



**2016 Elections: Impact on Regional Development
Organizations and Local Governments**

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Presentation Overview

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- **U.S. Senate: Election Results, Leadership, and Committees**
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- **What's Next for the New Congress and Beyond**



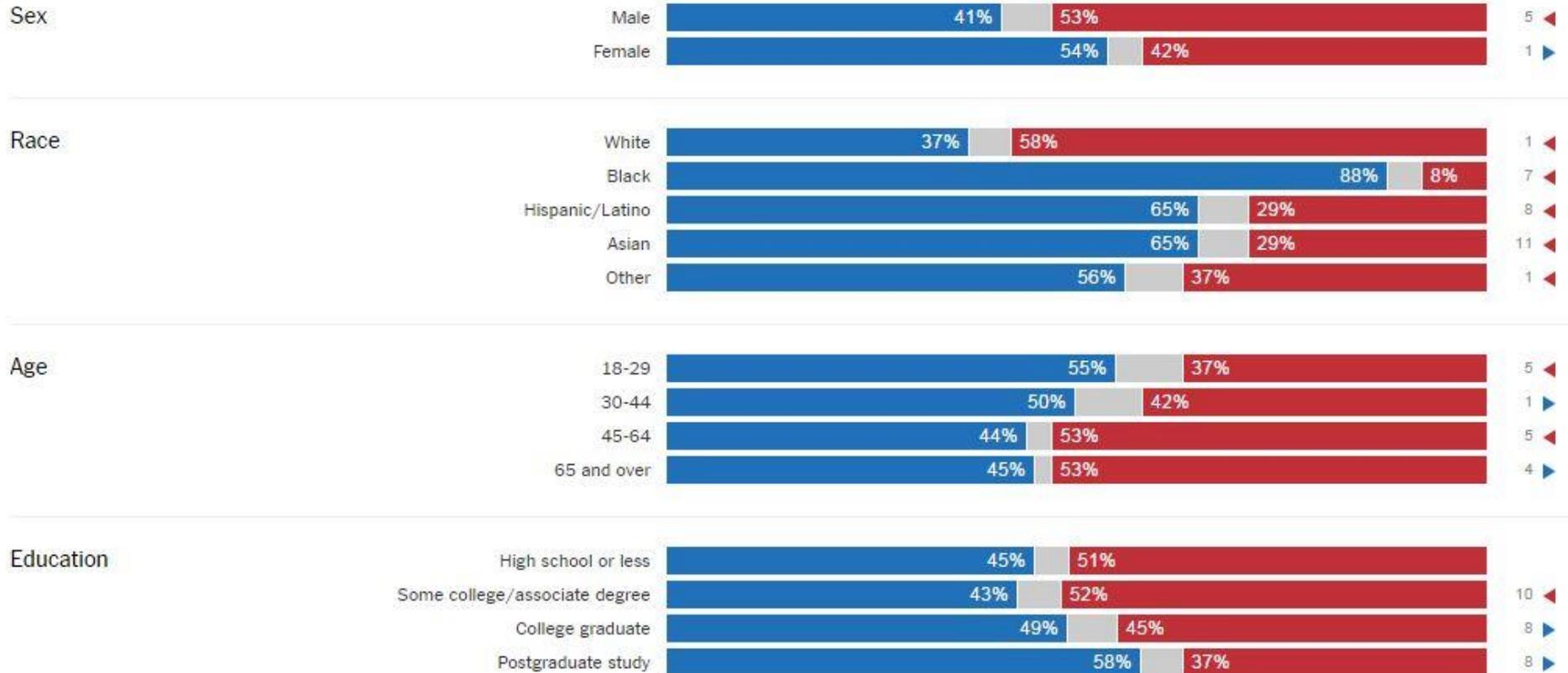
2016 Elections: What Was At Stake?

