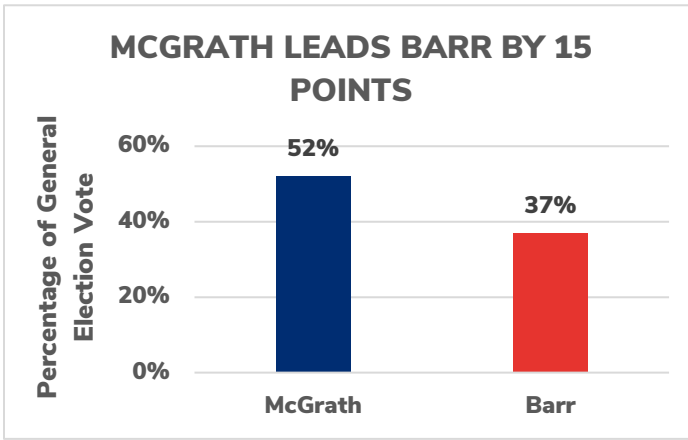


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MCGRATH ENTERS THE GENERAL ELECTION WITH 15-POINT ADVANTAGE

Democratic nominee Amy McGrath wins a majority of the vote in a general election matchup against 3-term Congressman Andy Barr, leading by 15 points in a May DCCC survey of likely 2018 general election voters (52% to 37%). She leads Barr by 26 points in Fayette County (58% to 32%), 32 points among women (61% to 28%), and 15 points among voters without a party

affiliation or who are registered with a third party (53% to 38%).

VOTERS REJECT BARR AND TRUMP

Barr won this district in 2016 by 22 points, but now he has a net unfavorable rating of 5 points – just 35% of voters have a favorable view of Barr while 40% have an unfavorable view. Similarly, Trump won this district in 2016 by 15 points but is now underwater with a majority of voters – 51% of voters disapprove of the job he’s doing as President while just 41% approve.

MCGRATH IS NET 24 POINTS FAVORABLE, OUTPERFORMS THE GENERIC

As a first-time candidate, McGrath now has a higher favorability rating than incumbent Congressman Barr, with a favorable view from 44% of general election voters and just 20% with an unfavorable view. On the generic ballot, Congressional Democrats have a 12 point advantage over Congressional Republicans in this district. Amy McGrath overperforms that generic Democrat by earning 52% versus Andy Barr’s 37%.

Kentucky’s 6th congressional district spans 19 counties and includes Lexington and the capital city of Frankfort. The district is split between suburban (46.7%) and rural (43.9%) areas. 8.6% of the voting age population are African-American and 26.1% are between the ages of 18-35.

These results are based on a DCCC survey of 508 likely November 2018 general election voters in KY-06, conducted April 30 - May 2, 2018. Landlines were called via IVR and cell phones via live calls. The margin of error is +/- 4.4%.