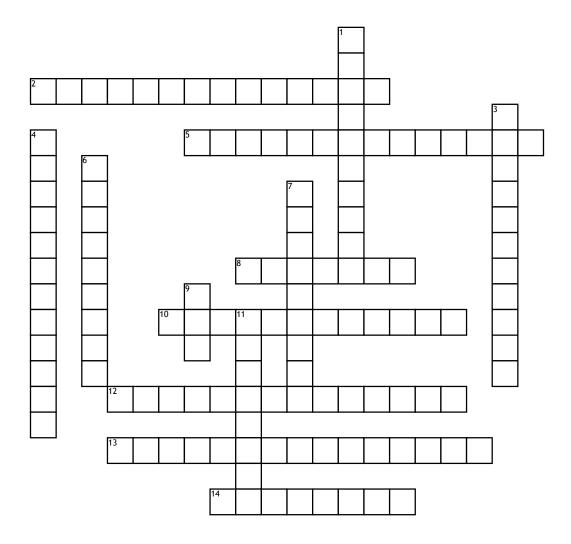
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Rock the Vote Crossword Puzzle



Across

- 2. a ballot used used for an absentee vote
- **5.** the dividing of a state, county, etc., into election districts so as to give one political party a majority in many districts while concentrating the voting strength of the other party into as few districts as possible
- 8. the process by which voters, either the general public (open primary) or members of a political party (closed primary), can indicate their preference for a candidate in an upcoming general election or by-election, thus narrowing the field of candidates
- **10.** a body of constituents; the voters or residents in a district represented by an elective officer
- 12. The two-round system is a voting method used to elect a single winner, where the voter casts a single vote for their chosen candidate
- **13.** a regularly scheduled local, state, or national election in which voters elect officeholders
- **14.** a book in which records of acts, events, names, etc., are kept

Down

- 1. information, ideas, or rumors deliberately spread widely to help or harm a person, group, movement, institution, nation, etc.
- **3.** not influenced or controlled by others in matters of opinion, conduct, etc.; thinking or acting for oneself
- 4. an act or ceremony of inaugurating
- **6.** holding an indicated position, role, office, etc., currently
- **7.** of or relating to a town or city or its local government
- **9.** Grand Old Party (an epithet of the Republican Party since 1880)
- 11. the right to vote

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Constituency Independent Propaganda GOP
Suffrage Inauguration Incumbent Register
General election Gerrymandering Primary Municipal
Runoff election Absentee ballot