- U.S. President
- 34 Senate Seats
- 435 House Seats
- 12 Governor Seats
- 161 Ballot Measures



What Happened? Voter Demographics

Difference from 2012



U.S. Senate Results



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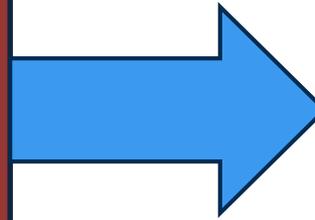
U.S. Senate: The New Numbers

Old Senate

Republicans: 54

Democrats: 46*

*Includes 2
Independents



New Senate

Republicans: 51

Democrats: 48*

*Includes 2
Independents
**1 undecided
race

U.S. Senate Elections: New Members

➤ New Democratic Senate Members (5):

- *Tammy Duckworth (IL)*
- *Maggie Hassan (NH)*
- Chris Van Hollen (MD)
- Catherine Cortez Masto (NV)
- Kamala Harris (CA)

**Gained two seats*



➤ New Republican Senate Members (1):

- Todd Young (IN)



**Louisiana will hold runoff election on Dec. 10 to determine winner of open senate seat*

U.S. Senate Elections: Incumbents

➤ Democratic Incumbents Re-Elected (7):

- Patrick Leahy (VT)
- Charles Schumer (NY)
- Richard Blumenthal (CT)
- Michael Bennet (CO)
- Brian Schatz (HI)
- Patty Murray (WA)
- Ron Wyden (OR)



➤ Republican Incumbents Re-Elected (20):

- Marco Rubio (FL)
- Richard Shelby (AL)
- Johnny Isakson (GA)
- Tim Scott (SC)
- Richard Burr (NC)
- Rand Paul (KY)
- John Boozman (AR)
- Roy Blunt (MO)
- Rob Portman (OH)
- Pat Toomey (PA)
- John Hoeven (ND)
- John Thune (SD)
- John McCain (AZ)
- Mike Lee (UT)
- Michael Crapo (ID)
- Lisa Murkowski (AK)
- Jerry Moran (KS)
- James Lankford (OK)
- Charles Grassley (IA)
- Ron Johnson (WI)

U.S. Senate Leadership: Republican Control

REPUBLICANS

Majority Leader: Mitch McConnell (R-KY)

Majority Whip: John Cornyn (R-TX)

Republican Conference Secretary: John Thune (R-SD)

DEMOCRATS

Minority Leader: Charles Schumer (D-NY)

Minority Whip: Dick Durbin (D-IL)

Democratic Conference Secretary: Patty Murray (D-WA)

*Expected Leadership

U.S. Senate Committee Leadership

Agriculture
Appropriations
Banking
Budget
EPW
Finance
Small Business

Pat Roberts (KS)
Thad Cochran (MS)
Richard Shelby (AL)
Jeff Sessions (AL)
Jim Inhofe (OK) – term-limited
Orrin Hatch (UT)
James Risch (ID)

U.S. Senate Committee Changes



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Senate Appropriations Full Committee

Republicans

Thad Cochran (MS), Chair
Mitch McConnell (KY)
Richard Shelby (AL)
Lamar Alexander (TN)
Susan Collins (ME)
Lisa Murkowski (AK)
Lindsey Graham (SC)
~~Mark Kirk (IL)~~
Roy Blunt (MO)
Jerry Moran (KS)
John Hoeven (ND)
John Boozman (AR)
Shelley Moore Capito (WV)
Bill Cassidy (LA)
James Lankford (OK)
Steve Daines (MT)

Democrats

*Barbara Mikulski (MD),
Outgoing Vice Chairwoman*
Patrick Leahy (VT)
Patty Murray (WA)
Dianne Feinstein (CA)
Richard Durbin (IL)
Jack Reed (RI)
Jon Tester (MT)
Tom Udall (NM)
Jeanne Shaheen (NH)
Jeff Merkley (OR)
Chris Coons (DE)
Brian Schatz (HI)
Tammy Baldwin (WI)
Chris Murphy (CT)

Senate Environment and Public Works Committee

Republicans

James Inhofe (OK), Outgoing Chair

~~David Vitter (LA)~~

John Barrasso (WY)

