CIVIC CULTURE

volunteer_hrs_pc	Volunteer hours per resident[3]
volunteer_percent	Volunteer rate. From Corporation for National & Community Service[4]

COURTS

crime_rate_violent	Violent crime rate, per 100,000 population (2014). From Uniform Crime Statistics[5]
crime_rate_murder	Murder and non-negligent manslaughter rate, per 100,000 population (2014). From Uniform Crime Statistics
crime_rate_property	Property crime rates, per 100,000 population (includes burglary, larceny, motor vehicle theft, 2014). From Uniform Crime Statistics
crime_rate_burglary	Burglary rate, per 100,000 population (2014) (burglary is entry into a home/building illegally with intent to commit a crime). From Uniform Crime Statistics
deathpen_executions	Executions since 1976 (as of Aug 2017). From Death Penalty Information Center[6]
deathpen_exonerations	Death penalty exonerations since 1973. From Death Penalty Information Center[7]
corrections_total_rate	Population under correctional supervision per 100,000 state residents (incarcerated or community supervision) (in 2015). U.S. Bureau of Justice Statistics[8]
corrections_incarc_rate	Population incarcerated per 100,000 state residents (in 2015). U.S. Bureau of Justice Statistics
legalclimate	State legal climate rating 2015. From Institute for Legal Reform[9]
legalclimate_rank	State legal climate ranking 2015. From Institute for Legal Reform
judge_selection	Method used to select appellate court judges. From BallotPedia[10]

DEMOGRAPHICS[11]

blkpct04	Percent black (2004)
blkpct08	Percent black (2008)
blkpct10	Percent black (2010)
density	Population density (2010)
hispanic04	Percent Hispanic (2004)
hispanic08	Percent Hispanic (2008)
hispanic10	Percent Hispanic (2010)
over64	Percent population over age 64
pop_18_24	Percent population aged 18–24 (2004)
pop_18_24_10	Percent population aged 18–24 (2010)
pop2000	State population, 2000

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[3]https://www.nationalservice.gov/vcla/volunteer-hours-resident-states
[4]https://www.nationalservice.gov/vcla/state-rankings-volunteer-rate
[5]https://www.ucrdatatool.gov/Search/Crime/State/RunCrimeOneYearofData.cfm
[6]https://deathpenaltyinfo.org/number-executions-state-and-region-1976
[7]https://deathpenaltyinfo.org/documents/FactSheet.pdf
[8]https://www.bjs.gov/content/pub/pdf/cpus15.pdf
[9]http://www.instituteforlegalreform.com/states
[10]https://ballotpedia.org/Judicial_selection_in_the_states
[11]All state-level demographic data from the U.S. Census Bureau.