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Suffolk University/USA TODAY National Voter Poll: Nearly Two-Thirds of Voters Believe Trump Will Be Convicted on Some Charges

BOSTON—Nearly two-thirds of voters (65%) believe that former President Donald Trump will be found guilty on some charges in the criminal "hush money" trial currently underway in New York City, according to a new Suffolk University/USA TODAY national poll of registered voters.

Exactly half (50%) predicted Trump would be found guilty on some—but not all—counts, while 15% said they believed he would be found guilty on all counts. Another 23% said he would likely be found not guilty on all counts, and 10% were undecided.

More than four in ten voters (44%) said they don't believe the trial so far has been fair, while 39% said Trump was getting a fair trial, with 16% of voters left undecided. Fairness cut along party lines, with 76% of Democrats saying Trump is receiving a fair trial, while 80% of Republicans claimed that the trial has not been fair. Independents were split evenly on the question of fairness at 37% each, with 24% undecided.

Methodology

The nationwide Suffolk University/USA TODAY survey was conducted April 30-May 3, through live interviews of 1,000 registered voters, residing in all 50 states and the District of Columbia. Quota and demographic information—including region, race, and age—were determined from 2020 national census data. States were grouped into four general regions. Surveys were administered in English and Spanish. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is +/-3.1 percentage points. Marginals and full cross-tabulation data are posted on the <u>Suffolk University Political Research Center</u> website. For more information, contact David Paleologos at 781-290-9310, <u>dpaleologos@suffolk.edu</u>.

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