Shelley Moore Capito (WV)

Mike Crapo (ID)

John Boozman (AR)

Jeff Sessions (AL)

Roger Wicker (MS)

Deb Fischer (NE)

Michael Rounds (SD)

Dan Sullivan (AK)

Democrats

Barbara Boxer (CA), Outgoing Chair

Tom Carper (DE)

Ben Cardin (MD)

Bernie Sanders (I-VT)

Sheldon Whitehouse (RI)

Jeff Merkley (OR)

Kirsten Gillibrand (NY)

Cory Booker (NJ)

Edward Markey (MA)

U.S. House Results



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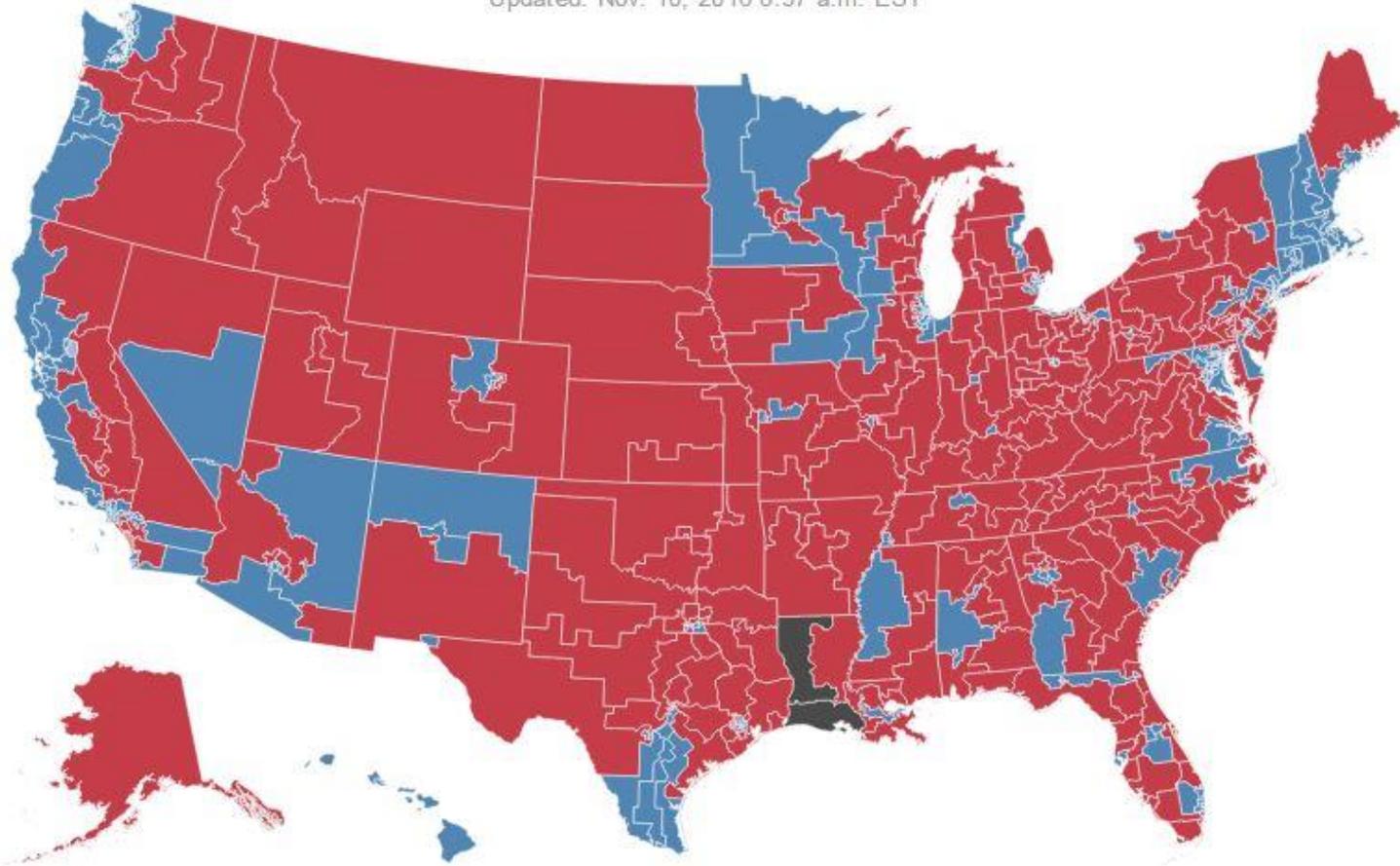
U.S. House Results

