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A new Public Policy Polling survey of Arizona voters finds wide opposition to the confirmation of ex-coal lobbyist Andrew Wheeler to run the Environmental Protection Agency.

Voters are already skeptical of Senator Martha McSally, with just 33 percent of voters saying they approve of Senator McSally's job performance. Only 22 percent of voters think Wheeler should be confirmed, with 48 percent opposing Wheeler. Notably, his support was weaker among independents, with only 12 percent support. Such a vote could spell more trouble for Senator McSally, with 43 percent saying they would be less likely to vote to re-elect Senator McSally if she votes to confirm Wheeler.

PPP surveyed 844 Arizona voters from January 31-February 3, 2019. The margin of error is +/- 3.4%. This poll was conducted by automated telephone and online interviews on behalf of EDF Action.

