

Wisconsin

Voters in Wisconsin will elect a Governor and Lt. Governor, Attorney General, and state legislators in the 2018 election cycle. All 99 seats are up in the House and 17 seats are up in the Senate. Republicans will be defending a trifecta while Democrats hope to pick up a Governor's Mansion and gain ground in the legislature.

Attorney General

Republican Nominee

Attorney General Brad Schimel

Attorney General Brad Schimel is a former prosecutor and was first elected in 2014 and did not have a challenger in the Republican primary. He is running on his record as attorney general.

He has pledged to protect children and is campaigning on his involvement with victims of crime including development of children's centers. He wants to tackle cyber bullying and drugs in schools. He favors local control for school districts to improve school safety instead of a mandate from the state and has helped move along the new School Safety Grants.

He touts his Law Enforcement Wellness Program at DOJ, which focuses not just on physical fitness, but on the emotional and psychological impacts of serving in law enforcement.

Attorney General Schimel wants to increase penalties for drug trafficking particularly illicitly manufactured fentanyl.

Trivia: He is a member of a band called 4 on the Floor.

^{*}Information is heavily borrowed from campaign websites, social media, and news and blogs.