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## VOTE EQUALITY '26

### THE LGBTQ+ ELECTORATE AHEAD OF THE 2026 MIDTERMS: MOTIVATED, ENGAGED, AND FOCUSED ON DEMOCRACY

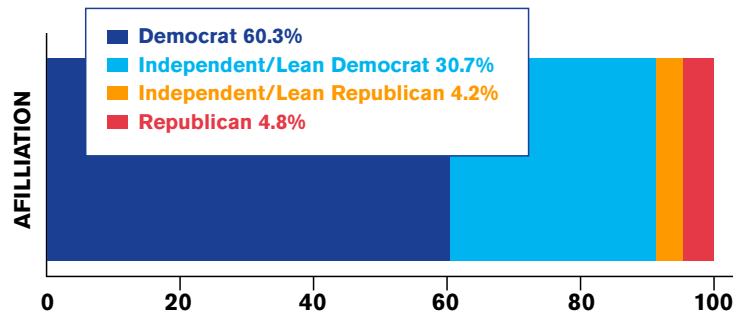
In March 2026, Community Insights, a program of the HRC Foundation conducted a survey of registered voters, including a large sample of LGBTQ+ voters — who could make up as much as 10% of November's electorate, all while facing an onslaught of anti-LGBTQ+ hate. Our survey found a voting bloc highly engaged in the democratic process and enthusiastic about voting in November.



**92%** of LGBTQ+ voters indicated that they will **definitely vote** in the 2026 midterm elections compared to 68% of non-LGBTQ+ voters

**91%** of LGBTQ+ voters indicated that they were either a Democrat or leaned Democratic; 9% indicated they were Republican or leaned Republican.

#### THAT BREAKS DOWN AS:



### IN JUST THE PAST 12 MONTHS:

**59%** of LGBTQ+ voters contacted an elected official, compared to 31% of non-LGBTQ+ voters

**53%** donated money to a political campaign or cause vs. 26% of non-LGBTQ+ voters

**67%** have signed a petition vs. 46% of non-LGBTQ+ voters

For the upcoming 2026 midterm elections, the following issues were the most important to LGBTQ+ voters (in ranked order):

1. GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY AND CORRUPTION
2. THE FUNCTIONING OF DEMOCRACY AND ELECTIONS
3. ECONOMIC STABILITY, INFLATION AND THE COST OF LIVING
4. LGBTQ+ RIGHTS AND PROTECTIONS
5. HEALTH CARE

But with the White House making debunked claims of voter fraud and state legislators trying to restrict access to the ballot box, **87% of LGBTQ+ voters** are concerned that problems or confusion with voter ID requirements will affect people's ability to vote in person.

