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## **Most Democrats are very enthusiastic about Kamala Harris as the Democratic nominee**

**Washington DC, July 28, 2024** — In the first ABC News/Ipsos poll since President Joe Biden stepped out of the 2024 presidential election and endorsed Vice President Kamala Harris as his replacement on the Democratic ticket, enthusiasm and interest in voting has strengthened among Democrats. This comes as opinions of Republican nominee and former President Donald Trump have cooled slightly after jumping up in the week after the attempt on his life and the Republican National Convention.

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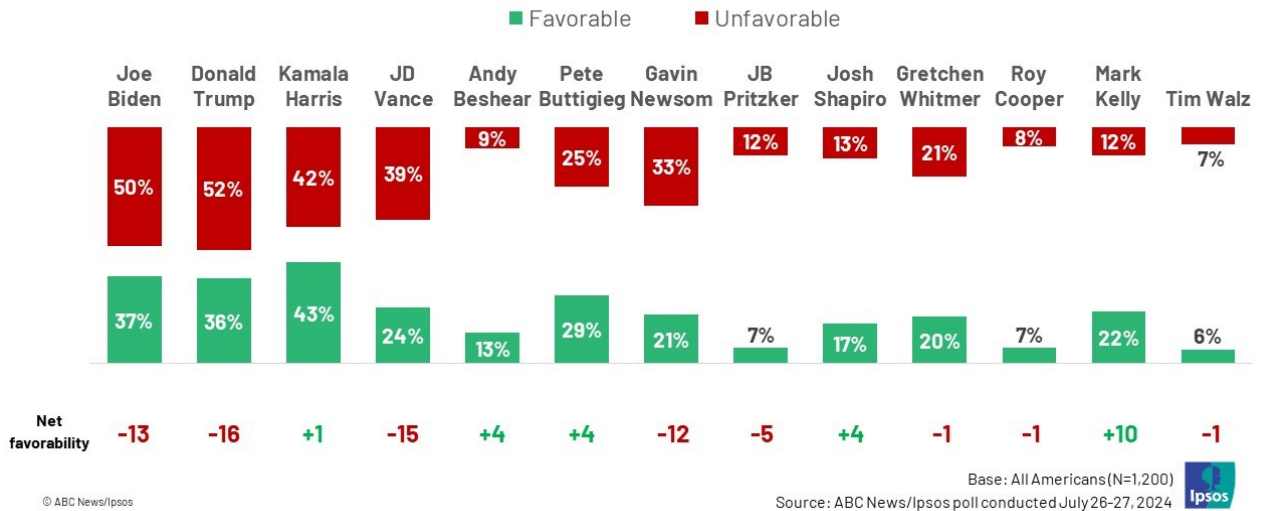
### **Detailed findings**

In the ongoing Democratic “veepstakes,” the majority of potential vice-presidential candidates remain unknown to large sections of the American public. Among the figures tested, U.S. Secretary of Transportation Pete Buttigieg and California Gov. Gavin Newsom are the most well-known among Americans, but Arizona Sen. Mark Kelly, Pennsylvania Gov. Josh Shapiro, Kentucky Gov. Andy Beshear, and Buttigieg have the most positive profile (greater favorable than unfavorable evaluations) with the

public.

## Mark Kelly seen most favorably out of potential Harris running mates

Overall, do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of:

