

**ELECTIONS** 



# 2024 BALLOT MEASURES

Number	Based Off Bill #	Торіс	Description	Yes/ No

#### ALABAMA

Amendment 1 H	HB 302	Education	Allow the Franklin County Board of Education to manage, sell, or lease lands and natural resources from the lands within the Franklin County School System located in Walker and Fayette County.	YES
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#### ALASKA

Ballot Measure 1	N/A	Economy	Increase the state's minimum wage to \$15 per hour and require employers to provide earned paid sick leave for employees.	YES
Ballot Measure 2	N/A	Government	Repeal the top-four ranked-choice voting system that was adopted in 2020.	YES*

#### **ARIZONA**

Proposition 133	HCR 2033	Government	Require partisan primary elections for partisan offices and prohibit primary elections where all candidates, regardless of political party affiliation, run in the same primary election, such as top-two, top-four, and top-five primaries.	NO
Proposition 134	SCR 1015	Constitution	Create a signature distribution requirement for citizen-initiated ballot measures based on state legislative districts.	NO

Proposition 135	HCR 2039	Government	Provide for the legislature to terminate a state of emergency or alter the emergency powers of the governor during the state of emergency and provide for any emergency powers granted to the governor to automatically terminate 30 days after the state of emergency is proclaimed, unless the state legislature extends the emergency powers granted to the governor, and except in cases for a state of war emergency or an emergency arising from a flood or a fire.	ΝΟ
Proposition 136	SCR 1041	Constitution	Provide for challenges to an initiative measure or constitutional amendment after the filing of the measure with the secretary of state.	NO
Proposition 137	SCR 1044	Judicial	End term limits for state supreme court justices and superior court judges, replacing them with terms of good behavior, unless decided otherwise by a judicial review commission, and would end retention elections at the end of the judicial term, providing for retention elections under certain circumstances.	NO
Proposition 138	SCR 1040	Wages	Allow for tipped workers to be paid 25% less per hour than the minimum wage provided that the worker's total compensation was not less than the minimum wage plus \$2.	NO
Proposition 139	N/A	Abortion	Provide for a state constitutional right to abortion before fetal viability.	YES
Proposition 140	N/A	Government	Require primaries in which candidates, regardless of partisan affiliation, appear on a single ballot and a certain number advance to the general election, and require general election candidates to receive a majority of votes.	NO

Proposition 311	SCR 1006	Criminal Justice	Establish a \$20 fee on every conviction for a criminal offense, which would go to pay a benefit of \$250,000 to the family of a first responder who is killed in the line of duty.	YES
Proposition 312	HCR 2023	Tax/Housing	Allow for property owners to apply for a property tax refund in certain circumstances, including in instances if the city or locality in which the property is located does not enforce laws regarding illegal camping, loitering, obstructing public thoroughfares, panhandling, public urination or defecation, public consumption of alcoholic beverages, and possession or use of illegal substances.	YES
Proposition 313	SCR 1021	Criminal Justice	Require that anyone convicted of child sex trafficking must receive a sentence of life imprisonment.	YES
Proposition 314	HCR 2060	Social Issues	Provide for several changes to criminal and immigration law, including allowing police to arrest noncitizens who enter Arizona from foreign countries at locations other than official ports.	YES
Proposition 315	SCR 1012	Government	Prohibit a proposed rule from becoming effective if that rule is estimated to increase regulatory costs by more than \$500,000 within five years after implementation, until the legislature enacts legislation ratifying the proposed rule.	NO*

# ARKANSAS

Issue 1	HJR 1006	Education	Allow proceeds from the state lottery to fund scholarships and grants for vocational-technical schools and technical institutes.	YES
Issue 2	N/A	Gambling	Repeal the authorization for a casino license in Pope County and require countywide voter approval for any new casino licenses.	YES



