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FWAA-NFF SUPER 16 POLL

- GAMES PLAYED THROUGH OCTOBER 3, 2015 -

			FIRST-PLACE	LAST WEEK'S
	TEAM	POINTS	VOTES	RANK
1.	Ohio State	584	22	1
2.	TCU	540	3	4
3.	Baylor	517	4	5
4.	Michigan State	493	2	2
5.	LSU	432	3	9
6.	Utah	391	4	12
7.	Clemson	388		13
8.	Alabama	335		11
9.	Texas A&M	286	1	14
10.	Florida State	284		10
11.	Oklahoma	253		15
12.	Florida	205		N/A
13.	Northwestern	137		16
14.	Mississippi	121		3
15.	Notre Dame	115		7
16.	Stanford	61		N/A

ABOUT THE FWAA-NFF SUPER 16 POLL: The FWAA-NFF Super 16 Poll was established at the conclusion of the 2013 season by long-time partners, the Football Writers Association of America (FWAA) and the National Football Foundation (NFF). Voters rank the top 16 teams in the NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision, and the results will be released every Sunday of the 2015 season; the individual votes of all members will also be made public. The first poll will be released Sept. 8 (to account for Labor Day games), and the final poll will be released Dec. 6. The pollsters consist of FWAA writers, College Football Hall of Famers, NFF Board Members and highly regarded collegiate administrators who were selected to create a balanced-geographical perspective as well as a diversity of viewpoints from the different roles associated with the game.

ABOUT THE FWAA: The Football Writers Association of America, a non-profit organization founded in 1941, consists of more than 1,300 men and women who cover college football. The membership includes journalists, broadcasters and publicists, as well as key executives in all the areas that involve the game. The FWAA works to govern areas that include gameday operations, major awards and its annual All-America team. For more information visit www.footballwriters.com.

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