

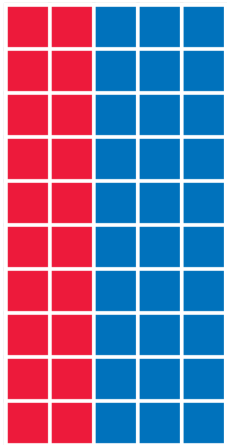
2015 Election Lecture

Issues 1,2,3,8,9 & 64

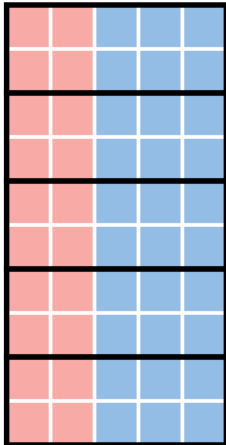
Ohio Issue 1

Redistricting

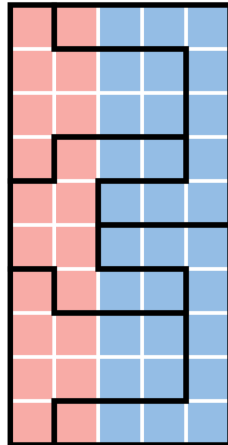
HOW TO STEAL AN ELECTION



50 PRECINCTS
60% BLUE
40% RED



5 DISTRICTS
5 BLUE
0 RED
BLUE WINS



5 DISTRICTS
3 RED
2 BLUE
RED WINS

- ▶ Creates a 7 member Commission
- ▶ 2 of the 7 from the minority party
- ▶ 10 year redistricting plans must be approved by a bipartisan vote of 4 members
- ▶ Otherwise a simple majority vote of 4 could pass a plan but only lasts 4 years.

Ohio Issue 2

No Market Monopolies



- ▶ All ballot initiatives would be determined to propose to create a Monopoly
- ▶ If the initiative does it could only be on the ballot accompanied by a Question to the voter if they would approve a Monopoly with the said initiative.
- ▶ Both questions have to be approved in order for the initiative to pass.

Ohio Issue 3

Marijuana



- ▶ Individuals 21 and up could use, possess, grow, cultivate and share up to 8 ounces with a specific license
- ▶ Individuals 21 and up could....(same as above) up to 1 ounce without a license.
- ▶ Anyone with a certified medical condition could use marijuana
- ▶ 10 Growth Centers with exclusive rights to commercial production
- ▶ State Commission would regulate retail shops to sell to the public

Cuyahoga County Issue 8

Arts & Cultural Levy



- ▶ This is a renewal of a current levy
- ▶ Penny and ½ tax per cigarette
- ▶ About 30 cents per pack
- ▶ Does not increase current taxes
- ▶ Supports the arts, parks, museums

Cuyahoga Issue 9

Strengthen Fiscal Oversight



- ▶ Increase the # of committee members and recalibrate the balance of power
- ▶ Executive and fiscal officer would be nonvoting
- ▶ Voting members will be residents and the 5th council president or their designee

Lakewood Ballot Issue 64

Hospital



- ▶ Requires any ordinance that would cause the Lakewood Hospital to be something less than a “full-time, full service” inpatient facility to be voted on for approval at a future election
- ▶ Unclear as to whether majority of those voting at the election or majority of all those registered to vote would be needed to pass the ordinance