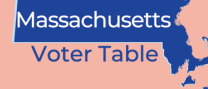


2026 MA Ballot Question Voter Guide



Ballot Question:	The Basics:	Why you should vote YES or NO:
Question 1: Public Information	Makes records held by the state legislature and governor's office subject to public records laws, with specific exceptions.	Support: More public access to government records. Oppose: Keep these offices exempt from public records laws.
Question 2*: Labor	Grants union and collective bargaining rights to Committee for Public Counsel Services (CPCS) public defenders.	MVT supports a YES vote to give CPCS workers collective bargaining rights for fair pay, benefits, and working conditions.
Question 3: Primary Elections	Replaces traditional party primaries with a single all-party primary system.	Support: Creates one primary where voters can choose from all candidates. Oppose: Keeps the current system of separate party primaries.
Question 4*: Voter Registration	Allows eligible voters to register to vote on Election Day.	MVT supports a YES vote to allow eligible voters to register or update their registration on Election Day.
Question 5*: Revenue and Spending Limits	Modifies state revenue rules to trigger more frequent tax refunds or rebates.	MVT supports a NO vote to protect funding for schools, housing, transportation, health care, and other essential services. Question 5 would cap state revenue growth and require excess revenue to be refunded.
Question 6: Nature for All Fund	Establishes the "Nature for All Fund," earmarking specific tax revenues for conservation and recreation.	Support: Create a dedicated fund for nature conservation. Oppose: Do not create the new fund.
Question 7: Land Use	Overrides certain local municipal zoning laws to require allowance of single-family homes on qualified 5,000-square-foot lots with public utilities.	Support: Require qualifying lots to allow single-family homes. Oppose: Keep current local zoning rules.
Question 8: Recreational Marijuana	Seeks to repeal laws allowing the retail sale and commercial cultivation of recreational marijuana.	Support: End recreational marijuana sales and home cultivation. Oppose: Keep recreational marijuana sales and home cultivation legal.
Question 9*: Firearms	A veto referendum asking voters whether to uphold or repeal House Bill 4885, a major firearms regulation law passed in 2024.	MVT supports a YES vote to keep Massachusetts' firearms law in place, strengthening regulations on ghost guns, assault-style weapons, licensing, and extreme risk protection orders.