# CALIFORNIA

Proposition 2	N/A	Bonds/Education	Issue \$10 billion in bonds to fund construction and modernization of public education facilities.	YES
Proposition 32	N/A	Wages	Increase the state's minimum wage to \$18 per hour.	NO
Proposition 33	N/A	Housing	Repeals Costa Hawkins Rental Housing Act.	NO
Proposition 34	N/A	Health	Requires health care providers to spend 98% of revenues from federal discount prescription drug program on direct patient care.	YES*
Proposition 35	N/A	Tax	Permanently authorizes a tax on managed care organizations to fund Medi-Cal programs.	YES
Proposition 36	N/A	Drug Policy	Increase penalties for certain drug crimes and theft convictions and allow a new class of crime to be called treatment-mandated felony.	YES
Proposition 3	ACA 5 & SB 789	Social Issues	Repeal Proposition 8 and establish a right to marry.	YES
Proposition 4	N/A	Bonds/ Environment	Issue \$10 billion in bonds to fund state and local parks, environmental protection projects, water infrastructure projects, energy projects, and flood protection projects.	YES
Proposition 5	ACA 1 & ACA 10	Bonds	Lower the vote threshold from two- thirds to 55% for local bond measures to fund housing projects and public infrastructure.	NO
Proposition 6	ACA 8	Social Issues	Remove involuntary servitude as punishment for a crime from the state constitution.	NO

#### COLORADO

Amendment 79	N/A	Abortion	Provide for a state constitutional right to abortion and repeal provision banning the use of public funds for abortions.	YES
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Amendment 80	N/A	Education	Provide a constitutional right to school choice including neighborhood schools, charter schools, private schools, homeschools, open enrollment options, and future innovations in education.	NO*
Amendment G	HCR 23- 1002	Taxes	Expand the property tax exemption for veterans with a disability to veterans with individual unemployability status.	YES
Amendment H	HCR 23- 1001	Judicial	Create an independent judicial discipline adjudicative board and create rules for the judicial discipline process.	YES
Amendment I	HCR 24- 1002	Criminal	Remove the right to bail in cases of first-degree murder when the proof is evident or the presumption is great.	YES
Amendment J	SCR 24- 003	Social Issues	Remove the provision of the state constitution that says, "Only a union of one man and one woman shall be valid or recognized as a marriage in this state."	YES
Amendment K	SCR 24- 002	Constitution	Change deadlines for filing initiative and referendum petition signatures and judicial retention notice deadlines to remove one week in order to allow one extra week for the secretary of state to certify ballot order and content and election officials' deadline to transmit ballots.	NO
Proposition 127	N/A	Environment	Prohibit trophy hunting, defined as "intentionally killing, wounding, pursuing, or entrapping a mountain lion, bobcat, or lynx; or discharging or releasing any deadly weapon at a mountain lion, bobcat, or lynx."	NO
Proposition 128	N/A	Criminal	Require that persons convicted of certain violent crimes serve more of their sentences before being eligible for parole.	YES

Proposition 129	N/A	Employment	Create the profession of veterinary professional associate (VPA) requiring a master's degree and registration with the state board of veterinary medicine.	YES*
Proposition 130	N/A	Law Enforcement	Allocate state revenue to a new fund, called the Peace Officer Training and Support Fund, for law enforcement recruitment, retention, training, and death benefits.	YES*
Proposition 131	N/A	Government	Establish top-four primaries and ranked-choice voting (RCV) for federal and state offices in Colorado.	NO
Proposition JJ	HB 24- 1436	Taxes	Allow the state to retain tax revenue collected above \$29 million annually from the tax on sports betting proceeds.	YES
Proposition KK	HB 24- 1349	Firearms	Levy a 6.5% excise tax on firearms and ammunition manufacturing and sales to be imposed on firearms dealers, manufacturers, and ammunition vendors and appropriating the revenue to the Firearms and Ammunition Excise Tax Cash Fund to be used to fund crime victim services programs, mental and behavioral health programs for children and veterans, and school security and safety programs.	YES

## CONNECTICUT

No Excuse Absentee Voting Amendment	HJR 58	Government	Authorizes the state legislature to provide by law for no-excuse absentee voting.	YES
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## FLORIDA