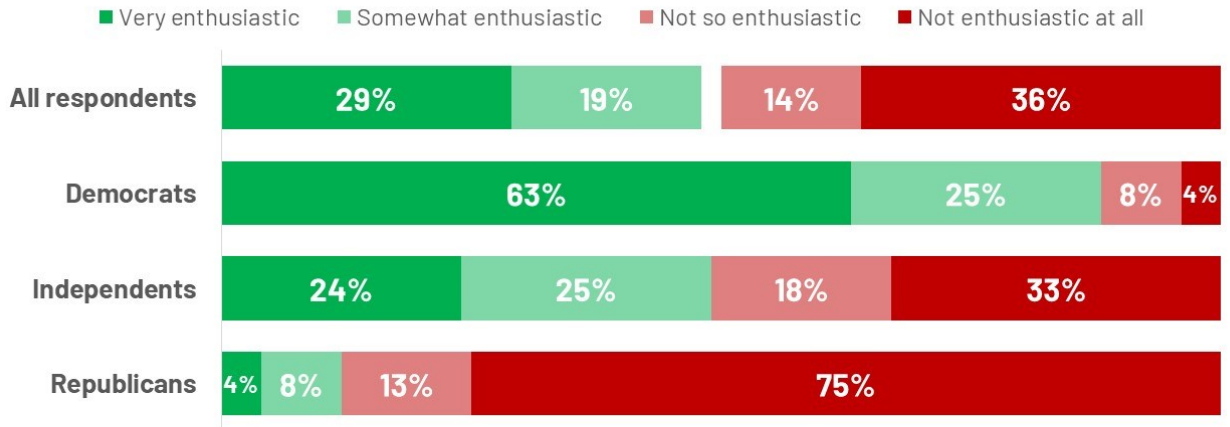


- A large majority (86%) of Democrats and half (52%) of Americans say that Harris should be the Democratic nominee for president, with 14% of Democrats saying the party should select a different nominee.
- Nine in ten (88%) Democrats are enthusiastic (63% very and 25% somewhat) about Harris becoming the Democratic nominee. In comparison, 82% of Republicans say they are enthusiastic about Trump being the Republican

nominee.

## Majority of Democrats are very enthusiastic about Kamala Harris becoming the Democratic nominee for president

How would you feel if Kamala Harris becomes the Democratic nominee for president?



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Base: All Americans (N=1,200)  
Source: ABC News/Ipsos poll conducted July 26-27, 2024



- Two-thirds (66%) of Americans report they are “absolutely certain to vote” in the upcoming presidential election, including 76% of Democrats and 78% of Republicans. This is up from 70% among Democrats and roughly unchanged among Republicans (75%) from the last ABC News/Ipsos poll produced before Biden left the race.
- Among the potential Democratic VP picks, Buttigieg (54% offering an opinion) and Newsom (also 54%) are the most known to the American public. However, Kelly (22% favorable, 12% unfavorable), Shapiro (17% favorable, 13% unfavorable), Beshear (13% favorable, 9% unfavorable), and Buttigieg (29% favorable, 25% unfavorable) and have the most positive profiles among those familiar with them.
- Views of Joe Biden have improved slightly since he stepped out of the 2024 race. Currently, 37% of Americans report a favorable opinion of the President, up from 32% the week of the RNC.

### About the Study

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- Metropolitan status (Metro, non-Metro)
- Household Income (Under \$25,000, \$25,000-\$49,999, \$50,000-\$74,999, \$75,000-\$99,999, \$100,000-\$149,999, \$150,000+)
- Party ID (Republican/lean Republican, Independent/Something else, Lean Democrat/Democrat)
- Race/ethnicity (White/Other Non-Hispanic, Black Non-Hispanic, Hispanic) by Gender (Male, Female)
- Race/ethnicity (White/Other Non-Hispanic, Black Non-Hispanic, Hispanic) by Age (18-44, 45+)
- Race/ethnicity (White/Other Non-Hispanic, Black Non-Hispanic, Hispanic) by Education (Some college or less, Bachelor and beyond)



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### ABC News/Ipsos Poll

Conducted by Ipsos using the probability-based KnowledgePanel®

**A survey of the American general population (ages 18+)**

Interview dates: July 26-July 27, 2024

Number of interviews, adults: 1,200

Margin of error for the total sample: +/- 3.0 percentage points at the 95% confidence level

NOTE: All results show percentages among all respondents, unless otherwise labeled. Reduced bases are unweighted values.

NOTE: \* = less than 0.5%, - = no respondents

1a. Overall, do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of:

Joe Biden

Wave:	Favorable	Unfavorable	No opinion	Don't know	Skipped
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>
July 19-20, 2024	32	55	9	4	*
May 31-June 1, 2024	32	54	11	3	*
March 8-9, 2024	33	54	11	3	*
November 3-4, 2023	33	50	14	3	-
August 15-16, 2023	31	54	12	3	*
August 2-3, 2023	33	52	12	2	*
June 9-10, 2023	31	52	13	3	*
April 6-7, 2023	34	48	14	3	*
March 31-April 1, 2023	32	49	16	3	-
October 23-24, 2020	44	43	9	3	*
August 28-29, 2020	46	40	10	4	1
August 21-22, 2020	45	40	11	4	1
August 11-12, 2020	40	43	12	5	*



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1b. Overall, do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of:

