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Re: Key Findings from Recent National Survey of Republicans

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The following outlines the key findings from a national survey of Republican likely general election voters. Interviews were conducted July 13-16, 2025. The margin of error for the full sample (n=1000) is +/- 3.1% at the 95% confidence level and the margin of error among sub-groups is greater. 33% of interviews were conducted via text-to-web, 48% via cell phone and 19% via landline.

Support among Republicans for aid for Ukraine has increased significantly over the past 5 months.

- In early February, 58% of Republicans did not want to provide any additional aid to Ukraine and this is down to only 41% today.
- Opposition to any aid among Trump Movement voters has dropped from 66% in February to 45% today. Similarly, Republican primary voters' opposition to aid has gone from 57% to 39%.
- In addition, 81% of Republicans believe it is very or somewhat important for President Trump to spend time working to end the war, with only 16% saying it is not too or not at all important.

Part of this movement is driven by increased distrust of Vladimir Putin.

- While Putin has always been unpopular with Republicans, this has intensified. In February, 66% of Republicans disapproved of the job Putin is doing and today 77% do. His disapproval rating with Trump Movement voters has gone from 64% in February to 79% today.
- Only 12% of Republicans believe that Putin is working to end the war with Ukraine, while 72% believe he is making it worse.

Along with increased aid, there is nearly universal support for sanctions and tariffs on Russia.

By an 84%-10% margin, Republicans favor "a law imposing sanctions on Russia if there is not a
peace deal with Ukraine. These sanctions would include significant tariffs on countries
importing to Russia, cut off Russian banks from U.S. markets and ban any investments in
Russia."

Total

Agree - Disagree

90%-7%

83%-10%

85%-10%

The overwhelming majority of Republicans believe the United States needs to take an active role in foreign policy.

