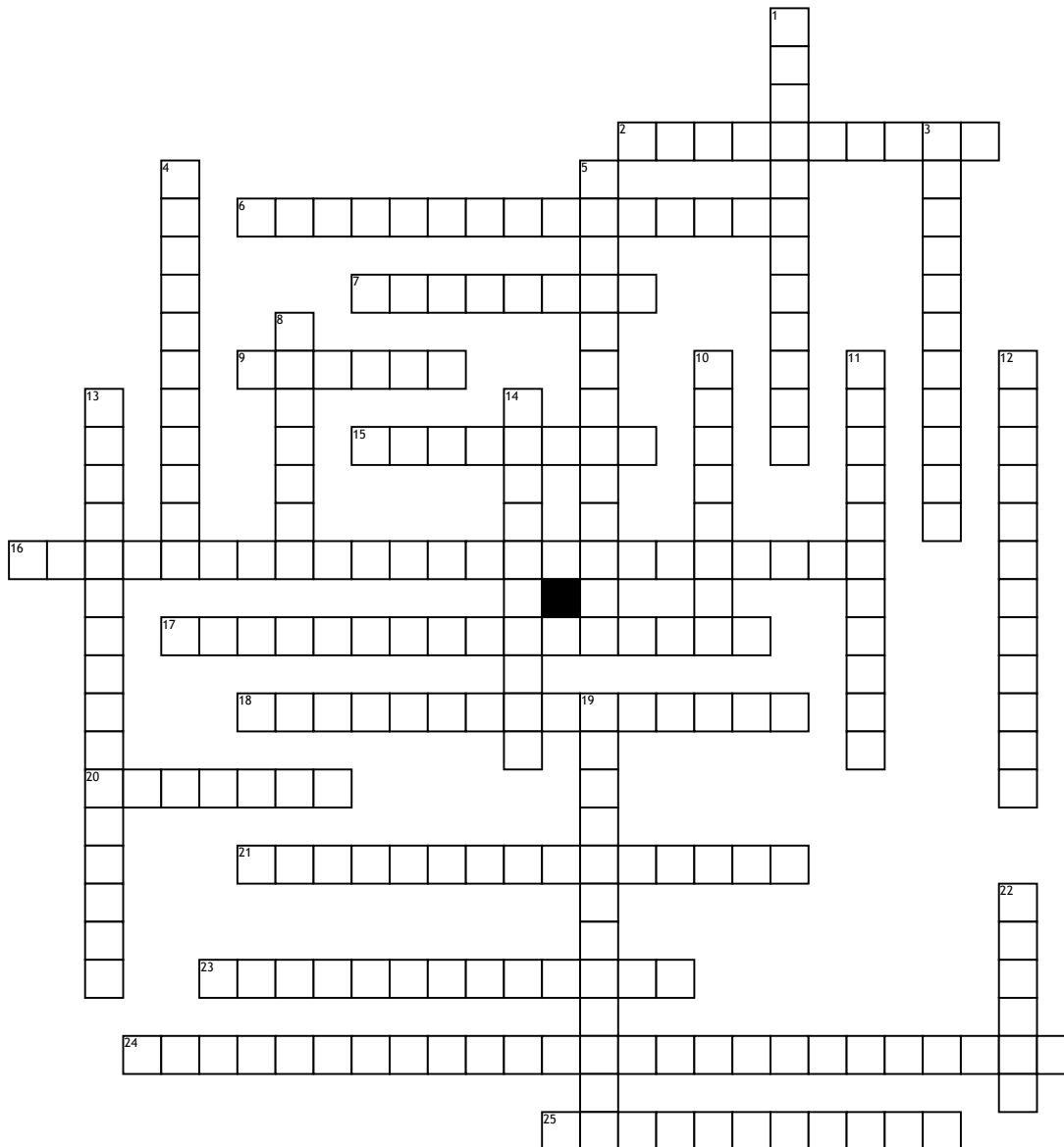


Politics crossword



Across

2. the naming of those who will seek office
 6. a major political party on the right side of the political spectrum, known as the GOP
 7. a party that breaks away from a main party taking away from that party's vote in the election
 9. a group of like minded individuals who meet to select the candidates they will support in an upcoming election
 15. characterized by political views that are not extreme. In the middle of the political spectrum
 16. the political arms of special interest groups that have a major stake in public policy
 17. an ideological party the emphasizes individualism and calls for doing away with most government's present functions and programs
 18. a major political party on the left side of the spectrum, represented by a donkey

20. people open to new behavior or opinions and willing to discard traditional values for progressive one

21. regularly scheduled elections at which the voters make the final selection of office holders
 23. a party nominating election in which only declared party members can vote
 24. independent agency in the executive branch, set up by Congress, that administers all federal law dealing with campaign finance
 25. wanting a lot of traditional change as soon as possible and by any means necessary

Down

1. amendment that eliminated the poll tax on voting
 3. gives voters the chance to keep their party affiliations to themselves or chose once they're given the primary ballot
 4. the practice of voting for the candidates of one or more party in an election

5. a group of persons having a common identifying interest that often provides a basis for action

8. wanting a lot of new change as soon as possible and by any means necessary
 10. a person who takes part in an organized attempt to influence legislators
 11. minor party that take enough votes away from one of the two major parties causing them to lose the election
 12. a procedure of voter identification intended to prevent fraudulent voting
 13. a group of individuals who share a set of ideas about politics and economy
 14. a splinter party that broke away from the democratic party because they had stronger standpoints on environmental issues
 19. a person who is averse to change and holds to traditional values and attitudes, typically in relation to politics
 22. device by which a voter registers a choice in an election