This is a dataset of congressional districts that had competitive races in the 2018 midterms. Each row corresponds to one congressional district. Here is information about the individual variables:

Variable Name	Description
District	District Name
Dem2018	Democratic Vote share, 2018
Rep2018	Republican Vote share, 2018
state	State
party	Incumbent party
voteshare	Incumbent vote share
TRUMP.SCORE	How frequently the incumbent voted in line with Trump's Position, from the New York Times
Inc_fname	Incumbent characteristics: first name
Inc_lname	Incumbent characteristics: last name
inc_year_elected	Incumbent characteristics: year elected
inc_birth	Incumbent characteristics: year born
inc_gender	Incumbent characteristics: gender
inc_lgbtq	Incumbent characteristics: lgbtq status
Clinton_2016	District vote share for other candidates in past elections
Trump_2016	District vote share for other candidates in past elections
Obama_2012	District vote share for other candidates in past elections
Romney_2012	District vote share for other candidates in past elections
Obama_2008	District vote share for other candidates in past elections
McCain_2008	District vote share for other candidates in past elections
HouseD_2016	District vote share for other candidates in past elections
HouseR_2016	District vote share for other candidates in past elections
HouseD_2014	District vote share for other candidates in past elections
HouseR_2014	District vote share for other candidates in past

	elections
HouseD_2012	District vote share for other candidates in past elections
HouseR_2012	District vote share for other candidates in past elections
White	District Demographics - Race/Ethnic Group
Black	District Demographics - Race/Ethnic Group
Latino	District Demographics - Race/Ethnic Group
Asian	District Demographics - Race/Ethnic Group
Native	District Demographics - Race/Ethnic Group
Other	District Demographics - Race/Ethnic Group
BA	Proportion with BA
BA_WHite	Proportion of Whites with BA
Med_Income	Median household income
Rep.forecast	Forecasted republican vote share from New York Times
Leg_MF	Legal status of Marijuana in the state. (None=not legal. Med = legal for medicinal use. Rec = legal for recreational use)