	19%	13%	11%	4%

	Total	Biden fav only	Trump fav only	Both unfav
Favorable	43%	90%	1%	31%
Unfavorable	45%	1%	89%	35%
Unsure	12%	9%	10%	34%

	Total	Already voted	Likely voter
Favorable	43%	59%	24%
Unfavorable	45%	29%	65%
Unsure	12%	12%	12%

5. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Chuck Grassley?

	Total	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Female	Male
Favorable	45%	5%	88%	33%	38%	54%
Unfavorable	47%	89%	4%	58%	55%	38%
Unsure	8%	6%	8%	9%	7%	8%

	Total	White	Other	White: Non-College	College
Favorable	45%	46%	32%	45%	47%
Unfavorable	47%	47%	58%	47%	45%
Unsure	8%	7%	10%	7%	8%

	Total	Non-College	College grad	Postgrad	Urban	Suburban	Rural
Favorable	45%	45%	46%	43%	35%	43%	54%
Unfavorable	47%	47%	47%	51%	58%	52%	39%
Unsure	8%	8%	8%	6%	7%	5%	7%

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	White: 18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Favorable	45%	27%	42%	50%	61%	27%	43%	51%	62%
Unfavorable	47%	59%	50%	45%	36%	60%	49%	44%	35%
Unsure	8%	14%	8%	5%	3%	14%	8%	5%	3%

	Total	Biden fav only	Trump fav only	Both unfav
Favorable	45%	3%	88%	13%
Unfavorable	47%	90%	3%	79%
Unsure	8%	6%	8%	8%

	Total	Already voted	Likely voter
Favorable	45%	32%	62%
Unfavorable	47%	62%	28%
Unsure	8%	6%	9%

6. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Joe Biden?

	Total	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Female	Male
Favorable	43%	86%	5%	44%	51%	33%
Unfavorable	53%	7%	94%	52%	44%	64%
Unsure	4%	6%	1%	5%	4%	3%

	Total	White	Other	White: Non-College	College
Favorable	43%	42%	50%	41%	44%
Unfavorable	53%	54%	45%	56%	51%
Unsure	4%	4%	5%	3%	6%

	Total	Non-College	College grad	Postgrad	Urban	Suburban	Rural
Favorable	43%	41%	45%	49%	49%	45%	34%
Unfavorable	53%	56%	51%	43%	45%	53%	64%
Unsure	4%	3%	5%	7%	5%	2%	2%

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	White: 18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Favorable	43%	50%	39%	43%	38%	49%	39%	44%	37%
Unfavorable	53%	41%	57%	54%	61%	41%	58%	54%	62%
Unsure	4%	9%	4%	2%	1%	10%	3%	2%	1%

	Total	Biden fav only	Trump fav only	Both unfav
Favorable	43%	100%	0%	0%
Unfavorable	53%	0%	100%	100%
Unsure	4%	0%	0%	0%

	Total	Already voted	Likely voter
Favorable	43%	60%	21%
Unfavorable	53%	36%	76%
Unsure	4%	5%	3%

7. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Donald Trump?

	Total	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Female	Male
Favorable	47%	2%	93%	36%	39%	55%
Unfavorable	52%	98%	5%	62%	60%	42%
Unsure	2%	0%	2%	3%	1%	2%

	Total	White	Other	White: Non-College	College
Favorable	47%	47%	42%	48%	45%
Unfavorable	52%	52%	56%	51%	54%
Unsure	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%

	Total	Non-College	College grad	Postgrad	Urban	Suburban	Rural
Favorable	47%	49%	45%	37%	35%	43%	57%
Unfavorable	52%	50%	53%	62%	64%	54%	41%
Unsure	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	White: 18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Favorable	47%	27%	50%	49%	60%	26%	51%	49%	61%
Unfavorable	52%	72%	49%	48%	38%	73%	49%	48%	37%
Unsure	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%

	Total	Biden fav only	Trump fav only	Both unfav
Favorable	47%	0%	100%	0%
Unfavorable	52%	100%	0%	100%
Unsure	2%	0%	0%	0%

	Total	Already voted	Likely voter
Favorable	47%	30%	68%
Unfavorable	52%	69%	30%
Unsure	2%	1%	2%

8. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Kim Reynolds?

	Total	Democrat	Republican	Independent	Female	Male
Favorable	42%	2%	83%	33%	36%	49%
Unfavorable	51%	93%	8%	60%	58%	42%
Unsure	7%	4%	9%	7%	5%	9%

	Total	White	Other	White: Non-College	College
Favorable	42%	42%	37%	42%	44%
Unfavorable	51%	50%	59%	50%	50%
Unsure	7%	7%	4%	8%	5%

	Total	Non-College	College grad	Postgrad	Urban	Suburban	Rural
Favorable	42%	43%	43%	37%	34%	37%	53%
Unfavorable	51%	49%	52%	57%	61%	55%	41%
Unsure	7%	8%	5%	6%	5%	8%	5%

	Total	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	White: 18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Favorable	42%	26%	43%	45%	54%	25%	43%	46%	55%
Unfavorable	51%	68%	50%	48%	37%	68%	51%	49%	36%
Unsure	7%	6%	7%	6%	9%	7%	7%	6%	9%

	Total	Biden fav only	Trump fav only	Both unfav
Favorable	42%	2%	86%	7%
Unfavorable	51%	94%	5%	87%
Unsure	7%	4%	9%	6%

	Total	Already voted	Likely voter
Favorable	42%	28%	61%
Unfavorable	51%	67%	31%
Unsure	7%	6%	9%

Demographics

Party ID

Democrat	32%
Republican	38%
Independent	30%

Gender

Female	52%
Male	48%

Age

18-34	25%
35-49	24%
50-64	26%
65+	25%

Race

White	94%
Other	6%

Education

Non-College	67%
College grad	22%
Postgrad	11%

Turnout

Already voted	56%
Likely voter	44%