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Presidential Election Crossword

Complete the activity.

ACROSS
2. The younger of two major political parties in the United States
5. A race between candidates for elective office
7. A preliminary election where delegates or nominees are chosen
8. A vote to select the winner of a position or political office
10. Meet to select a candidate or promote a policy
12. Legal age to vote
14. The older of two major political parties in the United States
15. The body of electors who formally elect the United States president and vice president

DOWN
1. A ballot that is cast while absent (usually mailed in prior to election day)
3. A document stating the aims and principles of a political party
4. Enroll to vote
6. A document listing the alternatives that is used in voting
7. The office of the United States head of state
9. A politician who is running for public office
11. Cast a vote by inserting a name that does not appear on the ballot
13. Express one’s preference for a candidate or for a measure or resolution

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