

# 2022 Political Update

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# Cook Political Report: Congressional race ratings (June 2022)

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- **Likely** : These seats are not considered competitive at this point, but have the potential to become engaged.
- **Lean** : These are considered competitive races, but one party has an advantage.
- **Toss Up** : These are the most competitive; either party has a good chance of winning.

# Axios' Trump endorsement tracker

## The winners and losers of Trump's 2021-22 primary candidate endorsements in competitive races

As of June 15, 2022; Hover over a square for details about that race

- Open seat
- Endorsee is the incumbent

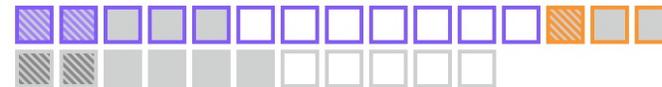
### U.S. Senate

6 won and 0 lost out of 8 endorsements



### U.S. House

12 won and 3 lost out of 26 endorsements



### Statewide office

8 won and 6 lost out of 21 endorsements



Note: This data includes only those races in which Axios research determined at least two candidates have a reasonable chance of winning; Data: Axios research; Chart: Jared Whalen/Axios

# Axios: State actions on abortion rights

## What would immediately happen in each state if Roe v. Wade is overturned

As of May 3, 2022

Codified right to abortion   Abortion would be banned   No immediate ban or protection

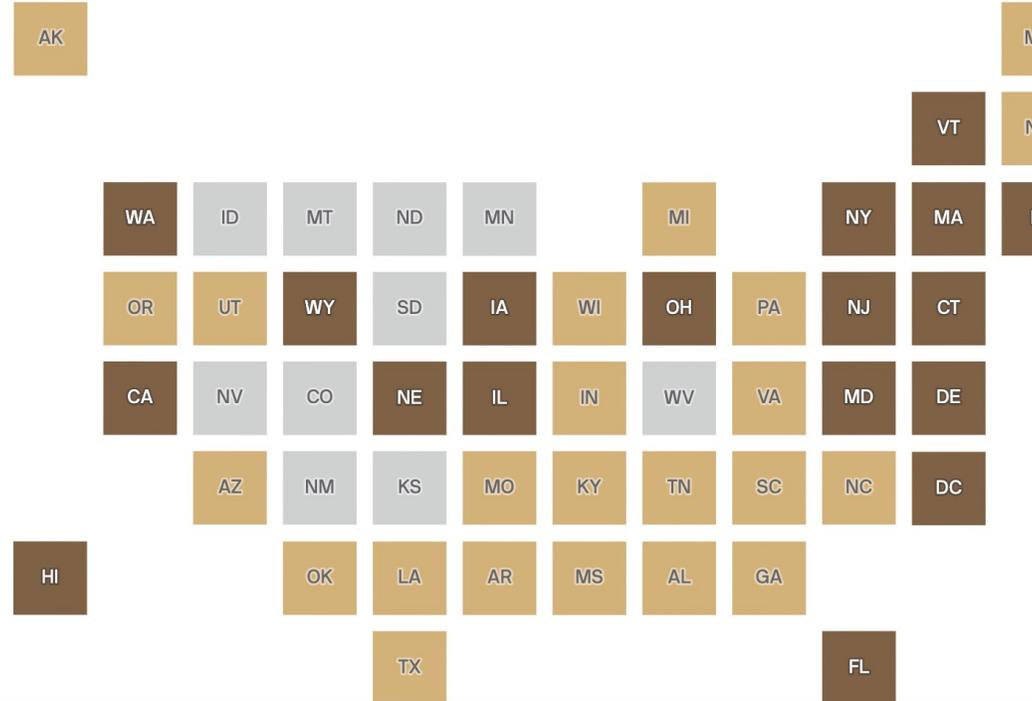


# Axios: Gun ownership age

## Minimum age to purchase handguns, by state

As of June 1, 2022; Hover over a state for more information

Age **18** **21** Not specified



Data: [Giffords Law Center to Prevent Gun Violence](#); Cartogram: Jacque Schrag/Axios

# Axios: Red flag states

## States with **red flag gun laws**

Red flag laws allow police to confiscate firearms from people who may be a danger to themselves or others



Data: [Giffords Law Center](#); Chart: Axios Visuals

# Axios-Harris Poll 100: Most reputable companies by party (Survey: 33,096 Americans, 3/11-4/3/22)



Data: The Harris Poll; Chart: Kavya Beheraj/Axios