

# Summary of Party Control of State House & State Senate & Governor Offices, U.S. House & Senate, President, Voter Suppression, Expansion, 3/4 Control of State Legislatures & Comments

## Summary

2022 - U. S. Senate:	2022 is the Best opportunity to gain seats in the U. S. Senate ( <b>R - 19, D - 14</b> ) - Vulnerable Republicans - <b>6 (PA, WI, NC, FL, OH?)</b> and vulnerable Democrats - <b>4 (GA, NH, AZ, NV)</b>
2024 - U. S. Senate	2024 is the worst opportunity to gain seats in the U. S. Senate ( <b>D - 22, R - 9</b> ). 2024 will be a bad year for <u>Democratic Senators</u> with <b>22</b> up for election including 3 close races ( <b>AZ, WV, MT</b> ) and Republicans with only <b>9</b> Senators up for re-election including 3 -4 close races ( <b>TX, FL, IN, OH, MO?</b> )
2022 - Governors:	Best opportunity to control more Governor seats (R- 19, D-16) - Vulnerable Republicans - 3-4 ( <b>TX, GA, FL, OH?</b> ) and vulnerable Democrats - 4-6 ( <b>CT, KS, WI, ME?, MI?, NV?</b> )
Republicans only Need 5 Seats to retake the U. S. House	
Divided State Governments:	Republicans control <b>23</b> State, Democrats control <b>14</b> States with Trifectas. <b>13</b> States have divided governments. State Leaning Republican - <b>9</b> where the State House and Senate are controlled by Republicans ( <b>32</b> ) and another <b>2</b> States where Republicans control Governor's office and either the Senate or the House ( <b>34</b> ). There are only <b>4</b> Divided State leaning Democratic with 3 States where the Democrats control the House & Senate and 1 where Democrats control the Governor's office and the House ( <b>18</b> ).
2022 - Avoid Republican State Government Trifectas	Important States include those close to becoming Republican Trifectas - <b>PA</b> (R - House & Senate), <b>LA</b> (R - House & Senate), <b>NC</b> (R - House & Senate), <b>KS</b> (R - House & Senate), <b>KY</b> (R - House & Senate), <b>MI</b> (R - House & Senate), <b>WI</b> (R - House & Senate), <b>VA</b> (R - Gov & House, D - Senate), <b>AK</b> (R - Gov & House, D - State House, )

**If Republicans Control 38 State - Currently Very Close to 34 States are controlled by Republicans:**

Amendments proposed by Congress or convention become valid only when ratified by the legislatures of, or conventions in, three-fourths of the states (i.e., 38 of 50 states)

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Utah	Republican trifecta	1985			Mike Lee (41.1%)				Spencer Cox (63.0%)	X	
Idaho	Republican trifecta	1995			Mike Crapo (38.4%)			Brad Little ? (22.1%)		X	
North Dakota	Republican trifecta	1995			John Hoeven (61.5%)	Kevin Kramer (10.8%)			Doug Burgum (65.8%)		X
South Dakota	Republican trifecta	1995						Kristi Noem (3.4%)			
Nebraska	Republican trifecta	1999				Deb Fischer (19.1%)		Pete Ricketts (18.8%)			
South Carolina	Republican trifecta	2003			Tim Scott (23.7%)			Henry McMaster ? (8.0%)			
Texas	Republican trifecta	2003				Ted Cruz (2.5%)		Greg Abbott (13.4%)		X	

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Georgia	Republican trifecta	2005			Raphael Warnock *** (1.6%)			Brian Kemp (1.4%)		X	
Arizona	Republican trifecta	2009			Mark Kelly *** (2.4%)	Krysten Sinema (2.4%)	D - O'Halleran	Doug Ducey (17.8%)		X	
Delaware	Democratic trifecta	2009				Thomas Carper (22.2%)			John Carney (59.5%)		X
Alabama	Republican trifecta	2011		2010 Citizens United Supreme Court Ruling	Richard Shelby (28.1%)			Kay Ivey (19.2%)		X	
California	Democratic trifecta	2011			Alex Padilla (29%)	Dianne Feinstein - 88 (8.4%)	Republicans - David Valadao, Young Kim, Michelle Steel and Mike Garcia	Gavin Newsom - ? (18.6%)			X
Connecticut	Democratic trifecta	2011			Richard Blumenthal (28.6%)	Christopher Murphy (20.2%)		Ned Lamont (2.6%)			X
Florida	Republican trifecta	2011			Marco Rubio *** (7.7%)	Rick Scott (0.2%)		Ron Desantis (0.4%)		X	
Hawaii	Democratic trifecta	2011			Brian Schatz (71.4%)	Mazie Hirono (42.4%)		Davis Ige (29.0%)			X
Indiana	Republican trifecta	2011			Todd Young (9.7%)	Mike Braun (5.9%)			Eric Holcomb (56.5%)	X	
Ohio	Republican trifecta	2011			Rob Portman (20.8% - Retiring) ***	Sherrrod Brown (6.8%)		Mike DeWine (4.3%)			
Oklahoma	Republican trifecta	2011			James Lankford (43.1%)			Kevin Stitt (12.1%)		X	X
Tennessee	Republican trifecta					Marsha Blackburn (10.8%)		Bill Lee (21.1%)			
Wyoming	Republican trifecta	2011				John Barrasso (36.9%)		Mark Gordon (39.7%)		X	
Mississippi	Republican trifecta	2012				Roger Wicker (19%)					
Oregon	Democratic trifecta	2013		2013 Voting Rights Act Diminished by Supreme Court	Rom Wyden (23.2%)			Kate Brown (6.1%)			X
Rhode Island	Democratic trifecta	2013				Sheldon Whitehouse (23.1%)		Daniel McKee (15.3%)			X
Alaska	Divided government	2015	Gov - R, S - R, H split		Lisa Murkowski - 15.2%			Mike Dunleavy (8.6%)			
Arkansas	Republican trifecta	2015			John Boozman (23.6%)			Asa Hutchinson (33.7%)		X	

