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| **Across**  **2.** A strong party organization that can control political appointments and deliver votes  **7.** A group of people with broad ideas, who share the same interest  **9.** The most votes among all those running for political office  **12.** A number that is more than 50% of the total  **13.** the right to vote  **14.** A way for citizens to vote on state or local laws  **15.** Representatives from the 50 state party organizations who run a political party  **18.** A group of people named by each state legislature to elect the president or vice president  **19.** A matter of debate or dispute  **20.** The percentage of eligible voters who actually vote | **Down**  **1.** The location where voting is carried out  **3.** To record or enroll  **4.** A special election, in which citizens can vote to remove a public official from office  **5.** A lack if interest  **6.** The list of candidates for which you cast your vote for  **8.** A process that allow voters to propose new laws or amendments to the state constitution  **10.** Basic belief  **11.** A geographic area that contains a specific number of voters  **16.** A meeting of political party members to conduct party business  **17.** A series of statements expressing the party's principles, beliefs, and positions on election issues |