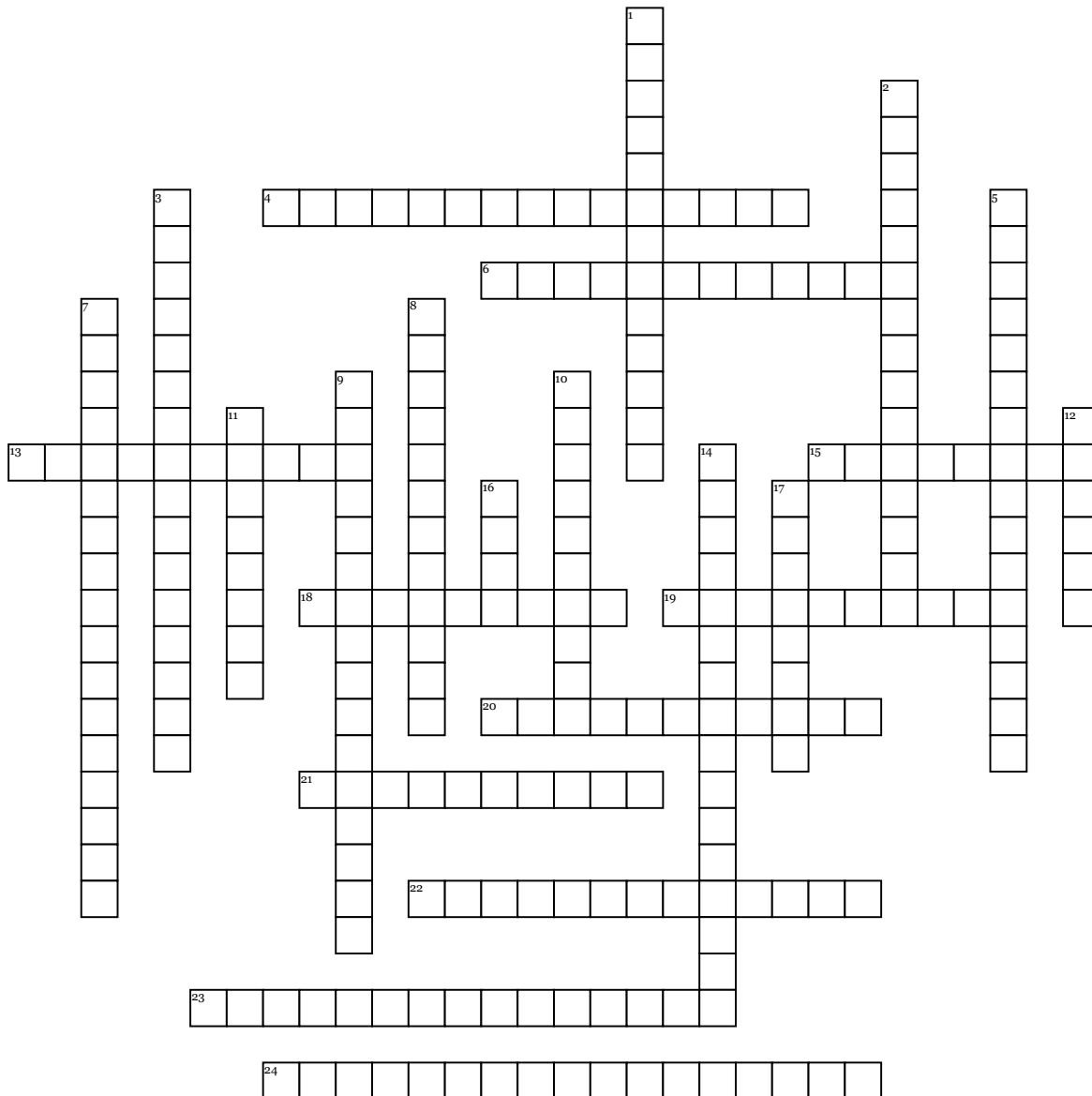


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# Government Review



## Across

- 4.** He wrote the "Star Spangled Banner"  
**6.** A statement of an individual citizen's legal privileges.  
**13.** Past decisions involving similar court cases.  
**15.** The power to veto part of a bill without rejecting an entire bill.  
**18.** The highest number of votes won, but less than a majority.  
**19.** An election in which voters approve or reject a proposed amendment.  
**20.** A kind of government system that the central government is subordinate to the states.

- 21.** Document that placed the king under the law for the first time in history.  
**22.** Refers to monies that the national government gives to state or local governments for some designated purpose.  
**23.** Powers given explicitly to Congress by the Constitution  
**24.** The first foundational civil ordinance.

## Down

- 1.** The proportional distribution of congressional seats among the states.  
**2.** Responsible for the final draft of the Declaration of Independence.  
**3.** Form of government where the ruler exercises unlimited authority and usually inherits his power.

- 5.** Document that was the forerunner to the written constitution in America.  
**7.** Generally a court of last resort within a state.  
**8.** A crime so serious that it is punishable by death.  
**9.** The secret ballot  
**10.** Refers to when a federal law supersedes or overrides a similar state law.  
**11.** The only state to have a unicameral legislature.  
**12.** Largest unit of local government in most states.  
**14.** Wrote the final draft of the U.S. Constitution.  
**16.** A proposed new law.  
**17.** Single most important source of revenue for state governments.