

# Elections and Campaign Finance Policy: A CRS Podcast Series

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Podcast episodes are listed in order of release. This Insight will be updated with links to new episodes as they become available.

## Federal Standards and Guidelines for Voting Systems

- Podcast episode, by Karen L. Shanton
- [Federal Standards and Guidelines for Voting Systems: Overview and Potential Considerations for Congress](#), by Karen L. Shanton
- [Federal Guidelines, Testing, and Certification for Electronic Poll Books \(E-Poll Books\)](#), by Karen L. Shanton
- [Election Systems: Recent Action by the Election Assistance Commission](#), by Karen L. Shanton
- [Election Administration: An Introduction to Risk-Limiting Audits](#), by Karen L. Shanton

## Federal Role in Elections Funding

- Podcast episode, by Karen L. Shanton
- [Election Administration: Federal Grant Funding for States and Localities](#), by Karen L. Shanton
- [Elections Grant Programs: Authorizations and Appropriations](#), by Karen L. Shanton
- [Elections Grant Programs: Policy Options](#), by Karen L. Shanton

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## Federal Role in Campaign Finance

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- [The State of Campaign Finance Policy: Recent Developments and Issues for Congress](#), by R. Sam Garrett
- [Campaign Finance Law: An Analysis of Key Issues, Recent Developments, and Constitutional Considerations for Legislation](#), by L. Paige Whitaker
- [Campaign Finance: Key Policy and Constitutional Issues](#), by R. Sam Garrett and L. Paige Whitaker
- [Federal Election Commission: Membership and Policymaking Quorum, In Brief](#), by R. Sam Garrett

## Federal Role in Apportionment and Congressional Redistricting

- Podcast episode, by Sarah J. Eckman and Karen L. Shanton
- [Apportionment and Redistricting Process for the U.S. House of Representatives](#), by Sarah J. Eckman
- [Congressional Redistricting 2021: Legal Framework](#), by L. Paige Whitaker
- [2020 Census Delays, Apportionment, and Congressional Redistricting](#), by Sarah J. Eckman
- [The Federal Role in Apportionment and Congressional Redistricting: CRS Resources](#), by Sarah J. Eckman and Karen L. Shanton

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