

Tracking Public Opinion of Trump's Washington

Trump's economic approval ratings return to record low post-jobs report



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Morning Consult is tracking what voters across the country think about how President Donald Trump and Republicans in Congress are governing the United States ahead of the 2026 midterm elections. Each week, we'll update this page with fresh and timely data on all of the major questions facing Washington, including views about the people in charge, the issues dominating the conversation and what is actually breaking through to the electorate.

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KEY TAKEAWAYS

- **Trump's approval ratings continue to oscillate:** Trump's approval rating ticked back down to 45% (down 2 percentage points from last week) while his disapproval rating increased to 52% (up 2 points). In each of our past six surveys, Trump's net approval rating has alternated between being 7 percentage points underwater or 3 points underwater.
- **And his favorability ratings dip to a new second-term low:** A majority of voters (54%) now view Trump unfavorably, compared with 43% with a favorable view. That double-digit net negative favorability rating is comfortably Trump's worst since he took office in January.
- **Economic buzz worsens:** Friday's disappointing jobs report, with major downward revisions to the data from May and June, appears to be resonating with Americans. By a 21-point margin, voters were more likely to say they'd heard something negative than positive about the economy in the past week — the largest gap since June.
- **Trump's economic approval ratings return to record low:** Similarly, Friday's jobs report appears to be undermining Americans' trust in the president's stewardship of the economy. Voters are now 6 points more likely to disapprove than approve of Trump's handling of the economy, his worst numbers since April.
- **American Eagle ad breaks through more with Republicans:** As influential conservatives line up to embrace actress Sydney Sweeney and lampoon feminist and anti-racist critiques of her appearance in American Eagle Outfitters' new jeans ads, our latest tracking finds Republicans were more likely than Democrats to reporting hearing at least something about the commercials (57% to 46%).

People

Trump's approval ratings

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Voter approval of President Donald Trump's job performance

■ Strongly approve ■ Somewhat approve ■ Don't know/No opinion ■ Somewhat disapprove ■ Strongly disapprove

All voters



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