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**S3.** Are you currently registered to vote in [STATE]?

P1. When it comes to politics, do you generally think of yourself as a strong Democrat, not very strong Democrat, strong Republican, not very strong Republican, an independent, or some other political party? [IF INDEPENDENT/OTHER] Do you think of yourself as closer to the Democratic Party or the Republican Party?

MIWI. And as you may know, there will be a primary election for the Democratic nomination for president in [MARCH/APRIL] 2020. Many people only vote in November general elections, and not in the primary election when Democratic voters choose between Democratic candidates for president. How likely are you to vote in the [MARCH/APRIL] 2020 Democratic primary election for president?

| Yes                                     | 100%   |
|---|--------|
| No                                      | -      |
| Not sure                                | -      |
|   |        |
|   |        |
| Strong Democrat                         | 44%    |
| Weak Democrat                           | 19     |
| Independent / Closer to the Democrats   | 12     |
| Independent                             | 17     |
| Independent / Closer to the Republicans | 1      |
| Weak Republican                         | 3      |
| Strong Republican                       | 3<br>3 |
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| DEMOCRAT (NET)                          | 63%    |
| INDEPENDENT (NET)                       | 30     |
| REPUBLICAN (NET)                        | 6      |
|   |        |
| DEMOCRAT W/LEANERS (NET)                | 75%    |
| REPUBLICAN W/LEANERS (NET)              | 8      |
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|   |        |
| Definitely                              | 78%    |
| Probably                                | 11     |
| Chance 50-50                            | 11     |
|   | -      |
| Probably not                            | -      |
| Definitely not                          | -      |
|   |        |

B1. You will now read a list of issues that some people might consider when thinking about who they will support in the Democratic presidential primary. Please indicate how important it is to you personally that the Democratic candidate for president has a clear plan on each issue.

| _  | IMPORT           | ANT         | NOT IMPORTANT           |   |                                | NET              |                  |  |
|--|------------------|-------------|-------------------------|---|--------------------------------|------------------|------------------|--|
|  | <u>Essential</u> | <u>Very</u> | Not that Some important |   | Not <u>important</u><br>at all | <u>IMPORTANT</u> | NOT<br>IMPORTANT |  |
| Protecting Michigan's drinking water and the<br>Great Lakes from toxic contamination                           | 65%              | 31          | 4                       | - | *                              | 95               | *                |  |
| Protecting a woman's right to choose   | 52%              | 29          | 10                      | 3 | 5                              | 81               | 8                |  |
| Combating racism and promoting racial justice  | 47%              | 33          | 14                      | 3 | 3                              | 80               | 6                |  |
| Raising wages and incomes for working families   | 47%              | 37          | 15                      | 1 | 1                              | 83               | 2                |  |
| <ul> <li>Addressing the climate change crisis and<br/>moving the United States to 100% clean energy</li> </ul> | 45%              | 34          | 15                      | 2 | 4                              | 79               | 6                |  |
| Passing stronger policies to prevent gun<br>violence   | 45%              | 27          | 16                      | 8 | 4                              | 71               | 12               |  |
| Achieving universal health care coverage   | 39%              | 38          | 13                      | 5 | 5                              | 77               | 10               |  |

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| Providing a pathway to citizenship for<br>DREAMers and other immigrants  | 25%              | 39          | 23            | 8   | 5   | 64  | 13   |
| Q9. You will now read the same list of issues. This two or three most important issues to you personal candidate you will support in the Democratic president. | lly when dec     | ciding wh   |               | Lakes fro<br>Achieving<br>Raising w<br>Addressir<br>United St<br>Passing s<br>Protecting<br>Combatin<br>Providing | g Michigan's drink<br>m toxic contaminati<br>guniversal health cay<br>yages and incomes<br>ng the climate cha<br>ates to 100% clean<br>stronger policies to<br>g a woman's right to<br>gracism and prom<br>a pathway to citiz<br>nigrants | ion  are coverage  for working familie  nge crisis and mo  energy  prevent gun violen  o choose  oting racial justice  enship for DREAN |  |
| You will now see some questions regarding your vi  | iews on the      | environm    | nent and      | climate chan  | ige.  |   |  |
| Q10. How much of a problem do you consider clima   | ate change to    | be?         |               | A very se<br>A somew<br>Not that s<br>Not a pro   | rious problemhat serious problem serious of a problem blem  | 1   |  |
| Q11. Which of the following best describes you and   | your family?     | ?           |               | I am not to worry about I am not not a big I am not doubt I ex  | ady feeling the effects of the effects of the effects of the effects concern for me and feeling the effects or will   | of climate change<br>my family in the fu<br>of climate change<br>I my familys<br>of climate change                                      | yet, but I uture 54 and it is 8 ge and I 7 |

80%

**Q12.** Below are some statements about how quickly our policymakers should act to combat climate change. Please indicate which statement is closest to your own view, even if none are exactly right:

TAKE ACTION ASAP OR WITHIN YEAR (NET) .....

