



# Meet Michigan Governor **GRETCHEN WHITMER** *A Governor who gets it done.*

## **Governor Gretchen Whitmer is *that* woman from Michigan**

Inspired by her family, she's devoted her life to public service, governed through unprecedented, colliding crises, and remains focused on working with anyone to get things done that will make a difference in people's lives.

## **Governor Whitmer has been tested.**

Amidst historic circumstances, the governor has led with grit and grace, tackling Michigan's long standing infrastructure, health care, and education challenges while taking decisive action to save lives and rebuild the state's economy. Despite unprecedented challenges of her first term, she continues to govern with a steely resolve and dedication to delivering for the people of Michigan.

Her administration has delivered major policy victories by creating over 35,000 new auto jobs while ; passing balanced, bipartisan budgets; making the largest investment in K-12 education in state history without raising taxes; delivering critical COVID relief; and providing hundreds of millions in relief funds to Michigan's small businesses and restaurants. As of June 2023, she has also fulfilled her signature promise to fix the damn roads, repairing over 16,000 lane miles and more than 1,200 bridges, while supporting over 89,000 good-paying jobs



## **Governor Whitmer is tough.**

She's tackling the big challenges Michigan faces with bold solutions and decisive leadership. She will continue working to ensure that every Michigander has a great public education and a path to a good-paying job, every community has clean, safe drinking water, and everyone can drive to work or drop their kids at school safely, without blowing a tire or cracking a windshield. She knows that our best days are ahead of us and will never stop fighting for Michigan's families.



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Governor Whitmer and her husband, Marc Mallory, live in Lansing with Kevin and Doug, the First Dogs of Michigan. Her daughters, Sherry and Sydney, are students at the University of Michigan. Her three stepsons, Alex, Mason, and Winston all live in Michigan, as well. Governor Whitmer earned a bachelor's degree and law degree from Michigan State University. A lifelong Michigander, Gretchen Whitmer is honored to serve as Governor of Michigan.

