# 2024 AAPI Voter Demographics | UTAH

96,979

**ELIGIBLE AAPI VOTERS\*** 

28.8%

AAPI VOTER ELIGIBILITY GROWTH (2012-2022)

4.24%

AAPI SHARE OF ELECTORATE IN UTAH

AAPI POPULATION SIZE\*
183,861

50.4% POPULATION GROWTH SINCE 2012

4.61% GROWTH IN FIRST TIME VOTERS SINCE 2022

29,852 FOREIGN BORN NONCITIZENS

31,153

FOREIGN BORN CITIZENS

> 110,315 NATIVE BORN CITIZENS

#### **COUNTIES WITH HIGHEST AAPI POPULATIONS**

	AAPI Share of County Pop	Size of AAPI Population	AAPI Eligible Voter Share of County	Number of AAPI Eligible Voters
Salt Lake County	5%	59,154	7.5%	36,370
Utah County	1.9%	12,717	3%	8,172
Davis County	2.3%	8,213	3.4%	5,512

### LARGEST ASIAN AMERICAN ETHNIC GROUPS IN UTAH

Chinese, except Taiwanese (25,420)  Filipino (20,808)	<b>Japanese</b> (18,767)	<b>Asian Indian</b> (14,718)	Vietnamese (12,332)	Korean (11,469)
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### LARGEST NHPI ETHNIC GROUPS IN UTAH

<b>Samoan</b>	<b>Tongan</b>	Native Hawaiian
(18,322)	(18,122)	(11,330)



<sup>\*</sup> Includes multi-racial population

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# AAPI CITIZEN VOTING AGE POPULATION (CVAP)

25.9%

Voters aged 50+

**35.2%** 

Voters aged 18-29

### **VOTER ENGAGEMENT** (National Level Data)

- Voter contact falls short for AAPIs. In the 2022 Asian American Voter Survey (AAVS), 56% of Asian Americans had no or uncertain contact from the Democrats. 66% reported the same from the Republicans.
- Of contacted Asian American registered voters, 44% reported outreach from Democrats, 35% from Republicans, 39% from community groups. Comparatively, in 2016, 48% reported Democratic outreach, 16% from the Republicans.
- 37% of registered Asian Americans did not identify with either party, signaling need and opportunity for voter education via outreach.

#### IMPORTANCE OF LANGUAGE ACCESS

Per the 2022 AAVS, of Asian Americans speaking non-English languages at home, 11% reported language barriers to voting and 42% stated voting assistance in their language would be utilized. (National level data).

**45.7%** of Asian American adults in UT **speak a language other** than English at home.

**18.5%** of Asian American adults in UT are **Limited English Proficient** (speak English less than "Very well")

 Chinese Vietnamese
 Tagalog
 Korean
 Hindi

 (11,319)
 (8,300)
 (5,223)
 (3,987)
 (3,082)

 Samoan
 Tongan
 Marshallese

 (5,271)
 (5,022)
 (1,337)

**TOP 5 ASIAN LANGUAGES SPOKEN IN UT** 

TOP NHPI LANGUAGES WITH 100+ ESTIMATED SPEAKERS IN UT

### **SOCIOECONOMIC CHALLENGES IN UTAH**



About 9.8% Asian Americans and 8.8% NHPIs in Utah live in poverty.



About 8.9% Asian Americans and 10% NHPIs in Utah lack health insurance.



About 13.2% Asian Americans and 14.7% NHPIs in Utah lack broadband access.