Democrats
193

218 For majority

Republicans
239

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U.S. House: The New Numbers

Old House

Republicans: 247

Democrats: 188



New House

Republicans: 239

Democrats: 193

Undecided: 3

U.S. House: The Final Analysis

- **GOP will retain control of the House**
- **Democrats gained 5 seats; Republicans lost 5 seats***
- **Out of 18 toss-up seats, Republicans won 13 and Democrats won 5**



*Final results pending

House Leadership: Remains Republican Controlled

Current House Leadership

- **Speaker** **Paul Ryan (WI)**
- **Majority Leader** **Kevin McCarthy (CA)**
- **Majority Whip** **Steve Scalise (LA)**
- **Agriculture** **Mike Conway (TX)**
- **Appropriations** **Hal Rogers (KY) – term limited**
- **Education & Workforce** **John Kline (MN) - retiring**
- **Budget** **Tom Price (GA)**
- **Financial Services** **Jeb Hensarling (TX)**
- **Natural Resources** **Rob Bishop (UT)**
- **Small Business** **Steve Chabot (OH)**
- **Transportation** **Bill Shuster (PA)**
- **Ways & Means** **Kevin Brady (TX)**



U.S. House Committee Changes



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House Appropriations Full Committee

Republicans

Harold Rogers (KY),

Outgoing Chair

Rodney Frelinghuysen (NJ)

Robert Aderholt (AL)

Kay Granger (TX)

Michael Simpson (ID)

John Culberson (TX)

Ander Crenshaw (FL)

John Carter (TX)

Ken Calvert (CA)

Tom Cole (OK)

Mario Diaz-Balart (FL)

Charles Dent (PA)

Tom Graves (GA)

Kevin Yoder (KS)

Steve Womack (AR)

Jeff Fortenberry (NE)

Tom Rooney (FL)

Chuck Fleischmann (TN)

Jaime Herrera Butler (WA)

David Joyce (OH)

David Valadao (CA)

Andy Harris (MD)

Martha Roby (AL)

Mark Amodei (NV)

Chris Stewart (UT)

Scott Rigell (VA) – retired

David Jolly (FL)

David Young (IA)

Evan Jenkins (WV)

Steven Palazzo (MS)

House Appropriations Full Committee

Democrats

Nita Lowey (NY), Ranking

Marcy Kaptur (OH)

Peter Visclosky (IN)

José Serrano (NY)

Rosa DeLauro (CT)

David Price (NC)

Lucille Roybal-Allard (CA)

Sam Farr (CA)

Chaka Fattah (PA)

Sanford Bishop (GA)

Barbara Lee (CA)

Michael Honda (CA)

Betty McCollum (MN)

Tim Ryan (OH)

Debbie Wasserman Schultz (FL)

Henry Cuellar (TX)

Chellie Pingree (ME)

Mike Quigley (IL)

Derek Kilmer (WA)