Donald Trump

Wave:	Favorable	Unfavorable	No opinion	Don't know	Skipped
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>
July 19-20, 2024	40	51	7	2	*
May 31-June 1, 2024	31	56	10	3	*
March 8-9, 2024	29	59	9	3	-
November 3-4, 2023	29	60	8	2	*
August 15-16, 2023	31	55	12	3	-
August 2-3, 2023	30	59	9	2	*
June 9-10, 2023	31	56	9	4	*
April 6-7, 2023	25	61	12	1	*
March 31-April 1, 2023	29	55	14	3	-
October 23-24, 2020	35	57	6	1	1
August 28-29, 2020	31	59	7	2	1
August 21-22, 2020	32	60	5	2	*
August 11-12, 2020	35	58	5	2	*

1c. Overall, do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of:

Kamala Harris

Wave:	Favorable	Unfavorable	No opinion	Don't know	Skipped
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>
July 19-20, 2024	35	46	13	5	1
August 28-29, 2020	43	34	14	8	1
August 21-22, 2020	41	35	15	9	*
August 11-12, 2020	35	31	22	12	*

1d. Overall, do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of:

JD Vance

Wave:	Favorable	Unfavorable	No opinion	Don't know	Skipped
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1</b>
July 19-20, 2024	25	31	22	21	1

1e. Overall, do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of:

Andy Beshear

Wave:	Favorable	Unfavorable	No opinion	Don't know	Skipped
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>1</b>
July 19-20, 2024	9	9	33	48	1

1f. Overall, do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of:

Pete Buttigieg

Wave:	Favorable	Unfavorable	No opinion	Don't know	Skipped
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>*</b>
July 19-20, 2024	27	24	23	25	*



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1g. Overall, do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of:

Gavin Newsom

Wave:	Favorable	Unfavorable	No opinion	Don't know	Skipped
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>1</b>
July 19-20, 2024	21	33	21	24	1

1h. Overall, do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of:

JB Pritzker

Wave:	Favorable	Unfavorable	No opinion	Don't know	Skipped
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>1</b>
July 19-20, 2024	8	12	31	49	1

1i. Overall, do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of:

Josh Shapiro

Wave:	Favorable	Unfavorable	No opinion	Don't know	Skipped
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>2</b>
July 19-20, 2024	10	13	32	45	*

1j. Overall, do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of:

Gretchen Whitmer

Wave:	Favorable	Unfavorable	No opinion	Don't know	Skipped
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>1</b>
July 19-20, 2024	19	19	25	36	1

1k. Overall, do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of:

Roy Cooper

Wave:	Favorable	Unfavorable	No opinion	Don't know	Skipped
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>1</b>

1l. Overall, do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of:

Mark Kelly

Wave:	Favorable	Unfavorable	No opinion	Don't know	Skipped
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>1</b>



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1m. Overall, do you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of:

Tim Walz

Wave:	Favorable	Unfavorable	No opinion	Don't know	Skipped
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>1</b>

2. Do you think Kamala Harris should be the Democratic nominee for president or should the Democratic Party select a different person to be the nominee?

Wave:	<u>Kamala Harris should be the Democratic nominee</u>	<u>The Democratic Party should select a different person to be the nominee</u>	<u>Skipped</u>
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>4</b>

3. How would you feel if Kamala Harris becomes the Democratic nominee for president?

Wave:	<u>Very enthusiastic</u>	<u>Somewhat enthusiastic</u>	<u>Not so enthusiastic</u>	<u>Not enthusiastic at all</u>	<u>Skipped</u>	<u>Total enthusiastic</u>	<u>Total not enthusiastic</u>
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>50</b>

4. How do you feel about Donald Trump as the Republican nominee for president?

Wave:	<u>Very enthusiastic</u>	<u>Somewhat enthusiastic</u>	<u>Not so enthusiastic</u>	<u>Not enthusiastic at all</u>	<u>Skipped</u>	<u>Total enthusiastic</u>	<u>Total not enthusiastic</u>
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5. Thinking ahead, how likely are you to vote in the presidential election in November?

<i>Wave:</i>	<u>Absolutely certain to vote</u>	<u>Probably will vote</u>	<u>Chances are 50-50</u>	<u>Less likely than that</u>	<u>Skipped</u>
<b>July 26-27, 2024</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1</b>
July 9, 2024	62	10	8	20	*
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