Amendment 1	HJR 31	Education	Change school board elections from nonpartisan to partisan beginning in the November 2026 general election and for primary elections nominating party candidates for the 2026 election.	NO
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Amendment 2	HJR 1157	Constitution	Provide for a state constitutional right to hunt and fish.	YES
Amendment 3	N/A	Cannabis	Legalize the recreational or personal use of marijuana.	NO
Amendment 4	N/A	Abortion	Provide for a state constitutional right to abortion before fetal viability.	NO
Amendment 5	HJR 7017	Tax/Housing	Provide for an annual inflation adjustment for the value of the homestead property tax exemption.	YES
Amendment 6	SJR 1114	Campaign Finance	Repeal a constitutional provision providing for public campaign financing for candidates who agree to spending limits.	NO

## GEORGIA

Tax Court Amendment	HR 598	Judiciary	Provide the Georgia Tax Court with judicial power and statewide jurisdiction.	YES
Local Option Homestead Property Tax Exception Amendment	HR 1022	Taxes	Provide for a local option homestead property tax exemption.	YES
Personal Property Tax Exemption Increase Measure	HB 808	Taxes	Exempt property that is valued at less than \$20,000 from the personal property tax.	YES

# HAWAII

Judicial Appointments and Confirmations Amendment	SB 2927	Judiciary	Change the process for appointing and confirming district court judges to be the same as that used for supreme court justices and other higher court judges.	YES
Remove Legislature Authority to Limit Marriage to Opposite- Sex Couples Amendment	HB 2802	Social Issues	Remove provision of the constitution saying that "the legislature shall have the power to reserve marriage to opposite-sex couples."	YES

IDAHO



Constitutional Amendment HJR 5	HJR 5	Social Issues	Prohibit the state and local governments from allowing noncitizens to vote.	YES
Proposition 1	N/A	Government	Establish top-four primaries and ranked-choice voting (RCV) for federal, state, and certain local offices in Idaho.	NO

## ILLINOIS

Assisted Reproductive Healthcare Advisory Question	N/A	Social Issues	Advise state officials on whether to provide for medically assisted reproductive treatments, including in vitro fertilization, to be covered by any health insurance plan in Illinois that provides full coverage to pregnancy benefits.	YES
Income Tax Advisory Question	N/A	Tax	Advise state officials on whether to amend the Illinois Constitution to create an additional 3% tax on income greater than \$1 million for the purpose of dedicating funds to property tax relief.	YES
Penalties for Candidate Interference with Election Worker's Duties Advisory Question	N/A	Government	Advise state officials on whether to establish civil penalties if a candidate interferes or attempts to interfere with an election worker's official duties.	YES

## INDIANA

Remove Superintendent of Public Instruction from N/A Gubernatiorial Line of Succession Amendment	Government	Advise state officials on whether to establish civil penalties if a candidate interferes or attempts to interfere with an election worker's official duties.	YES
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Amendment 1	SJR 9	Social Issues	Prohibit the state and local governments from allowing noncitizens to vote and allow 17-year- olds who will be 18 by the general election to vote in primary elections.	YES
Amendment 2	HJR 3	Government	Provide that if the governor dies, resigns, or is removed from office, the lieutenant governor would assume the office of governor for the remainder of the term, thereby creating a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor.	YES

# KENTUCKY

Constitutional Amendment 1	SB 143	Social Issues	Prohibit the state and local governments from allowing noncitizens to vote.	YES
Constitutional Amendment 2	HB 2	Education	Allow the state to provide funding for non-public education.	NO

# LOUISIANA

#### MAINE

Question 1	N/A	Campaign Finance	Limit the amount of campaign contributions to \$5,000 from individuals and entities to political action committees that make independent expenditures.	YES
Question 2	N/A	Bonds	Authorize \$25 million in general obligation bonds for research, development, and commercialization of for Maine-based public and private institutions in support of technological innovation.	YES



Question 3	N/A	Bonds	Authorize \$10 million in general obligation bonds for the restoration of local community buildings.	YES*
Question 4	N/A	Bonds	Authorize \$30 million in general obligation bonds for the development and maintenance of outdoor trails.	YES
Question 5	HB 86	Government	Replace the Maine state flag with a flag consisting of a pine tree and the North Star on a buff background.	NO

#### MARYLAND

Question 1 SI	SB 798 A	Abortion	Provide for a state constitutional right to reproductive freedom, defined to include abortion.	YES
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## MASSACHUSETTS

