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**Methodology:**

Results are based on an online study conducted from December 3 to December 5, 2020, among 1,200 American adults. The data has been statistically weighted according to U.S. census figures for age, gender and region. The margin of error—which measures sample variability—is +/- 2.8 percentage points, nineteen times out of twenty.

**Do you approve or disapprove of Donald Trump's performance as president?**

Approve – 42% (-4)  
Disapprove – 52% (+2)  
Not sure – 4% (+2)

**All things considered, do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?**

**"I would like to see Donald Trump run for president again in 2024."**

Agree – 34%  
Disagree – 58%  
Not sure – 8%

**"Joe Biden should commit to serving only one term as president."**

Agree – 45%  
Disagree – 38%  
Not sure – 17%

**A Third of Americans Want to See Trump Run Again in 2024**

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Vancouver, BC [December 9, 2020] – More than half of Americans would not welcome a new presidential bid by Donald Trump four years from now, a new Research Co. poll has found.

In the online survey of a representative national sample, 34% of Americans say they would like to see Trump run again for president in 2024, while 58% disagree and 8% are undecided.

The possibility of a new Trump campaign is attractive for 66% of Republicans, 24% of Independents and 10% of Democrats.

Americans who watch Fox News are significantly more likely to endorse a Trump candidacy in 2024 (55%) than those who watch a local network (26%), CNN (also 26%) or MSNBC / CNBC (13%).

Only 15% of African Americans would like to see Trump become a presidential candidate again in the next election, compared to 32% of Latino / Hispanic Americans and 37% of White Americans.

Three-in-five Americans (61%) believe the investigations into Trump's taxes should continue—a proportion that includes 84% of Democrats, 63% of Independents and 34% of Republicans.

Democratic nominee Joe Biden won the 2020 United States Presidential election, with more than 51% of all cast ballots and 308 votes in the Electoral College.

More than two-in-five Americans (45%) believe president-elect Biden should commit to serving only one term in office, while 38% disagree with this course of action.

Americans aged 18-to-34 are more likely to wish for Biden's commitment to be a one-term president (52%) than those aged 35-to-54 (44%) and those aged 55 and over (42%).

Two thirds of Americans (68%) are satisfied with the way their local governments have dealt with the COVID-19 outbreak, down one point since a similar Research Co. poll [conducted in October](#).

A majority of Americans (64%, -1) are satisfied with the performance of state governments, while only 44% (-1) are



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content with the way the federal government has managed the pandemic.

The approval rating for Trump stands at 42% this month, down four points since a Research Co. survey [conducted in early November](#). More than half of Americans (54%, +2) disapprove of the way the president is handling his duties.

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