

2016 State Election Analysis: Hawaii

Presidential, Senate and House election results


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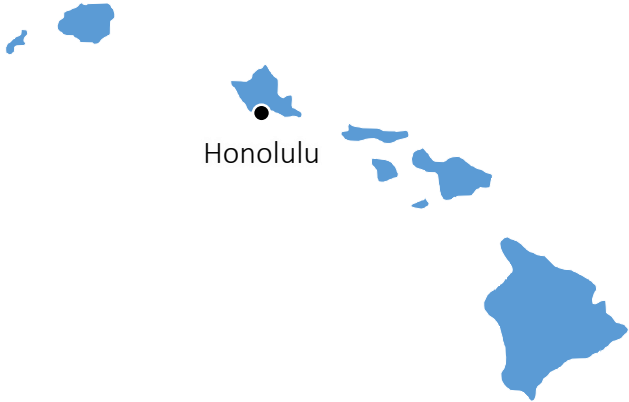
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Clinton beats Trump in Hawaii by wide 30-point margin

Hawaii presidential election results, by county

Legend	Candidate	Votes	Pct.
	Hillary Clinton/Tim Kaine	266,891	62.2%
	Donald Trump/Mike Pence	128,847	30.0%
	Gary Johnson/Bill Weld	15,954	3.7%
	Jill Stein/Ajamu Baraka	12,737	3.0%



Analysis

- Clinton ran behind Obama’s 2012 performance by about 8 points.
- Despite not reaching Obama’s level of support, Clinton joins Obama as one of the only two Democratic presidential candidates to capture more than 60% of the vote in Hawaii.

Sources: National Journal Research, 2016; Associated Press, 2016.

No counties have flipped in Hawaii since 1984

Comparing 2012 and 2016 presidential election results



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Hawaii Senate Race Results

Winner



Brian Schatz (D)
Margin of victory: 52%

2016 Candidates



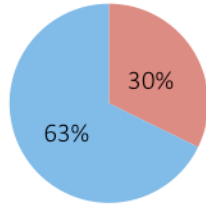
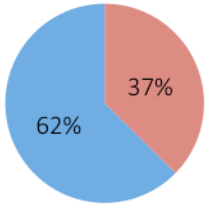
Brian Schatz (D)
Senator from Hawaii



John Carroll (R)
Former Air Force and
Hawaiian Airlines Pilot

State Overview

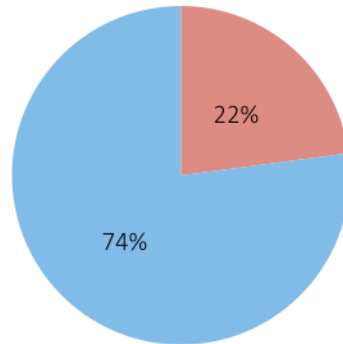
'10 Senate Race Results '16 Presidential Race Results



Results

(as of 11/9/16)

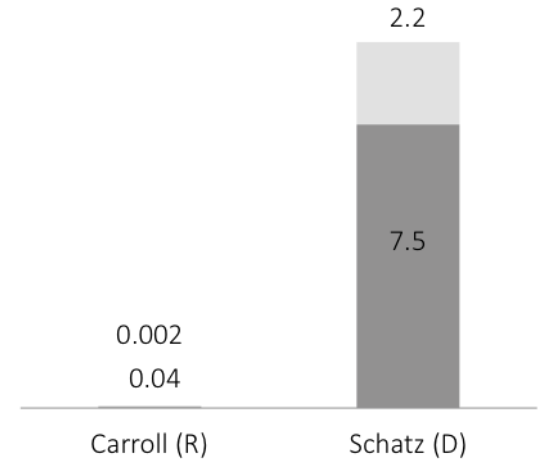
■ Carroll (R) ■ Schatz (D)



Fundraising

(in millions, as of 10/19/16)

■ Total Spending ■ Cash on Hand



Dates to Watch



Sworn in: Jan. 3, 2017

Sources: National Journal research, 2016; Open Secrets, 2016.

Democrats hold both seats, Hanabusa wins second, non-consecutive term

Results of Hawaii congressional races

Italics denote incumbent

District	Winner	% Vote	Challenger	% Vote
HI-01	Hanabusa (D)	72%	Ostrov (R)	23%
HI-02	<i>Gabbard (D)</i>	81%	Kaaihue (R)	19%

Sources: National Journal Research, 2016; Associated Press, 2016.

Appropriations ballot measure passes, Measure increasing penalties

Results of Hawaii state ballot measures

Title and Topic	Full Text	% For*	% Against*
Amendment 1: Increase of value requirement for civil cases	“Shall the threshold value in controversy requirement for jury trials in civil cases at common law be increased from \$5,000 to \$10,000?”	42.4%	46.0%
Amendment 2: Appropriations	“Shall the legislature be provided, when the state general fund balance at the close of each of two successive fiscal years exceeds five per cent of the general fund revenues for each of the two fiscal years, the additional alternatives of appropriating general funds for the pre-payment of either or both of the following: (1) Debt service for general obligation bonds issued by the State; or (2) Pension or other post-employment benefit liabilities accrued for state employees?”	50.1%	35.9%

**The percentages do not add up to 100 percent because of ballots that were cast on which an amendment was left blank. The percentages displayed are the percentages of all ballots cast in the election because the “yes” votes must equal a majority of all votes cast in order for the measure to be enacted.*

Source: Ballotpedia, 2016; Associated Press, 2016.