

Good morning/afternoon/evening/night, boys/girls/other. So, the time has come for you to vote for which song for the r/GreenDay Cover Project to cover next. However, you click the VOTE HERE link, and are confronted by a matrix of dots, perhaps unlike any you've seen before! What do you do? Well, you're in the right place, because this here is a tutorial to hopefully help you get started and voting.

Note: In the actual vote, the song titles are in randomized order. This tutorial has them in track listing order.

So, the first thing you're going to see is the blank ballot, as pictured below. As the reddit post you came from states, it is a pseudo-ranked choice weighted vote. What that means is also explained in the reddit post, but all that mumbo jumbo about how the results are calculated doesn't really matter, all that matters is that you vote properly and honestly and the rest will come together behind the scenes.

What song should we cover from Insomniac? *

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Brat	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Stuck With Me	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Geek Stink Breath	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
No Pride	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Bab's Uvula Who	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
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Stuart and the Ave.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Brain Stew/Jaded	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Tight Wad Hill	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Walking Contradiction	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

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What does ranked choice/weighted vote mean? Well, to put it simply, you vote for which songs you want covered, by order of preference. In other words, you rank your favorite songs on the album, in order (Note: you don't have to vote by *favorite* song, just by whichever preference you have for the cover. The order doesn't matter and everyone has their own reasons, as long as it's in good faith.

Once you're at the voting screen and think you understand what you're supposed to do, the first step is to pick which song is your top preference by clicking its respective circle under the "1" column. In this example, I picked Walking Contradiction, from Insomniac. Two songs aren't on the list, as they were covered before. You can go listen to those on greenday.fm or [Sondcloud](https://sondcloud.com), to which there are links in the reddit post you came from.

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Walking Contradiction	☒	☐	☐

The rest of the vote simply consists of proceeding through the different rankings and picking which songs you think fit there, from second place to whichever place is last place for that album.

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Can't see every rank column? Use the scroll bar at the bottom to slide to the right.

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Make sure to vote only **ONE** song in each column. If you don't you'll get an error message on the bottom of your ballot, and it won't let you submit.

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⚠ Please don't select more than one response

In a similar vein, you cannot vote for only one song or just a few, you must vote for EVERY song available on the album. This fulfills the purpose of the vote, where we ultimately cover the most popular song from the album, not just the most common first choice. If you don't follow this, you'll get another error and won't be able to submit until you fix it.

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⚠ This question requires one response per row

Once you have the form filled out, and are confident in your response, just hit the submit button at the bottom! You're all set, and now it's time to wait for the poll to close and for the result to be announced.

Some important notes for the troublemakers:

Don't vote like either of these examples, where you just put all the songs in descending/ascending order. I've seen this a lot before, and whenever I do, I delete the vote. Please don't waste my time and do it. If you want to protest vote, write-in DEEZ NUTS on the first Tuesday in November, like the rest of us.

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Bonus no-no: voting for one or a few songs and then shitposting the rest. These also go in the trash.

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