

Region:

(N=500)	n	%
Council District 1-----	74	14.80
Council District 2-----	74	14.80
Council District 3-----	69	13.80
Council District 4-----	67	13.40
Council District 5-----	69	13.80
Council District 6-----	75	15.00
Council District 7-----	72	14.40

Hello, my name is _____ and I am conducting a survey for Suffolk University/USA TODAY and the Detroit Free Press. This week we are polling just Detroit CITY residents and I would like to include you in the survey. Would you be willing to spend up to seven minutes answering some questions? (If YES, proceed. If NO/UNDECIDED, terminate)

1. Are you a resident of the CITY of Detroit?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes-----	500	100.00

2. With which gender identity do you most identify? (OPEN)

(N=500)	n	%
Man/male -----	227	45.40
Woman/female-----	266	53.20
Something else/all other responses (transgender man, transgender woman, gender variant/non-conforming -----	3	0.60
Refused-----	4	0.80

3. What is your age category?

(N=500)	n	%
18-24 Years -----	55	11.00
25-34 Years -----	71	14.20
35-44 Years -----	75	15.00
45-54 Years -----	102	20.40
55-64 Years -----	93	18.60
65-74 Years -----	61	12.20
75 Years or older -----	35	7.00
Refused-----	8	1.60

4. For statistical purposes only, do you consider yourself?

(N=500)	n	%
White/Caucasian-----	58	11.60
Black/African-American -----	368	73.60
American Indian/Alaska Native-----	7	1.40
Asian -----	2	0.40
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander -----	3	0.60
Hispanic/Latino-----	37	7.40
Two or more races-----	10	2.00
Other-----	9	1.80
Refused-----	6	1.20

5. Do you think of yourself as a Democrat, Republican, or Independent?

(N=500)	n	%
Democrat -----	310	62.00
Republican-----	15	3.00
Independent -----	122	24.40
Undecided -----	40	8.00
Refused-----	13	2.60

6. How would you rate the city of Detroit as a place to live? {ROTATE .1-.4 ASC-DESC}

(N=500)	n	%
Excellent-----	51	10.20
Good-----	192	38.40
Fair-----	207	41.40
Poor-----	49	9.80
Undecided -----	1	0.20
Refused-----	0	0.00

7. Of the following issues, what do you think is the biggest issue facing the city of Detroit today? {RANDOMIZE .1-.8}

(N=500)	n	%
Police Reform-----	20	4.00
Public Safety -----	94	18.80
Affordable Housing-----	59	11.80
Jobs -----	46	9.20
Education -----	116	23.20
Taxes -----	29	5.80
Race relations -----	25	5.00
COVID-19-----	54	10.80
Other-----	25	5.00
Undecided -----	30	6.00
Refused-----	2	0.40

8. Former Detroit police chief James Craig is preparing to run for the Republican nomination for governor next year. Does his record in the city of Detroit make you more or less likely to support him for governor?

(N=500)	n	%
More likely -----	140	28.00
Less likely -----	231	46.20
No difference-----	52	10.40
Undecided -----	70	14.00
Refused-----	7	1.40

9. How would you rate the job the Detroit police are doing? {ROTATE ASC-DESC}

(N=500)	n	%
Excellent-----	37	7.40
Good-----	165	33.00
Fair-----	214	42.80
Poor-----	77	15.40
Undecided -----	7	1.40
Refused-----	0	0.00

10. In your own neighborhood, have you seen an increase or decrease in homicides and shootings in the last year or two?

(N=500)	n	%
Increase -----	140	28.00
Decrease -----	174	34.80
Same-----	144	28.80
Undecided -----	42	8.40
Refused-----	0	0.00

11. To the best of your knowledge, compared to 30 years ago (the early 1990s), is there: more, less, or about the same amount of violent crime in Detroit?