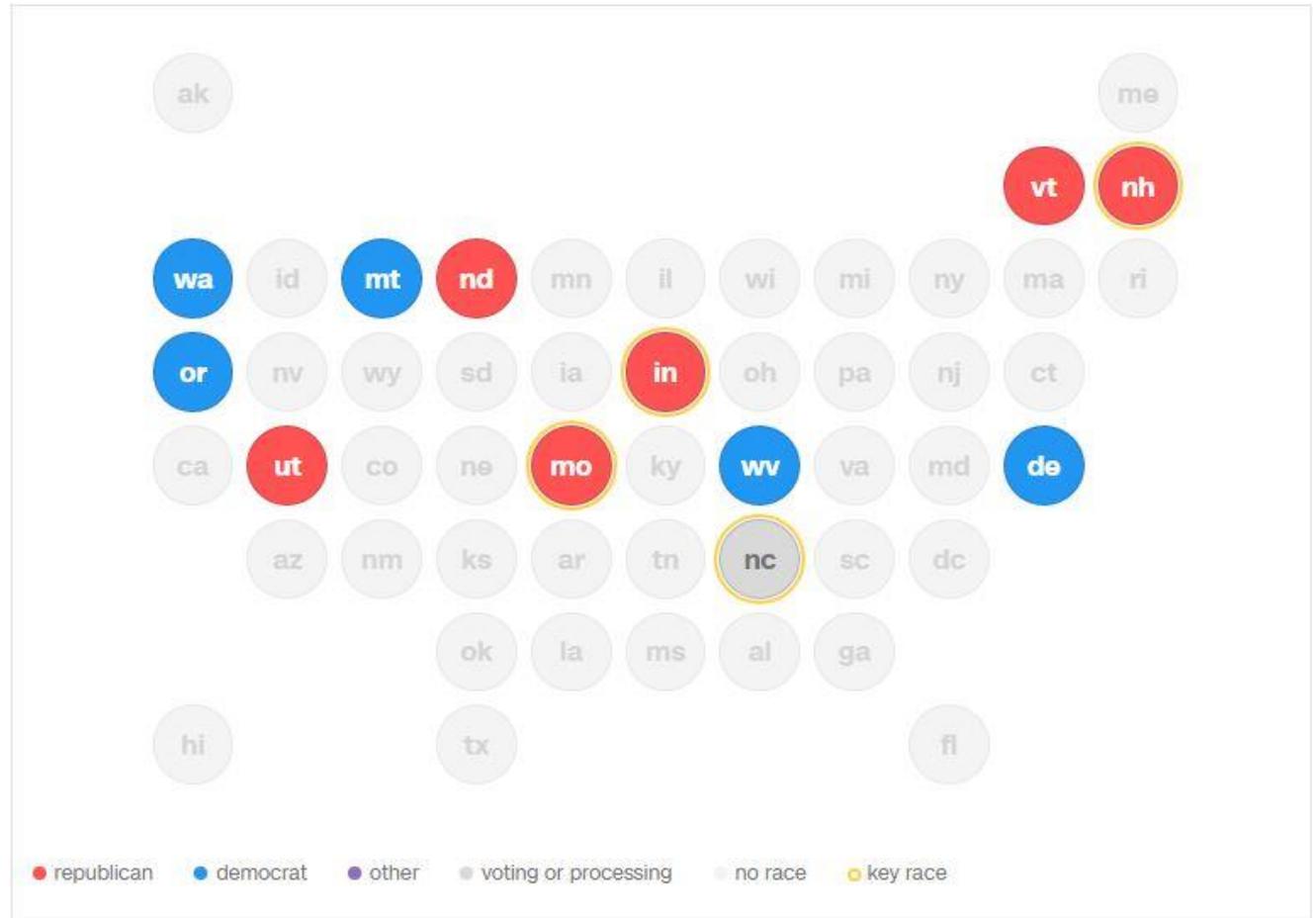
Governor, State, & Ballot Measure Results



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Governor Election Results

Party
Breakdown:
5 Ds
6 Rs
1 Undecided.



