# Post-Election Labor Update

What To Expect In 2017 (And Beyond)

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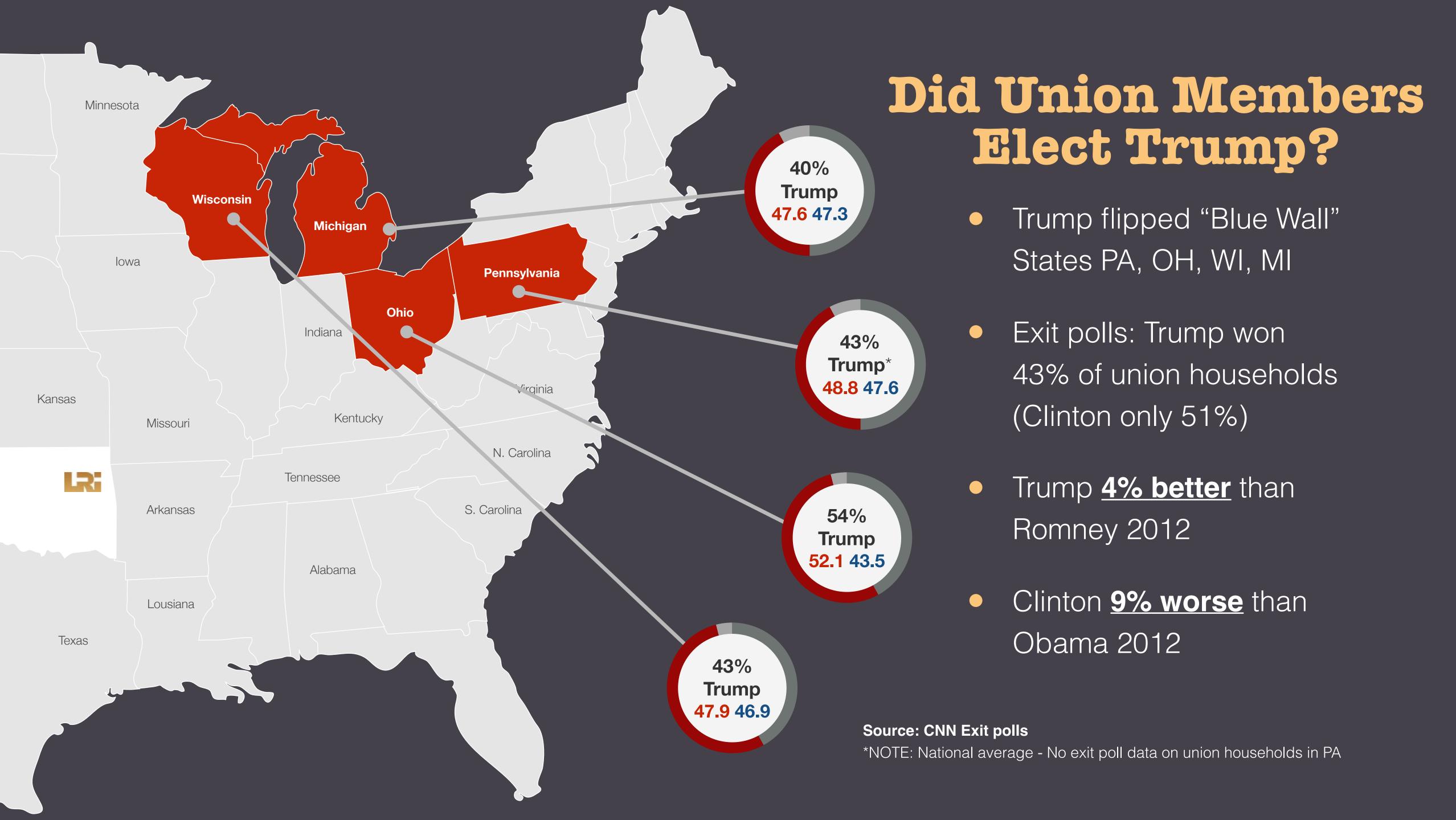
## My Original Presentation

- EFCA 2017 (card check, mandatory first contract arbitration)
- Weingarten rights for non-union employees
- Equal time, equal access rule making
- "Member's Only" minority represented bargaining units rule making
- Expansion of handbook restrictions
- Expansion of social media restrictions
- Expansion of *Purple Communications* to social media

- Additional restrictions on strike replacement workers
- Reduced election timelines under "ambush election" rule making
- Persuader rule
- Blacklisting rule, strong-arming settlements under threat of PR battle
- Expansion of joint employer rulings
- Increased use of 10(j) injunctions
- Etc. ...

