# WISCONSIN DEMOCRACY PROFILE

#### **Quick Facts About Wisconsin**

Total Eligible Voting Population in 2024

4,465,647

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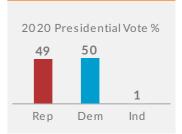
Turnout by % of Eligible Voters in 2020

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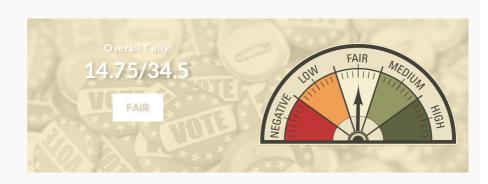
 $\begin{array}{c} \text{Number of House Seats in} \\ 2024 \end{array}$ 

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### Wisconsin's Democracy Tally











### Wisconsin's Democracy and Election Laws and Policies

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#### Who Votes

Voter Registration	Score	
	Law Exists?	Tally
Automatic Voter Registration	*	0/1
Negative Law: Voter Roll Purges Based Solely on Infrequent Voting	NEGATIVE LAW	-1/-1
Online Voter Registration	<b>⊘</b>	1/1
Registration Deadlines	<b>⊘</b>	1/1
Membership in Electronic Registration Information Center (ERIC)	<b>⊘</b>	1/1
Negative Law: Restrictions on Voter Registration Drives	NEGATIVE LAW	-0.5/-1
Voter Preregistration	<b>O</b>	0.25/1
Voter Registration Total	1.75/5	

Representation & Participation	Score	
	Law Exists?	Tally
Direct Citizen Initiative Process	*	0/1
Native American Voting Protections	×	0/1
Partisanship of State Primary Election Systems	0	0.75/1
Voter Registration Rates	0	0.5/1
Voter Turnout Percentage	<b>②</b>	1/1
Voting Rights for Formerly Incarcerated People	0	0.5/1
Representation & Participation Total	2.75/0	6

### How to Vote

Voting in Person	Score	
	Law Exists?	Tally
Curbside Voting for Voters with Disabilities	<b>O</b>	0.5/0.5
Election Day Holidays and Paid Time Off to Vote	×	0/1
Adequate Early Voting Period	•	1/1
Negative Law: Voting Wait Time and Line Length	No Negative Law	0/-1
Provisional Ballot Availability & Counting Procedures	<b>S</b>	1/1
Availability of Vote Centers (county wide polling places)	8	0/1
Voter Identification Requirements for In-Person Voting	NEGATIVE LAW	-1/1
Voting in Person Total	1.5/5.5	

Voting by Mail	Score	
	Law Exists?	Tally
Availability of No-Excuse Absentee Voting	<b>⊘</b>	1/1
All-Mail Voting States	×	0/1
Negative Law: Added Requirements to Return Absentee Ballots	NEGATIVE LAW	-0.25/-0.5
Negative Law: Third Party Ballot Collection Policies	NEGATIVE LAW	-0.5/-0.5
Ballot Drop Box Policies & Availability	<b>O</b>	0.5/0.5
Mail Ballot Receipt Deadlines	0	0.5/0.5
Prepaid Ballot Postage	<b>O</b>	0.5/0.5
Online Absentee Ballot Application Availability	•	1/1
Permanent Absentee Voter List Availability	<b>O</b>	0.5/0.5
Voting by Mail Total	3.25/5	



## **Protecting the Vote**

Election Security ·	Score	
	Law Exists?	Tally
Ballot & Signature Cure Availability (Opportunity for Voter to Correct Errors)	8	0/1
Protections Against Election Disinformation	8	0/1
Ballot Tracking for Mail Voting	<b>S</b>	1/1
Absentee/Mail Ballot Verification	<b>&gt;</b>	1/1
Security of Voting Machines (Hand Marked Paper Ballots)	<b>&gt;</b>	1/1
Post-Election Audits Required	<b>②</b>	1/1
Risk-Limiting Audits	8	0/1
Election Security Total	4/7	

Independence & Integrity	Score	
	Law Exists?	Tally
Negative Law: Election Officials Face Threats of Undue Criminal Penalties/Fines	No Negative Law	0/-1.0
Negative Law: State Legislature Interference in Elections	No Negative Law	0/-1
Efficient Absentee/Mail Ballot Processing	*	0/1
Guns in Polling Places	*	0/0.5
State Level Voting Rights Acts	*	0/1
"Voter Intent" Laws to Standardize Ballot Interpretation	0	0.5/0.5
Independence of State Congressional Redistricting	×	0/1
Nonpartisan Election Observation Policies	<b>⊘</b>	1/1
Negative Law: Bans on Private Funding of Election Offices	NEGATIVE LAW	-1/-1
Laws Protecting Election Officials Against Threats	<b>⊘</b>	1/1
Independence & Integrity Total	1.5/6	

