Governor: AG Josh Shapiro holds a narrow 49% - 46% lead over State Sen. Doug Mastriano. Among PA voters 50+, Shapiro is ahead 48% - 47%. Shapiro's image (47% favorable/34% unfavorable) is stronger than Mastriano’s (37/44), but the race is within the margin of error. Shapiro is currently ahead thanks to having stronger support from Democrats than Mastriano receives from Republicans. All indications point to this race being competitive in November, with 50+ voters, who make up 61% of the likely voting electorate, poised to make the difference.

Senator: LG John Fetterman is ahead of Dr. Mehmet Oz 50% - 44% in the nationally watched open seat contest. Fetterman also leads narrowly (49% - 46%) among voters 50+. Fetterman's image (46% favorable/36% unfavorable) is much stronger than Oz’s image (30/63), which is only +15 favorable among Republicans. A sizable gender gap exists, with women putting Fetterman in the lead, but men, especially those 50+, keeping Oz competitive.

Political Environment: Although the Democratic candidates have stronger images than their GOP opponents and are ahead on the ballots, a challenging political environment exists for Democrats in the Keystone State. Republicans hold a slight 47% - 45% edge on the generic Congressional ballot, while President Biden’s job approval is significantly underwater (36% approve/61% disapprove). Large majorities think the country (84%) and state (77%) are headed on the wrong track. Just 30% of voters say the US Economy is working well for them, with Inflation & Rising Costs the biggest issue in both the Senate & Governor’s races. 84% of voters are extremely motivated to vote in November’s election, driven by 87% of voters 50+ who are extremely motivated.

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**GOP**
- Inflation (37%)
- Jobs (13%)
- Hon in Gov’t (12%)

**Dem**
- Hon in Gov’t (19%)
- Inflation (18%)
- Abortion (17%)
- Voting Rights (15%)

**Ind**
- Hon in Gov’t (24%)
- Inflation (20%)
- Election Security (10%)

Q: Would you say that things in Pennsylvania are going in the right direction or would you say that they are seriously off on the wrong track?

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**Voters 50+**
- 24 voters say things are going in the right direction.
- 75 voters say things are seriously off on the wrong track.

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- 55 say things are seriously off on the wrong track.

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**Independents 50+**
- 23 say things are going in the right direction.
- 77 say things are seriously off on the wrong track.

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**Republicans 50+**
- 4 say things are going in the right direction.
- 95 say things are seriously off on the wrong track.

Q: How comfortable are you with your state’s voting process and rules for this year’s elections?

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**Voters 50+**
- 60 voters say they feel comfortable with the voting process.
- 37 voters say they are not comfortable.
- 13 voters have refused to answer.

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- 84 say they feel comfortable with the voting process.
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**Independents 50+**
- 57 say they feel comfortable with the voting process.
- 39 say they are not comfortable.
- 39 have refused to answer.

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**Republicans 50+**
- 36 say they feel comfortable with the voting process.
- 60 say they are not comfortable.
- 60 have refused to answer.

Q: What is the biggest concern on inflation/costs?

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Q: Which vote method will you use for November?

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Q: Now specifically, from the following list, please tell me which issue is personally most important to you in deciding your vote for Senate.

- Inflation and rising prices: 21%
- Gun control/gun rights: 12%
- Honesty in Government: 12%
- Abortion: 8%
- Social Security and Medicare: 7%
- Jobs and the economy: 7%
- Immigration and border security: 6%
- Voting rights: 6%
- Taxes, government spending and debt: 6%
- Election security: 4%
- Law & Order and Crime: 3%
- Roads and infrastructure: 2%
- Traditional family values: 2%
- Environment and climate change: 2%
- Health care: 1%
- Foreign policy and military defense: 0%
- Coronavirus: 0%
- Drugs and the opioid epidemic: 0%

**GOP**
- Inflation (32%)
- Guns (19%)
- Immigration (10%)
- Hon in Gov’t (13%)
- Abortion (11%)
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- Voting rights (11%)

**Ind**
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- Hon in Gov’t (15%)
- Guns (13%)

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Key Issues: Large majorities of Pennsylvania voters 50+ say they would be more likely to support a candidate for Senate who supports protecting Medicare and Social Security from cuts, allowing Medicare to negotiate for lower drug prices, and expanding access to quality, affordable long-term care. Supporting these issues gets strong positive intensity from voters 50+, and backing is broad among Democrats, Republicans and Independents.