(N=500)	n	%
More violent crime -----	251	50.20
Less violent crime -----	107	21.40
Same -----	87	17.40
Undecided -----	54	10.80
Refused-----	1	0.20

12. Homicides and shootings have increased significantly in Detroit since 2019. WHY do you think that has happened?

(N=500)	n	%
“Covid-19/Pandemic/Lockdown” -----	67	13.40
“Lack of Jobs/Unemployment” -----	63	12.60
“Availability of guns” -----	66	13.20
“Lack of Police/Enforcement” -----	42	8.40
“Younger Generation/Upbringing/Family” -----	28	5.60
“Economy” -----	16	3.20
“Education” -----	22	4.40
“People in the Community” -----	24	4.80
“Inequality/Poverty” -----	9	1.80
“Leadership/Mayor/Government” -----	11	2.20
“Lack of Things to Do” -----	10	2.00
“Community/Work Together”-----	7	1.40
“Drugs/Gangs”-----	8	1.60
“Stress/Desperation/Don’t Care” -----	8	1.60
“Lack of Resources” -----	6	1.20
“Morals” -----	5	1.00
“Racism”-----	7	1.40
“Social Media/Technology” -----	6	1.20
“Mental Health Issues” -----	4	0.80
“Crime Has Not Increased”-----	6	1.20
Other-----	16	3.20
DK/NA/Refused -----	69	13.80

13. Thinking about the city of Detroit in general, do you feel you are treated the same as residents of other races, or do you think you are treated differently because of your race?

(N=500)	n	%
Treated the same as others -----	215	43.00
Treated differently-----	244	48.80
Undecided -----	39	7.80
Refused-----	2	0.40

{FOR 13.2}

14. Are you treated better or worse than others because of your race?
 (N=244)
- | | n | % |
|----------------|-----|-------|
| Better----- | 31 | 12.70 |
| Worse----- | 179 | 73.36 |
| Undecided----- | 30 | 12.30 |
| Refused----- | 4 | 1.64 |
15. Do you generally feel safe in your neighborhood – yes or no?
 (N=500)
- | | n | % |
|----------------|-----|-------|
| Yes----- | 429 | 85.80 |
| No----- | 58 | 11.60 |
| Undecided----- | 13 | 2.60 |
| Refused----- | 0 | 0.00 |
16. If you needed help, how likely would you be to ask a police officer for help? {ROTATE ASCENDING – DESCENDING .1-.4}
 (N=500)
- | | n | % |
|------------------------|-----|-------|
| Very likely----- | 249 | 49.80 |
| Somewhat likely----- | 157 | 31.40 |
| Not very likely----- | 46 | 9.20 |
| Not at all likely----- | 39 | 7.80 |
| Undecided----- | 7 | 1.40 |
| Refused----- | 2 | 0.40 |
17. If you witnessed a crime, how likely would you be to report it or to provide information to the police? Would you say... {ROTATE ASCENDING – DESCENDING .1-.4}
 (N=500)
- | | n | % |
|------------------------|-----|-------|
| Very likely----- | 331 | 66.20 |
| Somewhat likely----- | 105 | 21.00 |
| Not very likely----- | 30 | 6.00 |
| Not at all likely----- | 14 | 2.80 |
| Undecided----- | 20 | 4.00 |
| Refused----- | 0 | 0.00 |
18. Would you feel safer with more or fewer police officers on the job in your neighborhood?
 (N=500)
- | | n | % |
|----------------|-----|-------|
| More----- | 367 | 73.40 |
| Fewer----- | 40 | 8.00 |
| Undecided----- | 89 | 17.80 |
| Refused----- | 4 | 0.80 |
19. Do you think the Detroit police use force only when necessary – yes or no?
 (N=500)
- | | n | % |
|----------------|-----|-------|
| Yes----- | 247 | 49.40 |
| No----- | 172 | 34.40 |
| Undecided----- | 79 | 15.80 |
| Refused----- | 2 | 0.40 |

20. Have you ever called the police for help yourself – yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes-----	288	57.60
No-----	206	41.20
Undecided -----	6	1.20
Refused-----	0	0.00

{FOR 20.1}

21. How satisfied were you with how the police handled your call for help? {ROTATE ASCENDING – DESCENDING .1-.4}

(N=288)	n	%
Very satisfied -----	115	39.93
Somewhat satisfied-----	90	31.25
Not very satisfied-----	35	12.15
Not at all satisfied -----	46	15.97
Undecided -----	2	0.69
Refused-----	0	0.00