Question 1	N/A	Government	Authorize the state auditor to audit the state legislature and remove some existing regulations regarding the auditing process.	YES
Question 2	N/A	Education	Repeal the requirement that students must achieve a certain competency level on the Massachusetts Comprehensive Assessment System (MCAS) exam to graduate high school.	YES
Question 3	N/A	Unions	Provide for unionizing and collective bargaining for transportation network drivers.	YES
Question 4	N/A	Drug Policy	Allow persons 21 years of age or older to grow, possess, and use natural psychedelic substances, as well as establish a commission to regulate the licensing of psychedelic substances and services.	NO
Question 5	N/A	Wages	Increase the minimum wage for tipped employees to meet the state's standard minimum wage.	NO

## MINNESOTA

Amendment 1	HF 1900	Environment	Extend the dedication of lottery- derived revenue to the Environment and Natural Resources Fund for 25 years.	YES
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#### MISSOURI

Amendment 2	N/A	Gambling	Legalize and regulate sports wagering in Missouri.	YES*
Amendment 3	N/A	Abortion	Provide for a state constitutional right to reproductive freedom, defined to include abortion.	YES
Amendment 5	N/A	Gambling	Allow the Missouri Gaming Commission to issue one additional gambling boat license to operate on the portion of the Osage River from the Missouri River to the Bagnell Dam.	NO
Amendment 6	SJR 71	Employment	Define the administration of justice to include the levying of costs and fees to support the salaries and benefits for law enforcement personnel.	NO
Amendment 7	SJR 78	Government	Prohibit ranked-choice voting (RCV) and the state and local governments from allowing noncitizens to vote.	YES
Proposition A	N/A	Wages	Increase the state's minimum wage to \$15 per hour and require employers to provide earned paid sick leave for employees.	YES

#### MONTANA

CI-126	N/A	Government	Establish top-four primaries for federal and state offices in Montana.	NO
CI-127	N/A	Government	Require an electoral system in which candidates for certain offices must win a majority of the vote, rather than a plurality, to win the election.	NO
CI-128	N/A	Abortion	Provide for a state constitutional right to abortion before fetal viability.	YES

#### NEBRASKA

Initiative 434	N/A	Abortion	Prohibit abortion after the first trimester, except in cases of medical emergencies or if the pregnancy is the result of sexual assault or incest.	YES
Initiative 436	N/A	Economy	Require employers to provide earned paid sick leave for employees.	YES

## BY FOCUS, A LEONINE BUSINESS



Initiative 437	N/A	Drug Policy	Legalize the medical use of marijuana in the state.	YES
Initiative 438	N/A	Drug Policy	Establish the Nebraska Medical Cannabis Commission to regulate the state's medical marijuana program.	YES
Initiative 439	N/A	Abortion	Provide for a state constitutional right to abortion before fetal viability.	NO
Referendum 435	N/A	Education	Partially repeal Legislative Bill 1402, which authorizes the state treasurer to administer an education scholarship program with a \$10 million budget beginning in fiscal year 2024-2025.	YES

#### NEVADA

NEVADA				
Question 1	SJR 7	Education	Remove the constitutional status of the Board of Regents – which governs, controls, and manages the state universities in Nevada – thereby allowing the state legislature to review and change the governing organization of state universities.	NO
Question 2	AJR 1	Social Issues	Revise language in the state constitution related to public entities that benefit individuals with mental illness, blindness, or deafness.	YES
Question 3	N/A	Government	Establish top-five primaries and ranked-choice voting (RCV) for federal and state offices in Nevada.	NO
Question 4	AJR 10	Constitution	Repeal language from the Nevada Constitution that allows the use of slavery and involuntary servitude as criminal punishments.	YES
Question 5	SB 428	Taxes	Amend the Sales and Use Tax of 1955 to provide a sales tax exemption for child and adult diapers.	YES
Question 6	N/A	Abortion	Provide for a state constitutional right to abortion before fetal viability.	YES

Question 7	N/A	Social Issues	Require that Nevada residents present a form of photo identification to verify their identity while voting in person, or to verify their identity using the last four digits of their driver's license or social security number when voting by mail.	YES
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#### NEW HAMPSHIRE

