



Chicago Mayoral Poll

Date: September 4, 2018 | **Type:** Hybrid | **Responses:** 1,128 | **Margin of Error:** ±3%

As you may know, Chicago Mayor Rahm Emanuel today announced that he will not seek re-election, so the City will elect a new mayor next year. We'd like to know, if any, of the following candidates you would most likely support for mayor next year.

	%
Bill Daley	1.8%
Chuy Garcia	3.9%
Valerie Jarrett	6.6%
Jerry Joyce	3.2%
Lori Lightfoot	9.6%
Garry McCarthy	16.8%
Susana Mendoza	1.4%
Rick Munoz	1.4%
Toni Preckwinkle	4.6%
Paul Vallas	10.1%
Willie Wilson	15.1%
Other candidate	8.7%
Undecided	16.8%
NET	100.0%

In general, do you approve, or disapprove of the job Mayor Emanuel has done since taking office?

	%
Approve	43.1%
Disapprove	42.0%
No opinion/Neutral	14.9%

Would be *more likely*, or *less likely* to support a candidate if he or she were hand-picked by Mayor Emanuel as his successor?

	%
More likely to support	21.5%
Less likely to support	45.4%
No difference	33.2%

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Choice for mayor by **GENDER**

	Column %	Female	Male	NET
Bill Daley		2%	1%	2%
Chuy Garcia		4%	4%	4%
Valerie Jarrett		8%	3%	7%
Jerry Joyce		3%	3%	3%
Lori Lightfoot		10%	9%	10%
Garry McCarthy		17%	17%	17%
Susana Mendoza		2%	1%	1%
Rick Munoz		1%	2%	1%
Toni Preckwinkle		4%	5%	5%
Paul Vallas		9%	13%	10%
Willie Wilson		15%	15%	15%
Other candidate		9%	8%	9%
Undecided		16%	18%	17%
NET		100%	100%	100%

Emanuel Job Approval by **GENDER**

Column %	Female	Male	NET
Approve	43%	44%	43%
Disapprove	43%	41%	42%
No opinion/Neutral	15%	15%	15%

Emanuel Job Approval by **ETHNIC ORIGIN**

Column %	African American	Asian	Hispanic	Other/Refused	White	NET
Approve	44%	43%	29%	30%	48%	43%
Disapprove	40%	38%	50%	52%	40%	42%
No opinion/Neutral	16%	19%	21%	18%	12%	15%
NET	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Emanuel Job Approval by **AGE BRACKET**

Column %	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Approve	35%	45%	36%	41%	42%	48%
Disapprove	50%	38%	46%	46%	46%	35%
No opinion/Neutral	15%	17%	18%	13%	13%	16%
NET	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Support Hand-Picked Successor by **GENDER**

Column %	Female	Male	NET
More likely to support	21%	23%	21%
Less likely to support	45%	47%	45%
No difference	34%	30%	33%
NET	100%	100%	100%

Support Hand-Picked Successor by **ETHNIC ORIGIN**

Column %	African American	Asian	Hispanic	Other/Refused	White	NET
More likely to support	25%	24%	18%	8%	22%	21%
Less likely to support	42%	43%	57%	52%	46%	45%
No difference	33%	33%	25%	40%	32%	33%
NET	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Support Hand-Picked Successor by **AGE BRACKET**

Column %	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
More likely to support	25%	19%	18%	23%	23%	21%
Less likely to support	55%	51%	40%	43%	47%	44%
No difference	20%	30%	42%	34%	30%	35%
NET	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Methodology

This poll was conducted on September 4, 2018 using both automated (recorded) and live operator-initiated calls. In all, 1,128 participants from likely voting households completed all questions on the poll. The voters dialed were randomly selected from a proprietary registered-voter database of to assure the greatest chance of providing an accurate cross-section of opinion from the city-wide sample.

Our sampling methodology ensures that We Ask America poll results are “projectable,” meaning that if every resident in a given geography were dialed, the results would not differ from the reported poll results by more than the stated margin of error at a 95% confidence level (the industry standard), if the same survey was repeated. For this case, results with a margin of error of $\pm 3\%$ at the 95% confidence level means that if the same survey were conducted 100 times, 95 times out of 100 the results would not vary in either direction by more than 3% in either direction.