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The 2020 Election & The Road Ahead



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Election Update

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Today's Agenda



2020 Election

Where things stand to date

- House
- Senate
- Presidency

The projected road ahead

- Opportunities and challenges

Webinar Forum

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Where the Presidential Race Stands

- Counts continue in Alaska, Arizona, Georgia, Nevada, North Carolina, and Pennsylvania
- Formal recount will occur in Wisconsin
- Lawsuits filed in GA, MI, PA, and NV

Official Schedule

December 14

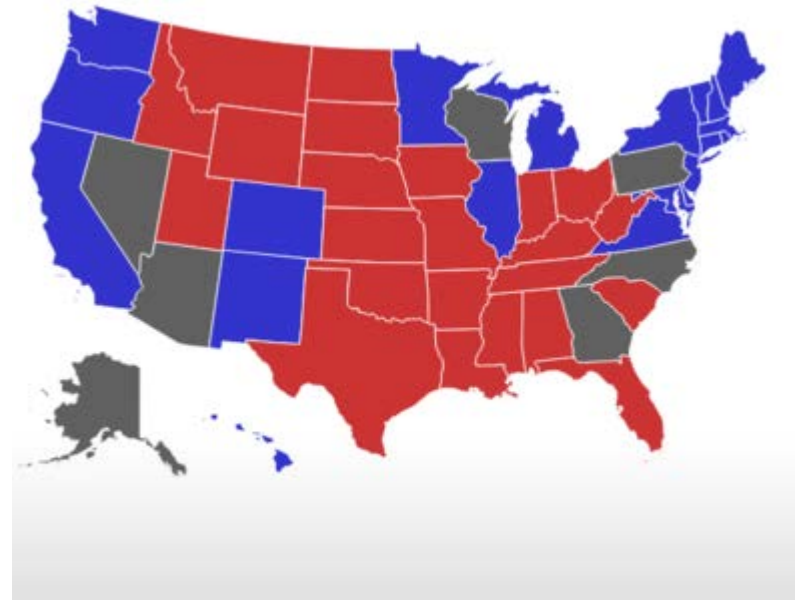
- Day electors convene to formally cast their votes for president and vice president.

December 23

- Day by which electors send certificates of their votes to their state's chief election official, the National Archives and the current President of the U.S. Senate.

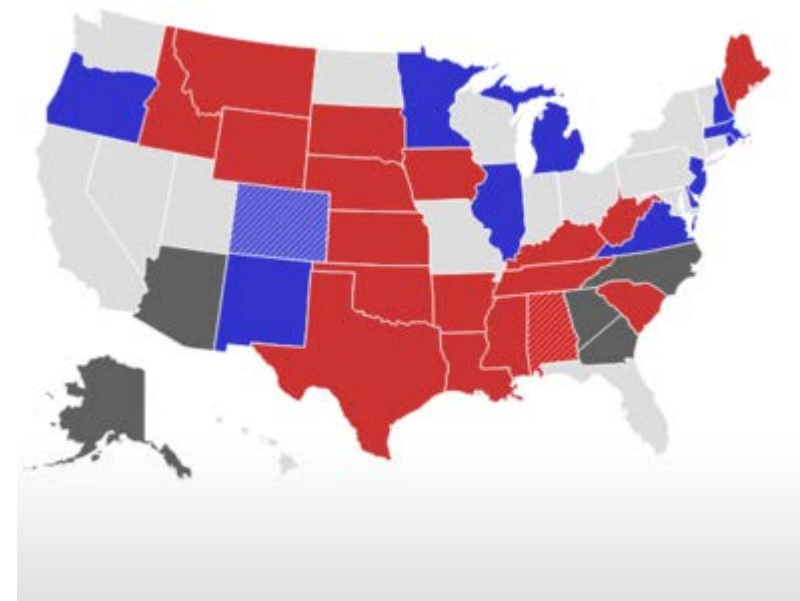
January 6

- Day the new Congress announces the results.



Senate

- Vote count continues in Alaska, Arizona, Georgia, and North Carolina
- It appears that (as of Nov. 5) the following candidates will win election:
 - Sen. Dan Sullivan (R-AK)
 - Mark Kelly (D-AZ)
 - Sen. David Perdue (R-GA)
 - Sen. Thom Tillis (R-NC)
- Sen. Kelly Loeffler (R-GA) will have a runoff election with Raphael Warnock (D) in December.
- Legal challenge to Michigan Senate results

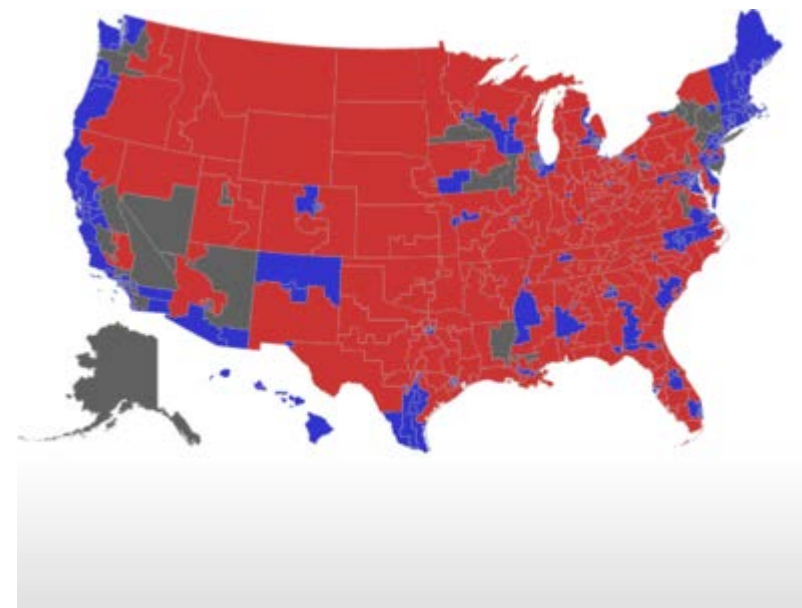


Possible changes – Sen. Perdue could be forced into a runoff

Bottom line – Republicans likely (but not guaranteed) to hold their Senate majority

House of Representatives

- Republicans have already picked up a net of 7 seats
- Another 37 seats have yet to be called – Republicans are leading in 22 of those races
- Republicans are expected to gain 12 seats (give/take 2)
- Bottom line – The Democrats will likely maintain a reduced majority in the House



Most Likely Scenarios and What They Mean

1. Joe Biden wins Presidency; Republicans maintain control of the Senate; Democrats maintain control of the House
2. Joe Biden wins Presidency; 50/50 tie in the Senate; Democrats maintain control of the House
3. President Trump wins re-election; Republicans maintain control of the Senate; Democrats maintain control of the House

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