

# Statistical Cross-Tabulations - February Omnibus Survey - NPV Question Only

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Table 1: Thinking about the way in which the president is elected in this country, which would you prefer? (NPV.1) [See survey instrument for full text of answer options]

	<b>Total</b>	<b>District</b>		<b>Likelihood to Vote</b>		<b>Gender</b>		<b>Education</b>	
		<i>CD1</i>	<i>CD2</i>	<i>Certain</i>	<i>Likely</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>&lt;4-year degree</i>	<i>4-year degree+</i>
<b>Total</b>	<b>791</b>	392	399	531	260	384	393	499	285
	<b>100%</b>	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>Change the current system</b>	<b>572</b>	292	281	362	210	309	251	364	202
	<b>72%</b>	74%	70%	68%	81%	80%	64%	73%	71%
<b>Keep the current system</b>	<b>219</b>	101	118	169	50	75	143	135	83
	<b>28%</b>	26%	30%	32%	19%	20%	36%	27%	29%

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Table 2: Thinking about the way in which the president is elected in this country, which would you prefer? (NPV.1) [See survey instrument for full text of answer options]

	<b>Total</b>	<b>Party Registration</b>			<b>Age</b>			<b>Income</b>		
		<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>18-34</i>	<i>35-54</i>	<i>55+</i>	<i>&lt;\$50k</i>	<i>\$50k-\$100k</i>	<i>100k+</i>
<b>Total</b>	<b>791</b>	233	199	173	192	225	362	319	227	196
	<b>100%</b>	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
<b>Change the current system</b>	<b>572</b>	205	101	130	149	175	239	246	165	127
	<b>72%</b>	88%	51%	75%	77%	78%	66%	77%	73%	65%
<b>Keep the current system</b>	<b>219</b>	28	98	43	44	50	123	73	61	69
	<b>28%</b>	12%	49%	25%	23%	22%	34%	23%	27%	35%

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Under the current system of electing the President, presidential candidates campaign only in about 7 closely divided "battleground" states --- leaving Maine and 42 other states on the sidelines. Because the federal executive branch's actions directly impact the daily lives of every Mainer, to leave presidential elections to be decided by the battleground states, means that the needs of Mainers go largely unnoticed by the candidates and then by the winner who most likely begins campaigning for re-election almost immediately.

The Pan Atlantic research (2024) shows that a majority of respondents across all demographics (political affiliation, gender, income, education level) in both CD 1 and CD 2 of Maine support the changing the current system.

I urge my fellow Mainers, especially those of you who have been elected by popular vote, to do what you've been charged to do -represent the will of the people. Maine people want to elect the President through popular vote. Please be agents of change and do the right thing.

Thank you,  
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Parent, small business owner, taxpayer, voter, good neighbor