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Maryland	Divided government	2015	H & S - D, Gov - R		Chris Van Hollan (25.2%)	Benjamin Cardin (34.6%)		Lary Hogan (13.6%)			X
Massachusetts	Divided government	2015	H & S - D, Gov - R			Elizabeth Warren (24.1%)		Charlie Baker (33.8% - retiring)			X
Minnesota	Divided government	2015	Gov & H - D, S - R			Amy Klobuchar (24.1%)		Tim Walz (11.5%)			X
Pennsylvania	Divided government	2015	Gov - D, H & S - R		Pat Toomey 1.5% - Retiring)	Robert Casey (13.1%)		Tom Wolf (16.8%)			
Louisiana	Divided government	2016	Gov - D, H & S - R		John Kennedy (41.2%)					X	X
Iowa	Republican trifecta	2017			Chuck Grassley (24.4%)		Mariannette Miller-Meeks	Kim Reynolds (3.0%)		X	
Missouri	Republican trifecta	2017			Roy Blunt (2.8% - retiring)	Josh Hawley (5.8%)			Mike Parson (57.1%)		
North Carolina	Divided government	2017	Gov - D, H & S - R		Richard Burr (5.7% - retiring) ***		DEMs - G.K. Butterfield and Kathy Manning		Roy Cooper (51.5%)		
Vermont	Divided government	2017	H & S - D, Gov - R		Patrick Lahey (28.3% - retiring) ***	Bernie Sanders (39.9%)		Phil Scott (41.1%)			X
Washington	Democratic trifecta	2017			Patty Murray (17.9%)	Maria Cantwell (16.8%)			Jay Inslee (56.6%)		X
West Virginia	Divided government	2017				Joe Manchin (3.3%)	loses R seat		Jim Justice (64.8%)		
New Jersey	Democratic trifecta	2018				Robert Menezes (11.2%)	D - Malinowski				X
Colorado	Democratic trifecta	2019			Michael Bennet *** (5.7%)			Jard Polis (7.8%)			X
Illinois	Democratic trifecta	2019			Tammy Duckworth (15.1%)		D - Losing seat	J.B. Pritzker (15%)			X
Kansas	Divided government	2019	Gov - D, H & S - R		Jerry Moran (30%)			Laura Kelly (4.5%)		X	
Kentucky	Divided government	2019	Gov - D, H & S - R	Build Dem base to take out McConnell	Rand Paul (14.6%)					X	X
Maine	Democratic trifecta	2019				Angus King (19.1%)	Jared Golden	Janet Mills (7.6%)			X
Michigan	Divided government	2019	Gov - D, H & S - R			Debbie Stabenow (6.5%)		Gretchen Whitmer (9.5%)		X	
Nevada	Democratic trifecta	2019			Catherine Cortez Masto *** (2%)			Steve Sisolak (4.1%)		X	X
New Mexico	Democratic trifecta	2019				Martin Heinrich (23.6%)		Michelle Lujan Grisham (14.2%)			X
New York	Democratic trifecta	2019			Chuck Schumer (43.4%)	Kristen Gillibrand (64%)		Kathy Hochul (22.2%)		X	X

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Wisconsin	Divided government	2019	Gov - D, H & S - R		Ron Johnson *** (3.4%)	Tammy Baldwin (10.8%)		Tony Evers 1.2%		X	
New Hampshire	Republican trifecta	2020			Maggie Hassan *** (0.14% - 1,017 vote margin)		D - Pappas	Chris Sununu (31.7%)		X	X
Virginia	Divided government	2021	S - D, Gov & H - R 2021			Tim Kaine (16%)	D - Luria, Spanberger				
Montana	Republican trifecta	2021				Jon Tester (3.5%)			Greg Gianforte (54.4%)	X	X

**STATE GOVERNMENT: Republicans currently have trifectas controlling the Gov, State House & Senate in 23 States! Republicans Control the State House & Senates in 9 States with a Democratic Governor (32), and the Governors office and one of either the State House or State Senate in 2 States (32).**

17 R, 15 D

449 Bills in 49 States

Since Citizens United Ruling - Republicans took over 15 State Governments, Democrats took over 12 State Governments

(22) 3 Tight Democratc  
 (14) 4-6 TIGHT  
 Democratic races **WV, MT, DE,**  
**GA, CT, HI, OH, RI, MD, MA, MN, PA, VT, WA, NJ, ME, MI, NM, NY, WI, VA**  
 (16) - 3 Tight  
 Democratic States Vulnerable - **KS, WI, ME, MI, NV, MA, CA, OR, RI, MN, PA, CO, IL, , NM, NY**

Targets for 2022: NH, VT, MA, MI, PA, WI, FL, TX, AK, GA,

(19) 6 Tight Republican Races - **PA, WI, NC, FL, NC, OH?, AK?**  
 (9) 3-4 Tight Republican Races - **TX, FL, IN, OH, MO ND, NE, TN, WY, MS**  
 (19) 4 - 6 tight Republican races **TX, GA, FL, OH, ID, SD, NE, SC, AZ, AL, OK, TN, WY, MS, AK, AR, MD, IA, VT, NH**