Increased Mandatory Judicial Retirement Age Amendment	ACR 6		Increase the mandatory judicial retirement age from 70 to 75.	YES*
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## NEW MEXICO

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Bond Question 1	N/A	Bonds	Issue \$30,758,100 in bonds to fund senior citizens facilities.	YES
Bond Question 2	N/A	Bonds	Issue \$19,305,000 in bonds to fund public libraries.	YES
Bond Question 3	N/A	Bonds	Issue \$230,258,400 in bonds to fund public higher education institutions, special public schools, and tribal schools.	YES
Bond Question 4	N/A	Bonds	Issue \$10,297,100 in bonds to modernize public safety radio communications systems.	YES
Constitutional Amendment 1	HJR 5	Taxes	Proportionally applies the disabled veteran property tax exemption according to a veteran's disability rating.	YES
Constitutional Amendment 2	HJR 6	Taxes	Increase the property tax exemption for veterans from \$4,000 to \$10,000, adjusted annually for inflation.	YES
Constitutional Amendment 3	SJR 1	Judiciary	Authorize the designee of the dean of the University of New Mexico Law School serve as chair of the judicial nomination commission.	YES
Constitutional Amendment 4	SJR 16	Government	Authorize the board of county commissioners to set salaries for county officers and clarify that fees collected by the county are to be deposited into the county treasury.	YES



Proposal 1	SB 108A	Social Issues	Provide that people cannot be denied rights based on their "ethnicity, national origin, age, and disability" or "sex, including sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, pregnancy, pregnancy outcomes, and reproductive healthcare and autonomy."	YES
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## NORTH CAROLINA

Citizen Requirement for Voting Amendment	HB 1074		Prohibit the state and local governments from allowing noncitizens to vote.	YES
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#### NORTH DAKOTA

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Constitutional Measure 1	SCR 4001	Social Issues	Update language used in the state constitution to describe certain state institutions such as changing "insane" to "individuals with mental illness", "feebleminded" to "individuals with developmental disabilities", and "deaf and dumb" to "deaf and hard of hearing."	YES
Constitutional Measure 2	SCR 4013	Constitution	Establish a single-subject rule for initiatives; increase the signature requirement for constitutional initiatives; and require constitutional initiatives to be approved at two elections.	NO
Constitutional Measure 3	HCR 3033	Taxes	Change requirements for transfers from the state legacy fund, a fund that receives 30% of tax revenue from oil and gas production.	YES*
Initiated Measure 4	N/A	Taxes	Prohibit the state and local governments from levying taxes on the assessed value of a home except for those designed to pay for bonded indebtedness.	NO
Initiated Measure 5	N/A	Cannabis	Legalize the recreational or personal use of marijuana.	NO

#### OHIO



Issue 1	N/A	Government	Establish the Ohio Citizens Redistricting Commission (CRC), a 15-member non-politician commission responsible for adopting state legislative and congressional redistricting plans.	NO
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## OKLAHOMA

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Citizenship Requirement for Voting Amendment	SJR 23	Social Issues	Prohibit the state and local governments from allowing noncitizens to vote.	YES
Public Infrastructure Districts Amendment	SJR 16	Public Infrastructure	Allow municipalities to create public infrastructure districts when all property owners within the proposed district sign a petition and give public infrastructure districts the authority to issue bonds for public improvements if approved by voters within the district.	NO

## OREGON

Measure 115	HJR 16	Government	Allow the Legislature to impeach elected state executives.	YES
Measure 116	SJR 34	Government	Establish the Independent Public Service Compensation Commission to determine certain public officials' salaries.	NO*
Measure 117	HB 2004	Government	Establish ranked-choice voting (RCV) for federal and state offices in Oregon.	NO
Measure 118	N/A	Taxes	Require Oregon issue rebates to residents from surplus corporate tax revenue.	NO
Measure 119	N/A	Cannabis	Require cannabis businesses to submit to the Oregon Liquor and Cannabis Commission a signed labor peace agreement between the business and a labor organization with its licensure or renewal application.	YES*