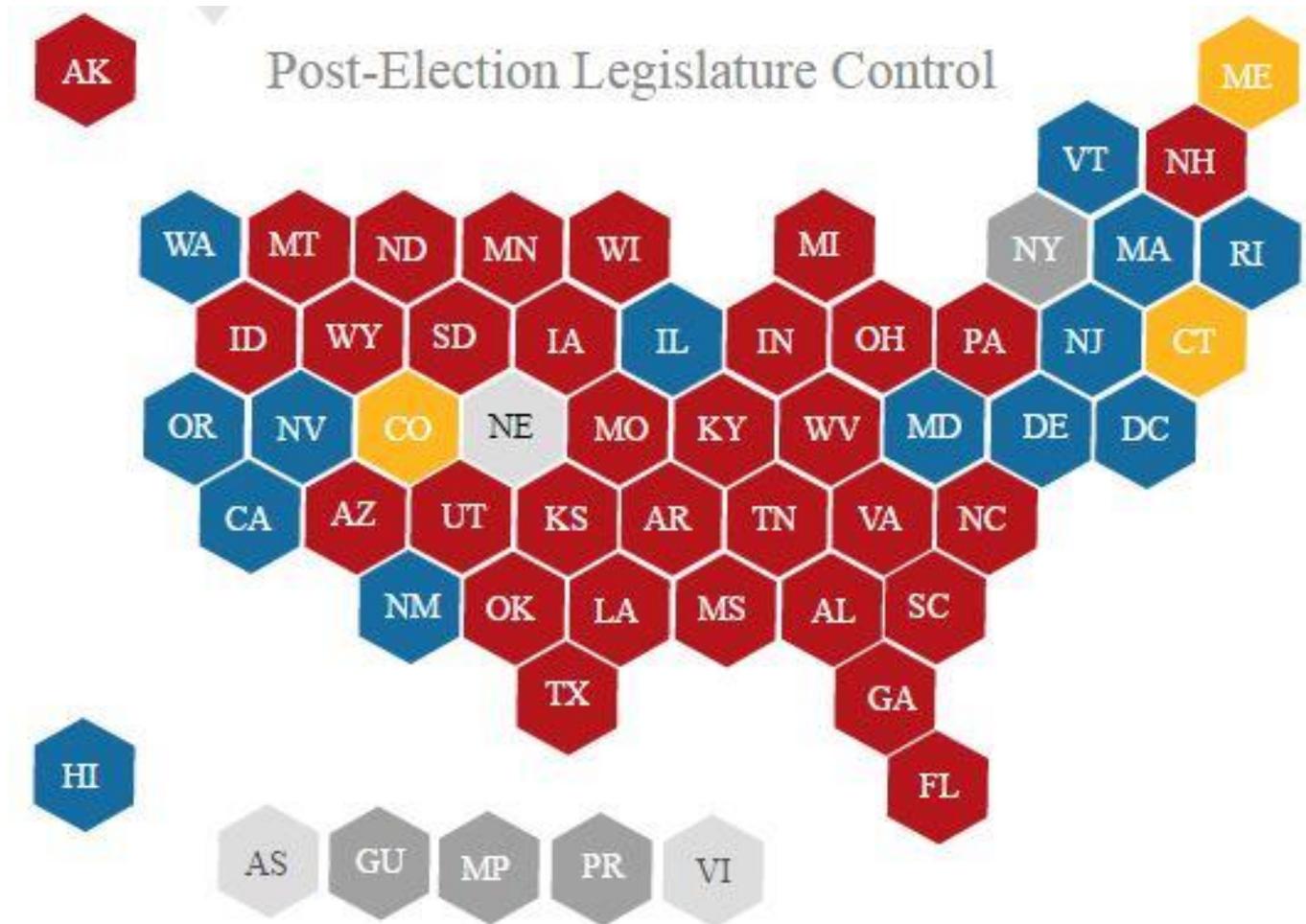
2016 Governor Races

- **Republicans gained 3 new seats previously held by Democrats in NH, MO, and VT**
- **Republicans held seats in IN, UT, and ND**
- **Democratic incumbents in MT, OR, and WA successfully fended off Republican challengers**
- **Democrats held open seats in WV and DE**
- **NC race undecided (final vote results expected Nov. 18)**



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2016 State Legislature Results: GOP Maintains Majority