## Today's Presentation





## Key Questions

HOW SOON TILL NLRB SEATS CONFIRMED?

WILL "3-VOTES TO OVERTURN" HOLD?

WILL GC
CONTINUE EXPANSIVE
VIEW OF ACT?

HOW SOON TILL DOL SECRETARY CONFIRMED?

## NLRB

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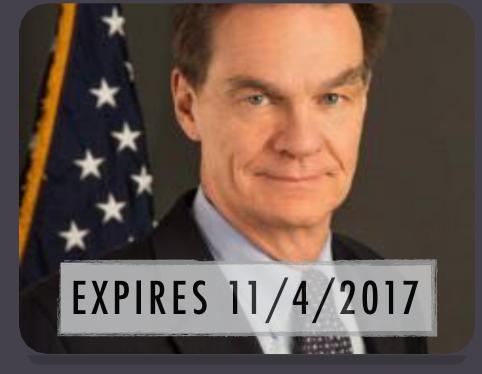
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#### **EXECUTIVE ORDERS**

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#### **EXECUTIVE ORDERS**

# Easiest To Reverse (Trump Just Signs New EO) Easiest For Next POTUS To Reverse Only Covers Government Contractors

- E013495 NON-DISPLACEMENT (SUCCESSOR EMPLOYERS)
- E013496 LABOR LAW POSTING
- E013673 FAIR PAY & SAFE WORKPLACES (BLACKLISTING)
- E013665 NON-RETALIATION FOR PAY DISCLOSURE
- E013494 ECONOMY IN CONTRACTING (NO PERSUADER PAYMENTS)
- E013706 PAID LEAVE

### Requires Republican Majority 2 Appointments, New Chairman

- BFI-MCDONALD'S JOINT EMPLOYER (IN DC CIRCUIT NOW)
- CLASS ACTION WAIVERS (DR HORTON, E&Y, EPIC SCOTUS?)
- SPECIALTY HEALTHCARE (MACY'S, VOLKSWAGEN)
- CLASSIFICATION OF INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS (PACIFIC 9)
- WITHDRAWAL OF RECOGNITION (GC MEMO)

- HIRING PERMANENT REPLACEMENTS (PIEDMONT GARDENS)
- SOCIAL MEDIA (OMNI COMMERCIAL LIGHTING)
- RECORDINGS (WHOLE FOODS)
- HANDBOOKS CIVIL TREATMENT (BEAUMONT HOSPITALS, ET AL)
- SIT DOWN STRIKES (WALMART)
- SUCCESSORSHIP (NEXEO, CREATIVE VISIONS)

NLRB DECISIONS

### Requires New Secretary Of Labor New NLRB Chairman

- CONGRESSIONAL REVIEW ACT?
  - 60-DAY LIMIT
  - AMEND CRA?
- PERSUADER RULE (ENJOINED)
  - TX, MN, AR CASES
  - 12/9 SUMMARY JUDGMENT?
  - NEW DOL STOPS APPEALS?
- BLACKLISTING RULE (ENJOINED)
  - DOL HASN'T APPEALED YET
  - HAS UNTIL CHRISTMAS TO APPEAL

- AMBUSH ELECTION RULE
  - LITIGATION OVER
  - ISSUE NEW RULE? (APA PROCESS)
  - ADMINISTRATIVE OPTIONS
- OTHER RULE MAKING DECISIONS
  - OVERTIME
  - OSHA INSPECTIONS
  - SILICA, EEO-1, RECORD KEEPING, WORKPLACE WELLNESS PROGRAMS, ETC.

RULE MAKING

## Requires Passage In House And Senate 60 Votes (Or Revised Cloture Rule)

**LEGISLATION** 

- REMEMBER LESSONS FROM EFCA GOING FOR TOO MUCH CAN MEAN GETTING NOTHING
- EMPLOYEE RIGHTS ACT
- NATIONAL RIGHT TO WORK ACT
- SALTING
- TRIBAL SOVEREIGNTY
- REPRESENTATION

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- EMPLOYEE PRIVACY PROTECTION
- NLRA REFORM ACT (EXPAND BOARD, DISTRICT COURT REVIEW, 1 YR LIMIT)
- PROTECTING LOCAL
  BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY
  (BFI)
  - PORTS, PLUS ACT (MARITIME SHIPPING)
  - RAISE ACT
  - PROJECT LABORAGREEMENTS
  - FREEDOM FROM UNION VIOLENCE

## Other Key Issues

OVERTIME LITIGATION

RIGHT TO WORK

STATE LAWS PRE-EMPTION

IMMIGRATION OBAMACARE