

# FOCUS

## Weekly Poll

State Representative Harry Brooks and State Senator Frank Nicely have introduced bills in the State legislature that would take away your right to vote on US senate candidates in primary elections. Instead, under the Brooks/Nicely bills, US senate candidates would be selected by the republican and democratic party caucuses of the state legislature.

In your opinion, should US senate candidates continue to be nominated by election of the people in primary elections, or selected by political party caucuses of the state legislature?



**Elected 97.40%**  
**Selected 2.60%**

By Age	Elected	Selected	Total
18-29	100.00%	[None]	2
30-49	95.00%	5.00%	40
50-65	98.33%	1.67%	120
65+	97.28%	2.72%	184
Total	97.40% (337)	2.60% (9)	346

### By District

1	95.65%	4.35%	23
2	97.87%	2.13%	47
3	100.00%	[None]	34
4	93.75%	6.25%	48
5	100.00%	[None]	30
6	97.37%	2.63%	38
7	94.87%	5.13%	39
8	97.37%	2.63%	38
9	100.00%	[None]	49
Total	97.40% (337)	2.60% (9)	346

### By Gender

Unknown	100.00%	[None]	15
Female	96.89%	3.11%	161
Male	97.65%	2.35%	170
Total	97.40% (337)	2.60% (9)	346

Survey conducted March 28, 2013.