## RHODE ISLAND

Question 1	N/A	Constitution	Call for a state constitutional convention to be held.	NO
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Question 2	N/A	Education	Issue \$160.5 million in bonds for improvements to higher education facilities, with \$87.5 million going to the construction of a University of Rhode Island Biomedical Sciences building, and \$73 million going to renovations and improvements to the Rhode Island College Institute of Cybersecurity & Emerging Technologies.	YES
Question 3	N/A	Bonds	Issue \$120 million in bonds to increase the availability of housing in the state.	YES
Question 4	N/A	Bonds	Issue \$53 million in bonds for environmental-related infrastructure, local recreation projects, and for preservation of land.	YES
Question 5	N/A	Bonds	Issue \$10 million in bonds for funding for 1:1 matching grants to continue the Cultural Arts and Economy Grant program administered by the Rhode Island state council on the arts, and for improvements and renovations to the Tomaquag Museum, the Newport Contemporary Ballet, and the Trinity Repertory Company.	YES

## SOUTH CAROLINA

Citizenship Requirement for Voting Amendment	R 1126	Social Issues	Prohibit the state and local governments from allowing noncitizens to vote.	YES
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## SOUTH DAKOTA

Constitutional Amendment E	SJR 505	Social Issues	Amend the constitution to change male pronouns in the Constitution to gender-neutral terms or titles.	NO
Constitutional Amendment F	SJR 501	Economy	Amend the South Dakota Constitution to provide that the state "may impose a work requirement on any person who has not been diagnosed as being physically or mentally disabled" for eligible individuals to receive Medicaid under the Medicaid expansion that took effect on July 1, 2023.	YES



Constitutional Amendment G	N/A	Abortion	Provide for a state constitutional right to abortion with a trimester framework for regulations.	NO
Constitutional Amendment H	N/A	Government	Establish top-four primaries for federal, state, and certain local offices in South Dakota.	NO
Initiated Measure 28	N/A	Taxes	Prohibit state sales taxes on anything sold for human consumption, not including alcoholic beverages or prepared food.	NO
Initiated Measure 29	N/A	Drug Policy	Legalize the recreational or personal use of marijuana.	NO
Referred Law 21	SB 201	Environment	Uphold or repeal Senate Bill 201, a law that provides statutory requirements for regulating carbon dioxide pipelines and other transmission facilities and allow counties to impose a surcharge on certain pipeline companies.	NO

## UTAH

Amendment B	HJR 18	Education	Increase the limit on annual distributions from the State School Fund for public education from 4% to 5%.	YES
Amendment C	HJR 10	Government	Establish in the state constitution that every county shall elect a sheriff to serve for four-year terms.	YES

#### VIRGINIA

Property Tax Exception for Veterans and Surviving Spouses Amendment	SJR 231	Taxes	Amend language in the Virginia Constitution regarding property tax exemptions for veterans and surviving spouses to say died in the line of duty rather than killed in action.	YES
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## WASHINGTON

Initiative 2066	N/A	Environment	Prohibit state and local governments from restricting access to natural gas.	YES*
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Initiative 2109	N/A	Taxes	Repeal the capital gains excise tax imposed on long-term capital assets by individuals with capital gains over \$250,000.	NO
Initiative 2117	N/A	Taxes	Prohibit carbon tax credit trading and repeal provisions of the 2021 Washington Climate Commitment Act (CCA), a state law that provided for a cap and invest program designed to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions by 95% by 2050.	NO
Initiative 2124	N/A	Taxes	Allow all employees and self- employed individuals to opt out of paying the tax and receiving benefits under WA Cares, the state's long-term services and supports trust health care program.	NO

## WEST VIRGINIA

Amendment 1	HJR 28	Healthcare	Prohibit people from participating in "the practice of medically assisted suicide, euthanasia, or mercy killing of a person."	YES*
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## WISCONSIN

Citizenship Voting Requirement Amendment	Social Issues	Prohibit the state and local governments from allowing noncitizens to vote.	YES
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## WYOMING

Property Tax on Residential Property and Owner- Occupied Primary Residence Amendment	SJR 3	Housing	Adds residential real property as a fourth, separate, class of property and authorizes the legislature to create a subclass of residential property for owner-occupied primary residences, which could be assessed at a different rate from other property in the residential property class.	YES
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