Party
Breakdown:
32 Rs
14 Ds
3 split control
1 nonpartisan

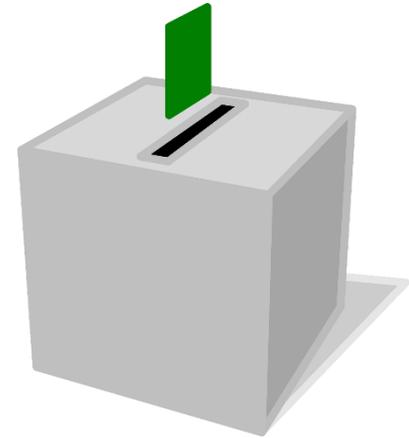
2016 Ballot Measures

161 Ballot Measures in 2016

- **Minimum wage increases in four states: AZ, CO, ME, and WA; SD voted against lowering minimum wage for minors**
- **Healthcare measures considered in five states; of note:**
 - **CO voters turned down referendum establishing state healthcare system**
- **CA voters turned down referendum setting drug prices paid by state agencies at no more than cost paid for drugs by U.S. Department of Veteran's Affairs**
- **Transportation and transit measures in many states**
- **Right-to-Work amendments considered; approved in AL and turned down in VA**
- **Ranked Voting System approved in ME**
- **Voter ID Amendment approved in MO**

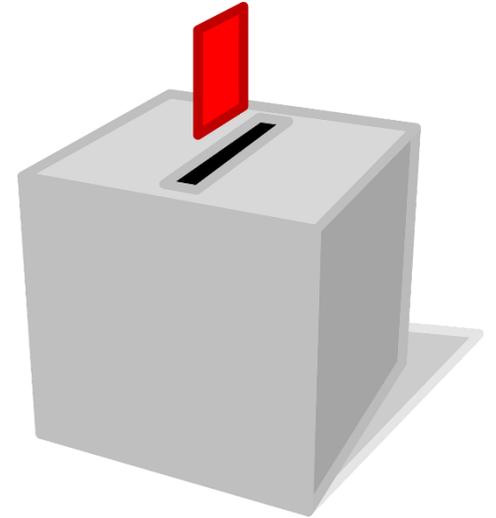
Outlook for 2018: U.S. Senate Races

- **2018 U.S. Senate map favors Republicans**
- **Democrats hold 23 seats**
- **Republicans hold 8 seats**
- **Independents hold two seats**
- **States Trump won where Dems hold seats:
FL, IN, MI, MT, ND, OH, PA, WV, WI**
- **One Republican-held seat in state Clinton
won: NV**



Outlook: Governor Races

- **NJ and VA holding contests in 2017; R/D split**
- **36 states holding contests in 2018**
- **Republicans hold 26 seats**
- **Democrats hold 9 seats**
- **1 Independent seat (AK)**
- **States Trump won where Democrats hold seat:
PA**
- **States Clinton won where Republicans hold
seat: IL, ME, MD, MA, NV, NH, NM**



What's Next?

➤ **Lame Duck Session**

- Leadership Elections
- Funding for remainder of FY17
– CR or Omnibus?
- Water Resources Development Bill
- Energy Legislation
- DOL Overtime Rule

Looking Ahead

- **December 9:** Current CR for FY17 expires
- **December 16:** 114th Congress Adjourns
- **January 3:** Swearing in of 115th Congress
- **January 20:** Inauguration
- **February 3:** President's FY18 budget request due
- **March 15:** U.S. debt limit expires
- **April 15:** FY18 congressional budget due
- **October 1:** FY18 begins

President-Elect Trump's Priorities

- Repeal of Affordable Care Act
- Energy production and de-regulation
- Infrastructure
- Corporate tax reform
- Trade: Re-negotiation of NAFTA

Legislative Priorities for the 115th Congress

- Repeal of Affordable Care Act
- Dodd-Frank Reform
- Passage of Ryan Budget
- Corporate tax reform

Upcoming Events

2017 Washington Policy Conference NADO on the Hill: *March 20 - 22*



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QUESTIONS



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