A minimum wage increase from $11 to $12 in 2019 will raise the wages of:

662,000 workers
(20 percent of the Massachusetts workforce)

A total wage increase of
$817.5 million

Outgoing Rotation Group microdata, 2017.
The MA minimum wage increase from $11 to $12 in 2019 will benefit:

- **15 percent** of working parents
- **79 percent** of working teens
- **255,000** kids in Massachusetts (Enough to fill Fenway Park almost 7 times.)

40 percent of retail workers

68 percent of food service workers

34 percent of human services workers


... will receive a raise when the MA minimum wage increases from $11 to $12 in 2019.
The MA minimum wage increase from $11 to $12 in 2019 will benefit:

- 29 percent of Black/African American workers
- 36 percent of Hispanic/Latinx workers
- 18 percent of White workers

Of the workers benefiting from the MA minimum wage increase to $12 in 2019...

- **88%** percent are adults
- **58%** percent are women
- **52%** percent work full-time

Of the workers benefiting from the MA minimum wage increase to $12 in 2019...

11 percent are Black/African American

17 percent are Hispanic/Latinx

65 percent are White