West Virginia Survey Results

Q1 How do you think we should elect the President: should it be the candidate who gets the most votes in all 50 states, or the current electoral college system? If you think it should be the candidate who gets the most votes in all 50 states, press 1. If you think it should be the current electoral college system, press 2.

Candidate who gets the most votes in all 50 states 81%

Current electoral college system 19%

Q2 Do you think it more important that a state's electoral votes be cast for the presidential candidate who receives the most popular votes in that state, or is it more important to guarantee that the candidate who receives the most popular votes in all 50 states becomes president? If you think it is more important to guarantee that the candidate who receives the most popular votes in all 50 states becomes president, press 1. If you think it is more important that a state's electoral votes be cast for the presidential candidate who receives the most popular votes in that state, press 2.

Candidate who receives the most popular votes in all 50 states becomes President 70%

State's electoral votes are always cast for candidate who receives the most votes in that state 30%

Q3 If you are a woman, press 1, if a man, press 2.

Women ....54% *Men* 46%

Q4 If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If other, press 3.

Democrat 50%

Republican 34%

Other 15%

Q5 If you are Hispanic, press 1. If white, press 2. If African American, press 3. If other, press 4.

Hispanic .... 4% *African American* 2%

White ....92% *Other* 2%

Q6 If you are 18 to 29 years old, press 1 now. If you are 30 to 45, press 2. If you are 46 to 65, press 3. If older than 65, press 4.

18-29 ....10% *46-65* 37%

30-45 ....25% *Older than 65* 28%

Q7

1st 38%

2nd 33%

3rd 29%

		Gender	
	Base	Women	Men
Change System			
Candidate who gets the most votes in all 50 states	**81%**	87%	73%
Current electoral college system	**19%**	13%	27%

		Gender	
	Base	Women	Men
Preferred System			
Candidate who receives the most popular votes in all 50 states becomes President	**70%**	74%	65%
State's electoral votes are always cast for candidate who receives the most votes in that state	**30%**	26%	35%

		Party		
	Base	Democrat	Republican	Other
Change System				
Candidate who gets the most votes in all 50 states	**81%**	87%	75%	73%
Current electoral college system	**19%**	13%	25%	27%

		Party		
	Base	Democrat	Republican	Other
Preferred System				
Candidate who receives the most popular votes in all 50 states becomes President	**70%**	75%	66%	61%
State's electoral votes are always cast for candidate who receives the most votes in that state	**30%**	25%	34%	39%

		Race			
	Base	**Hispanic**	**White**	**African American**	**Other**
Change System					
Candidate who gets the most votes in all 50 states	**81%**	67%	81%	92%	89%
Current electoral college system	**19%**	33%	19%	8%	11%

		Race			
	Base	**Hispanic**	**White**	**African American**	**Other**
Preferred System					
Candidate who receives the most popular votes in all 50 states becomes President	**70%**	57%	70%	85%	72%
State's electoral votes are always cast for candidate who receives the most votes in that state	**30%**	43%	30%	15%	28%

		Age			
	Base	**18-29**	**30-45**	**46-65**	**Older than 65**
Change System					
Candidate who gets the most votes in all 50 states	**81%**	83%	80%	83%	79%
Current electoral college system	**19%**	17%	20%	17%	21%

		Age			
	Base	**18-29**	**30-45**	**46-65**	**Older than 65**
Preferred System					
Candidate who receives the most popular votes in all 50 states becomes President	**70%**	67%	66%	70%	73%
State's electoral votes are always cast for candidate who receives the most votes in that state	**30%**	33%	34%	30%	27%

		Congressional District		
	Base	1st	2nd	3rd
Change System				
Candidate who gets the most votes in all 50 states	**81%**	81%	77%	85%
Current electoral college system	**19%**	19%	23%	15%

		Congressional District		
	Base	1st	2nd	3rd
Preferred System				
Candidate who receives the most popular votes in all 50 states becomes President	**70%**	71%	67%	71%
State's electoral votes are always cast for candidate who receives the most votes in that state	**30%**	29%	33%	29%