22. Has a police officer ever stopped you (while investigating a crime) – yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes-----	146	29.20
No-----	349	69.80
Undecided -----	5	1.00
Refused-----	0	0.00

{FOR 22.1}

23. How satisfied were you with how the police handled that encounter? {ROTATE ASCENDING – DESCENDING .1-.4}

(N=146)	n	%
Very satisfied -----	41	28.08
Somewhat satisfied-----	43	29.45
Not very satisfied-----	14	9.59
Not at all satisfied -----	46	31.51
Undecided -----	2	1.37
Refused-----	0	0.00

24. Which comes closest to your view, even if neither is exactly right? {ROTATE}

(N=500)	n	%
Detroit police generally do a good job and treat people of different races fairly, even if there are a few bad apples on the force. -----	383	76.60
Detroit police are racist in the way they treat people, even if some of them try to do a good job. -----	82	16.40
Undecided -----	34	6.80
Refused-----	1	0.20

25. Quote “defund the police” end quote, is a slogan some activists have espoused. Is that an idea you support or oppose?

(N=500)	n	%
Support-----	114	22.80
Oppose -----	324	64.80
Undecided -----	61	12.20
Refused-----	1	0.20

26. Would you support or oppose the idea of cutting some funding from the police and using the money for social services – for instance, to help the homeless and the mentally ill?

(N=500)	n	%
Support-----	243	48.60
Oppose-----	212	42.40
Undecided-----	43	8.60
Refused-----	2	0.40

27. Thinking about where you live and work, do you find yourself spending most of your time with people of the same race? Or do you find yourself spending most of your time with people of different races?

(N=500)	n	%
Same race-----	208	41.60
Different races-----	258	51.60
Undecided-----	34	6.80
Refused-----	0	0.00

28. In your opinion, has the media exaggerated stories of police brutality and racism in this country – yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes-----	130	26.00
No-----	319	63.80
Undecided-----	47	9.40
Refused-----	4	0.80

{THE FINAL QUESTIONS WILL HELP US CLASSIFY YOUR RESPONSES WITH OTHERS TAKING THE SURVEY}

29. Do you currently have children in the public school system – yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes-----	131	26.20
No-----	369	73.80
Undecided-----	0	0.00
Refused-----	0	0.00

30. What is the highest level of education you have completed?

(N=500)	n	%
Some high school-----	64	12.80
High school graduate-----	156	31.20
Some college-----	154	30.80
Trade/technical/vocational training-----	24	4.80
College graduate-----	62	12.40
Masters or PhD-----	36	7.20
Undecided-----	4	0.80

31.	What is your annual household income?		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Under \$20,000 per year -----	117	23.40
	Under \$50,000 per year -----	161	32.20
	Under \$75,000 per year -----	78	15.60
	Under \$100,000 per year -----	44	8.80
	Under \$140,000 per year -----	25	5.00
	\$140,000 per year or more -----	22	4.40
	Undecided -----	53	10.60
32.	What best describes your current living situation? {RANDOMIZE .1-.7}		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Homeowner -----	238	47.60
	Renter -----	139	27.80
	Detroit public housing -----	20	4.00
	Detroit affordable housing -----	35	7.00
	University housing/dormitory -----	5	1.00
	Assisted living or nursing home -----	1	0.20
	Currently displaced or homeless -----	10	2.00
	Undecided -----	27	5.40
	Refused-----	25	5.00
33.	Does anyone in your household own a firearm – yes or no?		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Yes-----	141	28.20
	No-----	340	68.00
	Undecided -----	6	1.20
	Refused-----	13	2.60
34.	Do any members of your household work in public safety – yes or no?		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Yes-----	49	9.80
	No-----	446	89.20
	Undecided -----	2	0.40
	Refused-----	3	0.60
35.	Are any members of your household part of the LGBTQ community – yes or no?		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Yes-----	57	11.40
	No-----	432	86.40
	Undecided -----	4	0.80
	Refused-----	7	1.40

[THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME. HAVE A NICE DAY/EVENING.]