

# Turkey orders re-run of Istanbul election

The decision by Turkey's election board to repeat Istanbul's mayoral election, won by the opposition candidate in March, is raising the prospect of renewed political and economic turmoil



**Ekrem Imamoglu:**  
Candidate of main opposition **Republican People's party (CHP)**, who was confirmed as mayor in April, calls decision "treacherous"

Supreme Electoral Council revoked Imamoglu's mandate after determining some electoral officials were improperly appointed

## ISTANBUL MAYORSHIP RESULTS (Mar 31)

**48.77%**

4,169,765  
votes



**48.61%**

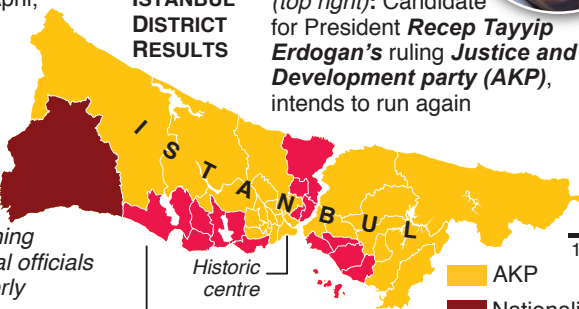
4,156,036  
votes



**Binali Yildirim**  
(top right): Candidate for President **Recep Tayyip Erdogan's** ruling **Justice and Development party (AKP)**, intends to run again



## ISTANBUL DISTRICT RESULTS



## RESULTS BY PROVINCE



**AKP Party-led alliance won 51% of vote nationwide, but secularist CHP claimed victory in capital Ankara, Izmir, and Istanbul**

- AKP
- Nationalist Movement Party (MHP) – in alliance with AKP
- CHP
- People's Democratic Party (HDP)
- Communist Party of Turkey (TKP)
- Independent