



OR05 TERM LIMITS POLL: EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

US Term Limits Survey of 300 Likely Democratic Primary Voters in OR05

Conducted by RMG Research, November 14-17, 2023

Survey Summary: The results of this recent poll in Oregon’s 5th Congressional District survey show that Democratic Party likely voters overwhelmingly support term limits for members of Congress. Support for term limits is broad across all political and demographic groups. **An overwhelming 81% of the voters approve of an amendment to the U.S. Constitution that will place term limits on U.S. Senators and U.S. House Representatives.** It also finds that McLeod-Skinner currently leads the field with 41% of the vote. 44% of Democratic Party voters in OR05 indicate they are undecided. However, when voters were asked who they would support if they knew McLeod-Skinner backed congressional term limits, she leaps ahead to a 51% majority.

Do you favor or oppose term limits for members of Congress?

Total		Gender		Age			Race	College		
		Men	Wom	18-44	45-64	65+	White	None	Bach	Post
Favors	81%	77%	83%	89%	78%	79%	81%	81%	84%	76%
Strongly favor	52%	52%	51%	63%	46%	51%	52%	58%	57%	41%
Somewhat favor	29%	25%	32%	26%	32%	28%	28%	23%	27%	35%
Opposes	16%	20%	14%	9%	19%	17%	16%	12%	16%	20%
Somewhat oppose	9%	13%	7%	5%	11%	9%	9%	7%	8%	12%
Strongly oppose	7%	7%	7%	4%	7%	8%	7%	5%	8%	8%
Not sure	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%	7%	0%	4%

[Asked of those who favor term limits]

How many 2-year terms should a member of Congress be allowed to serve?

Total		Gender		Age			Race	College		
		Men	Wom	18-44	45-64	65+	White	None	Bach	Post
1 term	3%	1%	3%	2%	1%	4%	3%	0%	3%	4%
2 terms	20%	21%	19%	12%	22%	23%	21%	26%	20%	17%
3 terms	24%	22%	26%	18%	26%	26%	25%	25%	24%	24%
4 terms	26%	25%	27%	30%	21%	27%	25%	22%	28%	26%
5 terms	14%	13%	14%	17%	15%	11%	15%	22%	10%	13%
6 terms	6%	9%	4%	10%	5%	5%	6%	5%	7%	5%
7 terms	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
8 terms	3%	2%	4%	4%	4%	2%	3%	0%	2%	7%
10 terms	3%	6%	1%	6%	4%	2%	3%	0%	5%	3%
12 terms	1%	1%	1%	0%	3%	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%
15 terms	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

***Several candidates are running to be the nominee for Congress in your district.
If the primary election were held today, for whom would you vote?***

Total		Gender		Age			Race	College		
		Men	Wom	18-44	45-64	65+	White	None	Bach	Post
Jamie McLeod-Skinner	41%	30%	49%	32%	44%	43%	42%	35%	38%	49%
Janelle Bynum	9%	9%	8%	9%	7%	10%	8%	7%	4%	15%
Lynn Peterson	4%	6%	3%	0%	3%	7%	4%	2%	4%	6%
Someone else	2%	2%	2%	2%	4%	0%	1%	0%	4%	0%
Would not vote	1%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%
Not sure	44%	53%	38%	58%	40%	41%	44%	56%	48%	30%

Suppose you knew that Jamie McLeod-Skinner signed the U.S. Term Limits Pledge and supports term limits, but the other candidates oppose term limits.

If you knew that to be true and the election were held today, for whom would you vote?

Total		Gender		Age			Race	College		
		Men	Wom	18-44	45-64	65+	White	None	Bach	Post
Jamie McLeod-Skinner	51%	45%	56%	53%	53%	50%	52%	51%	51%	53%
Janelle Bynum	8%	9%	8%	5%	7%	10%	7%	6%	5%	14%
Lynn Peterson	4%	6%	3%	0%	3%	6%	4%	2%	4%	6%
Someone else	2%	2%	3%	0%	5%	1%	2%	3%	4%	0%
Would not vote	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
Not sure	34%	39%	30%	42%	31%	32%	34%	39%	35%	28%

Methodology

The survey of 300 Likely Democratic Primary Oregon’s 5th Congressional District Voters was conducted online for USTL on November 14-17, 2023. Field work for the survey was conducted by RMG Research, Inc. Certain quotas were applied, and the sample was lightly weighted by gender, age, and race. Likely voters were determined by a screening process within the survey.

The margin of sampling error for the full sample is +/- 5.7 percentage points.