

More Voters (56%) Say They're Better off under Trump than When Obama, Bush Sought Re-election: Gallup Poll (Newsweek)

More American voters believe they are better off after four years under President Donald Trump than they did at the end of the first terms of former presidents Barack Obama and George W. Bush, new polling data has revealed.

The latest survey from Gallup found that a clear majority of registered voters (56 percent) believed they were better off now compared to four years ago.



But when they were asked whether they were better or worse off toward the end of Obama's first term in the White House, only 45 percent told pollsters their situation had improved over the four years between 2008 and December 2012

Ronald Reagan fell 12 points below Trump as he faced re-election in 1984. Forty-four percent of polled voters said they and their families were

better off after his first four years than they were in the summer of 1980.

According to Gallup's new poll data, nearly half of voters said they agreed with Trump's stances on key policy issues, putting him three points ahead of his Democratic challenger [Joe Biden](#).

Gallup surveyed more than 900 registered voters between September 14 and September 28 for its latest poll. Its margin of error stands at four percentage points.

