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Hillary Clinton Says Firm “No” to 2024 Run for White House

The dream that Hillary Clinton would rescue the Democratic Party from almost certain disaster in 2024 if Joe Biden seeks reelection, or Kamala Harris tries to take his place, is, alas, a dream.

Clinton, the very sore loser to Donald Trump in 2016, announced that she will not run for president in 2024 yesterday, International Women’s Day.

With Biden’ favorable/unfavorable and job-approval ratings in the negative numbers, Democrats are desperate for a candidate who has at least a chance to win, particularly if Republicans shellac them, [as anticipated](#) even by Democrats, in this year’s midterms.

Alas and alack, Crooked Hillary won’t be The One.



AP Images
Hillary Clinton

Sorry Mika

Clinton announced the decision on MSNBC’s morning left-wing wake-up show, *Morning Joe*.

“Are you open to running for president again?” Mika Brzezinski asked.

“No,” Clinton replied:

Brzezinski: Oh, come on. Just —

Clinton: No, no.

Brzezinski: — just ...

Clinton: No. But I — no. But, I am certainly going to be active in supporting women running for office and other candidates who I think should be reelected or elected, both women and men, because I think, you know, there’s a big debate going on, as you know so well, Mika, in our country, but in other countries as well, about the future of democracy, of economic opportunity, of climate change, of health and other important issues.

So, I will stay active in all of those doings.

Brzezinski: We need you. Madam Secretary, I thank you. It’s valuable to have your insight at a time like this.

The news is likely encouraging for Biden, Harris, and the other top Democrats mentioned as possible successors to Biden if he goes the way of all flesh or decides not to run.



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Those candidates, the [Washington Post reported](#) in December, include Harris, of course, as well as Transportation Secretary Pete Buttigieg, California Governor Gavin Newsom, failed Georgia gubernatorial candidate Stacy Abrams, Representative Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez, and Senators Cory Booker, Elizabeth Warren, and Amy Klobuchar. Former New Orleans Mayor Mitch Landrieu is another possibility.

Biden’s Low Ratings

Although Clinton sounded like a candidate when she spoke to New York Democrats at their convention in February, as the [New York Post reported](#), a candidacy was extremely unlikely given her physical infirmity.

She was confined to a wheelchair for much of the campaign against Donald Trump, as [The New American’s Selwyn Duke reported](#) in February, and she was given to coughing fits. A dangerous fall in 2012 [gave Clinton](#) a concussion and blood clot.

Not that Democrats would have rejected her as a candidate, particularly considering what voters think of Biden and Harris.

The RealClearPolitics average of polls puts Biden’s favorable and job approval ratings in the toilet, at -9.3 and -9.6.

Just 42.7 percent of voters surveyed view Biden favorably; 52 percent don’t. Meanwhile, a mere 42.3 percent of voters approve of Biden’s job performance, versus 51.9 who disapprove.

Harris’ favorable/unfavorable score is 37.8 to 50.8 for a rating of -13.

President Biden Job Approval



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Polling Data					
Poll	Date	Sample	Approve	Disapprove	Spread
RCP Average	2/23 - 3/8	--	42.3	51.9	-9.6
Rasmussen Reports	3/6 - 3/8	1500 LV	41	57	-16
Economist/YouGov	3/5 - 3/8	1227 RV	45	49	-4
Quinnipiac	3/4 - 3/6	1234 RV	40	51	-11
Politico/Morning Consult	3/4 - 3/6	2005 RV	45	51	-6
IBD/TIPP	3/2 - 3/4	1318 A	39	47	-8
NPR/PBS/Marist	3/1 - 3/2	1237 RV	47	51	-4
Reuters/Ipsos	2/28 - 3/1	1005 A	43	54	-11
Harvard-Harris	2/23 - 2/24	2026 RV	38	55	-17
All President Biden Job Approval Polling Data					



Biden: Favorable/Unfavorable



Favorable/Unfavorable: [Chuck Schumer](#) | [Mitch McConnell](#) | [Nancy Pelosi](#) | [Donald Trump](#)

