

Name: _____ Date: _____

Election Terms and Lingo

Q V G E R R Y M A N D E R F E E N I M O N I Y W
M P K H U A W D L M A C H I N E P O L I T I C S
N O I T I D E P X E G N I H S I F V D A R N O T
Q E S V J J I E M S I Y H T R A C C M U W N A B
Y R A N O I T C A E R O K J I D E O L O G Y T P
A E T I U C R I C N E K C I H C R E B B U R T A
Y L X U Y T R A P L A C I T I L O P A A S Z A D
T I P L U P Y L L U B B V E S R O H K R A D I P
X R E D T A P E V A K C O N V E N T I O N O L O
I N S I D E T H E B E L T W A Y Y V J O U J S X
B I P A R T I S A N F R O N T B U R N E R H R A
F O K C T P G T N O J F E N C E M E N D I N G S
S U C U A C T Q F O C T R A E H G N I D E E L B
T R C A M P A I G N I P O R K B A R R E L F E F
O P L A T F O R M A H T D C R A V N R M U P T I
O K C H E C K S A N D B A L A N C E S A B R A L
R J B I G G O V E R N M E N T U K K P G G I G I
S G R E K A R K C U M U F M I Z C E O O V M E B
S Z X V V L L A M E D U C K B M A C N G Z A L U
A K C J Y L T I D N U P O I P L O J Y U Y R E S
R I S B X O M L G N I W T F E L X N A E W Y D T
G P B T V P U H K W T N E B M U C N I V K F S E
H O A Q G A V T G G O P X A P O O T O H P B N R
L F M O Y H T M E D I C I U S L A C I T I L O P

Rubber Chicken Circuit
Machine Politics
Front Burner
Grass Roots
Convention
Incumbent
Photo-Op
Nominee
GOP

Checks and Balances
Political Party
Bully Pulpit
Gerrymander
Bipartisan
Demagogue
Ideology
Pundit

Inside the Beltway
Bleeding Heart
Reactionary
Nomination
Muckraker
Coattails
Delegate
Caucus

Fishing Expedition
Big Government
Pork Barrel
Filibuster
Left-wing
Red Tape
Campaign
Lobby

Political Suicide
Fence Mending
McCarthyism
Dark Horse
Lame Duck
Platform
Primary
Poll