Q: Please tell me if you would be more likely or less likely to support a candidate for Senate that advocated this position?

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Importance of Social Security

| Democrats | 91% | Republicans | 83% | Independents | 79% |

Importance of Medicare

| Democrats | 87% | Republicans | 71% | Independents | 65% |

All data on slide is among Voters 50+
Long-Term Care: Large majorities of voters 50+ across party lines say long-term care for seniors will be extremely or very important to their vote in November, with more than 9-in-10 saying at least somewhat important.

The solution of providing funding to allow seniors who need support to receive care at home rather than at a nursing home is very popular across the electorate. Raising the minimum wage to alleviate the shortage of workers in the industry also boosts a candidate for Governor.

### Issue Importance for Vote: Long-term care for seniors

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Q: Please tell me if you would be more likely or less likely to vote for a candidate for Governor that advocated this position.

Provide funding to allow seniors needing daily support to receive care at home rather than having to enter a costly nursing home.

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Support fixing the nursing home and homecare worker shortage by increasing the minimum wage for all working Pennsylvanians.

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**Paid Family Medical Leave:** More than 7-in-10 voters 50+ would be more likely to vote for a candidate for Governor who supported paid family medical leave. The issue is most powerful among Democrats, but it clearly increases support from voters across party lines. It is very impactful among women and Black voters 50+ and is something that voters support regardless of whether they are currently a caregiver.

Q: Please tell me if you would be more likely or less likely to vote for a candidate for Governor that advocated this position. **Support paid family medical leave so family members can take care of newborns, sick children, aging parents, and siblings or spouses/partners without losing their jobs or incomes.**

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Property Taxes: A candidate for Governor who would protect low-income older Pennsylvanians from property tax increases significantly improves their chances of winning votes among voters 50+. This is true across party lines. Protection from property tax increases boosts support among women 50+, Black voters 50+ and those in households whose income is under $100,000 even more.

Q: Please tell me if you would be more likely or less likely to vote for a candidate for Governor that advocated this position. Protect low-income older Pennsylvanians from property tax increases.
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Persuadable Voters

Definitely Mastriano

38%

Definitely Shapiro

42%

Persuadable Voters

20%

Right Direction

15%

Wrong Track

83%

Economy Working for You

Well

21%

Not Well

76%

Gov Candidate: Protect Low-Income Seniors on Property Taxes

More Likely

88%

Gov Candidate: Support Senior Care at Home

More Likely

88%

Gov Candidate: Support Paid Family Medical Leave

More Likely

71%

Inflation and rising costs

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State spending

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Immigration and border...

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More focused on Economic Issues

Biggest Concern on Inflation/Costs

Gas

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Food

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47% Women / 53% Men
56% GOP / 19% Ind / 26% Dem
56% Cons / 30% Moderate / 6% Liberal

Oz: 27% Fav/56% Unfav/18% Undefined
Fetterman: 22% Fav/42% Unfav/36% Undefined

**Direction of Country**
- Right Direction: 6%
- Wrong Track: 94%

**Economy Working for You**
- Well: 18%
- Not Well: 81%

**Top Issue for Gov Vote**
- Inflation and rising costs: 32%
- Inflation and rising prices: 23%
- Gun control/gun rights: 11%
- Honesty in Government: 10%
- Immigration & border security: 9%
- Taxes, gov't spending & debt: 8%
- Social Security and Medicare: 8%
- Jobs and the economy: 7%
- Law & Order and Crime: 5%
- Election security: 4%
- Traditional family values: 2%

**Biggest Concern on Inflation/Costs**
- Gas: 55%
- Food: 28%
- Housing: 4%
- Electricity: 4%

**Sen Candidate: Protect Medicare from Cuts**
- More Likely: 89%

**Sen Candidate: Protect Social Security**
- More Likely: 89%

**Sen Candidate: Allow Medicare to Negotiate**
- More Likely: 89%

**Sen Candidate: Expand LTC Access**
- More Likely: 80%

All data on slide is among Voters 50+
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