Polling Data					
Poll	Date	Sample	Favorable	Unfavorable	Spread
RCP Average	12/17 - 3/8	--	42.7	52.0	-9.3
Economist/YouGov	3/5 - 3/8	1227 RV	49	48	+1
Politico/Morning Consult	3/4 - 3/6	2005 RV	45	51	-6
Harvard-Harris	2/23 - 2/24	2026 RV	37	54	-17
FOX News	2/19 - 2/22	1001 RV	43	56	-13
Federalist/Susquehanna	2/3 - 2/9	800 LV	48	51	-3
NBC News	1/14 - 1/18	1000 A	39	48	-9
CNBC/Change Research (D)	12/17 - 12/20	1895 RV	38	56	-18
All Biden: Favorable/Unfavorable Polling Data					

Kamala Harris: Favorable/Unfavorable



Polling Data					
Poll	Date	Sample	Favorable	Unfavorable	Spread
RCP Average	12/17 - 3/8	--	37.8	50.8	-13.0
Economist/YouGov	3/5 - 3/8	1227 RV	41	53	-12
Politico/Morning Consult	3/4 - 3/6	2005 RV	44	49	-5
Harvard-Harris	2/23 - 2/24	2026 RV	36	51	-15
Federalist/Susquehanna	2/3 - 2/9	800 LV	39	48	-9
NBC News	1/14 - 1/18	1000 A	32	49	-17
CNBC/Change Research (D)	12/17 - 12/20	1895 RV	35	55	-20
All Kamala Harris: Favorable/Unfavorable Polling Data					

Yet even if Clinton were to rescue Democrats from a Biden or Harris — or possibly, Warren, a [fake Indian](#), or Buttigieg, who thinks he’s married to a man — she might not defeat a Republican.

Recall that the RCP averages had Clinton consistently ahead of Trump almost to election day. And though Trump had closed the margin to 2.1 points, 48.2 to 46.1, he defeated Clinton in the Electoral College vote 304-207.

While the RCP average accurately predicted the popular vote — [Clinton won](#), 65.8 million to 63 million — it does not account for the electoral vote that can allow the popular loser to prevail.



General Election: Trump vs. Clinton (4-Way)



[RCP Electoral Map](#) | [Changes in Electoral Count](#) | [Map With No Toss Ups](#) | [No Toss Up Changes](#) | [Latest Polls](#)

Polling Data						
Poll	Date	Sample	MoE	Clinton (D)	Trump (R)	Spread
Final Results	--	--	--	48.2	46.1	Clinton +2.1
RCP Average	11/1 - 11/7	--	--	46.8	43.6	Clinton +3.2
Bloomberg	11/4 - 11/6	799 LV	3.5	46	43	Clinton +3
IBD/TIPP Tracking	11/4 - 11/7	1107 LV	3.1	43	42	Clinton +1
Economist/YouGov	11/4 - 11/7	3669 LV	--	49	45	Clinton +4
LA Times/USC Tracking	11/1 - 11/7	2935 LV	4.5	44	47	Trump +3
ABC/Wash Post Tracking	11/3 - 11/6	2220 LV	2.5	49	46	Clinton +3
FOX News	11/3 - 11/6	1295 LV	2.5	48	44	Clinton +4
Monmouth	11/3 - 11/6	748 LV	3.6	50	44	Clinton +6
NBC News/Wall St. Jnl	11/3 - 11/5	1282 LV	2.7	48	43	Clinton +5
CBS News	11/2 - 11/6	1426 LV	3.0	47	43	Clinton +4
Reuters/Ipsos	11/2 - 11/6	2196 LV	2.3	44	39	Clinton +5
All General Election: Trump vs. Clinton Polling Data						

That could happen again, and well might, given the rack and ruin to which Biden has brought the country. Today's average gas price [is \\$4.25](#) a gallon for regular, inflation [is 7.5 percent](#), and the national debt [is \\$30.3 trillion](#) and rising.

Possible GOP candidates for 2024, the [Post reported](#), included Donald Trump and his son, Donald Jr., along with former Vice President Mike Pence, Florida Governor Ron DeSantis, Virginia Governor Glenn Youngkin, New Hampshire Governor Chris Sununu, and Senator Ted Cruz of Texas. Former Secretary of State Mike Pompeo, former South Carolina Governor Nikki Hailey, and Senator Tim Scott of South Carolina are also possibilities.

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