**Q13**. All things being equal, which of the following candidates would you be more likely to support for president?

**B2.** You will now see a list of different positions that a Democratic presidential candidate may have. For each, indicate how likely you would be to support a Democratic candidate for president that has taken each position.

|  | MORE LIKELY         |                |            | LESS LIKELY    |                  | NET            |                |
|--|---------------------|----------------|------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|
|  | Would only vote for | More<br>likely | Don't care | Less<br>likely | Never<br>support | MORE<br>LIKELY | LESS<br>LIKELY |
| • [SPLIT B] Supports full funding for efforts to protect the Great Lakes from threats like oil spills, plastic micro-beads, and Asian Carp.  | 32%                 | 65             | 2          | -              | 1                | 97             | 1              |
| Will act immediately to have the United States rejoin the Paris<br>Climate Agreement and strengthen international commitments to<br>reduce climate emissions.  | 30%                 | 54             | 10         | 3              | 4                | 83             | 6              |
| • [SPLIT A] Supports a plan to clean up toxic PFAS chemicals that have polluted many communities' drinking water in [STATE], including forcing the military to clean up PFAS pollution from its bases. | 28%                 | 67             | 3          | 1              | 1                | 95             | 2              |
| [SPLIT B] Supports policies that combat climate change by protecting and restoring forests which absorb the carbon pollution that causes climate change  | 26%                 | 64             | 6          | 2              | 2                | 90             | 3              |
| Has a plan to take immediate action on climate change by moving the United States to a 100% clean energy economy by no later than the year 2050.   | 21%                 | 64             | 7          | 4              | 3                | 86             | 7              |
| Has a plan to help retrain workers in the coal and oil industries so that they can get new jobs in the clean energy industry   | 16%                 | 69             | 11         | 2              | 3                | 84             | 5              |

**B2.** You will now see a list of different positions that a Democratic presidential candidate may have. For each, indicate how likely you would be to support a Democratic candidate for president that has taken each position.

|  | MORE LIKELY                     |    |    | LESS LIKELY |                      | NET                   |                  |                       |                       |
|--|---------------------------------|----|----|-------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
|  | Would only More vote for likely |    | ,  | ,           | Don't<br><u>care</u> | Less<br><u>likely</u> | Never<br>support | MORE<br><u>LIKELY</u> | LESS<br><u>LIKELY</u> |
| • [SPLIT A] Supports policies that encourage farmers and ranchers to implement practices that combat climate change by absorbing carbon pollution into their farmlands | 12%                             | 70 | 11 | 3           | 4                    | 82                    | 7                |                       |                       |
| Supports a plan to phase out gas-powered cars and trucks and transition the country to zero-emission vehicles, like electric cars, by 2050.                            | 10%                             | 58 | 19 | 8           | 5                    | 68                    | 13               |                       |                       |

B3. Thinking a little more about one of the specific items you just read about - some people have proposed a plan to move the United States to a 100% clean energy economy by no later than 2050. Please indicate whether you think a plan to move the United States to 100% clean energy will have a positive impact, a negative impact, or no impact on each of the following items.

|   | POSITIVE    |           | POSITIVE |             | No          | No NEGATIVE     |                 | N | ET |  |
|---|-------------|-----------|----------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|-----------------|---|----|--|
|   | <u>Very</u> | Very Some |          | <u>Some</u> | <u>Very</u> | <u>POSITIVE</u> | <u>NEGATIVE</u> | ı |    |  |
| [SPLIT A] The quality of the air we breathe   | 61%         | 30        | 4        | 2           | 2           | 91              | 4               |   |    |  |
| Future generations of your family             | 64%         | 24        | 6        | 3           | 3           | 88              | 6               |   |    |  |
| • [SPLIT B] The quality of the water we drink | 60%         | 27        | 7        | 3           | 3           | 87              | 6               |   |    |  |
| The health of families like yours             | 52%         | 33        | 9        | 3           | 3           | 85              | 6               |   |    |  |
| Climate change                                | 50%         | 33        | 11       | 4           | 3           | 82              | 7               |   |    |  |
| The economy and jobs                          | 36%         | 41        | 9        | 8           | 7           | 77              | 14              |   |    |  |
| Electricity bills of families like yours      | 33%         | 34        | 11       | 16          | 6           | 67              | 22              |   |    |  |

Now we would like to ask you about an issue that is important here in [STATE].

**Q27A.** [SPLIT A] As you may know, some people have proposed shutting down the Enbridge Line 5 oil pipeline under Lake Michigan immediately. Just based on what you know, do you support or oppose this proposal?

Q28B. [SPLIT B] Toxic PFAS chemicals used by the military and manufacturers have been detected at dangerous levels in drinking water supplies across [PIPE: STATE]. Some people have proposed that the President and Congress take immediate action to set tough standards for these chemicals, and to force the military to clean up PFAS contamination in communities near its bases. Just based on what you know, do you support or oppose this proposal?

| Somewhat support          | 50<br>11<br>8       |
|---------------------------|---------------------|
| SUPPORT (NET)OPPOSE (NET) | 81%<br>19           |
| Strongly support          | 73%<br>25<br>2<br>1 |
| SUPPORT (NET)             | 97%<br>3            |

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Hispanic/Latino.....

Other.....

The following questions are for statistical purposes only. Very liberal..... 21% **D105**. When it comes to politics, do you generally think of yourself as: Somewhat liberal ..... Moderate ..... 9 Somewhat conservative ..... 3 Very conservative ..... LIBERAL (NET) CONSERVATIVE (NET)..... 18-29 ..... 12% DAGE. What is your age? 30-44 ..... 45-54 ..... 15 55-64 ..... 22 27 65+..... 41% D100. What is your gender? Female..... 59 Did not complete high school ..... 2% D102. What is the highest education level that you have completed? Graduated high school 19 Attended technical/vocational school ..... 8 26 Attended some college but no degree..... Graduated two-year college with Associate's degree ..... 16 Graduated four-year college with Bachelor's degree ...... 15 Obtained Master's, PhD, or other professional degree ... 15

**DRACE**. To ensure we have a representative sample, please indicate your race. [IF BLACK/WHITE/OTHER] Do you consider yourself a Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish-speaking American?