



## Michigan 11th Congressional District Survey Results

- Q1** Do you approve or disapprove of the job Representative Kerry Bentivolio is doing in Congress?
- Approve* ..... 28%
- Disapprove*..... 55%
- Not sure* ..... 17%
- Q2** If the election for Congress were held today, would you vote to re-elect Republican Kerry Bentivolio, or would you vote for his Democratic opponent?
- Kerry Bentivolio*..... 37%
- Democratic opponent*..... 53%
- Not sure* ..... 10%
- Q3** Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the Tea Party?
- Favorable*..... 35%
- Unfavorable* ..... 55%
- Not sure* ..... 10%
- Q4** Do you support or oppose Congress shutting down major activities of the federal government as a way to stop the health care law from being put into place?
- Support* ..... 33%
- Oppose* ..... 64%
- Not sure* ..... 3%
- Q5** Do you support or oppose Congress holding back on increasing the nation's borrowing limit, which could result in a default, as a way to stop the health care law from being put into place?
- Support*..... 36%
- Oppose* ..... 58%
- Not sure* ..... 6%
- Q6** Would you be less likely or more likely to support Congressman Bentivolio if you knew he voted to support shutting down major activities of the federal government as a way to stop the health care law from being put into place, or does it not make a difference?
- Less likely* ..... 55%
- More likely*..... 30%
- No difference* ..... 11%
- Not sure* ..... 4%
- Q7** Now that you know Congressman Bentivolio supported the government shutdown, I'll ask you one more time: If the election for Congress were held today, would you vote for re-elect Republican Kerry Bentivolio, or would you vote for his Democratic opponent?
- Kerry Bentivolio*..... 39%
- Democratic opponent*..... 54%
- Not sure* ..... 7%
- Q8** If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.
- Woman* ..... 54%
- Man*..... 46%
- Q9** If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If an independent or identify with another party, press 3.
- Democrat* ..... 31%
- Republican*..... 30%
- Independent/Other*..... 39%
- Q10** If you are Hispanic or Latino, press 1. If white or Caucasian, press 2. If black or African-American, press 3. If other, press 4.
- Hispanic/Latino* ..... 6%
- White/Caucasian*..... 80%
- Black/African-American*..... 5%
- Other*..... 8%





**Q11** If you are 18-29 years old, press 1. If 30-45, press 2. If 46-65, press 3. If older than 65, press 4.

<i>18 to 29</i> .....	6%
<i>30 to 45</i> .....	24%
<i>46 to 65</i> .....	44%
<i>Older than 65</i> .....	26%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Bentivolio Approval</b>			
<b>Approve</b>	<b>28%</b>	26%	31%
<b>Disapprove</b>	<b>55%</b>	52%	59%
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>17%</b>	22%	10%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Bentivolio/Dem Opponent 1</b>			
<b>Kerry Bentivolio</b>	<b>37%</b>	34%	41%
<b>Democratic opponent</b>	<b>53%</b>	54%	52%
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>10%</b>	13%	7%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Tea Party Favorability</b>			
<b>Favorable</b>	<b>35%</b>	33%	38%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	<b>55%</b>	56%	54%
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>10%</b>	11%	8%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Support/Oppose Shutdown</b>			
<b>Support</b>	<b>33%</b>	32%	35%
<b>Oppose</b>	<b>64%</b>	65%	61%
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>3%</b>	2%	4%





**Crosstabs**

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Support/Oppose Not Increasing Debt Limit</b>			
<b>Support</b>	36%	35%	36%
<b>Oppose</b>	58%	57%	59%
<b>Not sure</b>	6%	8%	5%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Pro-Shutdown: More/Less Likely to Support Bentivolio</b>			
<b>Less likely</b>	55%	58%	53%
<b>More likely</b>	30%	26%	36%
<b>No difference</b>	11%	12%	9%
<b>Not sure</b>	4%	5%	2%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
<b>Bentivolio/Dem Opponent 2</b>			
<b>Kerry Bentivolio</b>	39%	37%	42%
<b>Democratic opponent</b>	54%	55%	53%
<b>Not sure</b>	7%	8%	5%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Bentivolio Approval</b>				
<b>Approve</b>	28%	13%	41%	32%
<b>Disapprove</b>	55%	74%	42%	49%
<b>Not sure</b>	17%	13%	17%	19%





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	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Bentivolio/Dem Opponent 1</b>				
<b>Kerry Bentivolio</b>	37%	13%	58%	40%
<b>Democratic opponent</b>	53%	84%	29%	47%
<b>Not sure</b>	10%	3%	13%	13%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Tea Party Favorability</b>				
<b>Favorable</b>	35%	14%	54%	38%
<b>Unfavorable</b>	55%	82%	36%	48%
<b>Not sure</b>	10%	4%	10%	14%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Support/Oppose Shutdown</b>				
<b>Support</b>	33%	14%	50%	37%
<b>Oppose</b>	64%	85%	48%	59%
<b>Not sure</b>	3%	1%	3%	4%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Support/Oppose Not Increasing Debt Limit</b>				
<b>Support</b>	36%	16%	50%	41%
<b>Oppose</b>	58%	78%	41%	54%
<b>Not sure</b>	6%	6%	9%	5%





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		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Pro-Shutdown: More/Less Likely to Support Bentivolio</b>				
<b>Less likely</b>	55%	68%	47%	52%
<b>More likely</b>	30%	18%	43%	31%
<b>No difference</b>	11%	11%	7%	14%
<b>Not sure</b>	4%	4%	3%	4%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
<b>Bentivolio/Dem Opponent 2</b>				
<b>Kerry Bentivolio</b>	39%	15%	60%	42%
<b>Democratic opponent</b>	54%	82%	33%	48%
<b>Not sure</b>	7%	3%	7%	10%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic/Latino	White/Caucasian	Black/African- American	Other
<b>Bentivolio Approval</b>					
<b>Approve</b>	28%	40%	26%	31%	40%
<b>Disapprove</b>	55%	48%	58%	39%	39%
<b>Not sure</b>	17%	12%	16%	31%	21%

	Base	Race			
		Hispanic/Latino	White/Caucasian	Black/African- American	Other
<b>Bentivolio/Dem Opponent 1</b>					
<b>Kerry Bentivolio</b>	37%	55%	35%	31%	43%
<b>Democratic opponent</b>	53%	41%	55%	51%	45%
<b>Not sure</b>	10%	4%	10%	18%	12%





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<b>Unfavorable</b>	55%	41%	58%	51%	42%
<b>Not sure</b>	10%	2%	8%	21%	19%

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<b>Oppose</b>	64%	53%	65%	53%	60%
<b>Not sure</b>	3%	4%	3%	6%	-

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<b>More likely</b>	30%	36%	28%	48%	38%
<b>No difference</b>	11%	11%	10%	19%	15%
<b>Not sure</b>	4%	3%	3%	-	8%





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		Hispanic/Latino	White/Caucasian	Black/African-American	Other
<b>Bentivolio/Dem Opponent 2</b>					
<b>Kerry Bentivolio</b>	39%	52%	38%	37%	44%
<b>Democratic opponent</b>	54%	44%	57%	45%	45%
<b>Not sure</b>	7%	4%	6%	18%	11%

	Base	Age			
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<b>No difference</b>	11%	29%	7%	8%	14%
<b>Not sure</b>	4%	-	3%	5%	3%

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<b>Not sure</b>	7%	12%	6%	6%	8%

