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SPECIAL ELECTIONS
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HOUSE OF DELEGATES
THIRTY-FIRST AND THIRTY-NINTH
LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS

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4th Legislative District (1 Member)			*A. A. "Archie" Campbell (D)			Fred M. Bennington (R)		Write-In Votes
Bland			1,654			608		4
Grayson			3,093			2,828		
Wythe			4,708			2,318		
Galax			861			762		
TOTAL			† 10,316			6,516		4
5th Legislative District (1 Member)			Blair B. Brockmeyer (D)			*C. Jefferson Stafford (R)		Write-In Votes
Craig			934			807		
Giles			1,636			4,331		
Pulaski			4,827			3,326		
TOTAL			7,397			† 8,464		0
6th Legislative District (2 Members)			H. T. "Tom" Mullis (D)		* Jerry H. Geisler (R)	* W. Ward Teel (R)		Write-In Votes
Carroll			3,198		4,487	4,236		
Floyd			1,214		1,529	1,744		
Montgomery			4,839		4,529	5,232		6
Radford			1,816		1,275	1,377		
TOTAL			11,067		† 11,820	† 12,589		6

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes members elected

7th Legislative District (2 Members)		*A. Victor "Vic" Thomas (D)	Clifton A. "Chip" Woodrum (D)		Elizabeth T. Bowles (R)	Mary F. (Beth) Brooks (R)		Write-In Votes
Roanoke City (part of)		11,658	10,130		7,397	3,911		1
TOTAL		† 11,658	† 10,130		7,397	3,911		1
8th Legislative District (2 Members)		*C. Richard Cranwell (D)	Bob L. Johnson (D)		Ronkeith Adkins (R)	*Raymond R. Robrecht (R)		Write-In Votes
Roanoke County		10,466	5,682		3,434	11,193		
Roanoke City (part of)		1,892	1,178		645	1,836		
Salem		2,983	2,134		1,000	3,468		
TOTAL		† 15,341	8,994		5,079	† 16,497		0
9th Legislative District (2 Members)		James A. (Jim) Davis (D)	Wilford P. Ramsey (D)				* Lacey E. Putney (I)	Write-In Votes
Bedford County		2,600	1,543				4,780	1
Franklin County		5,471	2,446				3,576	
Rockbridge		2,190	1,583				2,373	
Bedford City		650	356				1,117	2
Buena Vista		672	869				855	
Lexington		781	560				836	1
Lynchburg (part of)		88	50				209	
TOTAL		† 12,452	7,407				† 13,746	4

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes members elected

10th Legislative District (1 Member)			* William T. "Bill" Wilson (D)			Robert E. (Bob) Thomas, Jr. (R)		Write-In Votes
Alleghany			2,874			913		
Botetourt			2,886			2,127		
Clifton Forge			653			249		
Covington			1,543			566		
TOTAL			† 7,956			3,855		0
11th Legislative District (2 Members)		* Joan S. Jones (D)	Gregory W. Smith (D)		Virgil A. Coleman (R)	* S. Vance Wilkins, Jr. (R)		Write-In Votes
Amherst		3,567	2,394		2,489	4,059		1
Nelson		2,415	1,030		827	1,945		
Lynchburg (part of)		5,499	3,859		2,579	4,330		3
TOTAL		† 11,481	7,283		5,895	† 10,334		4
12th Legislative District (1 Member)						* Joseph P. (Joe) Crouch (R)		Write-In Votes
Campbell						5,708		2
Lynchburg (part of)						1,103		
TOTAL						† 6,811		2

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes members elected

13th Legislative District (3 Members)	* A. L. Philpott (D)	* Claude V. Swanson (D)	* Mary Sue Terry (D)		Charles R. Hawkins (R)	J. Randolph Smith, Jr. (R)		Write-In Votes
Henry	8,065	6,862	8,330		3,510	3,874		5
Patrick	3,712	3,441	4,570		1,459	1,255		1
Pittsylvania	7,385	7,262	7,843		5,577	2,455		
Martinsville	2,848	2,255	2,987		1,484	1,754		
TOTAL	† 22,010	† 19,820	† 23,730		12,030	9,338		6
14th Legislative District (1 Member)			* Calvin W. Fowler (D)					Write-In Votes
Danville			7,417					2
TOTAL			† 7,417					2
15th Legislative District (2 Members)			* Erwin S. "Shad" Solomon (D)			* A. R. "Pete" Giesen, Jr. (R)		Write-In Votes
Augusta			6,199			6,481		6
Bath			1,418			690		3
Highland			800			715		4
Staunton			2,514			2,583		
Waynesboro			1,872			2,217		1
TOTAL			† 12,803			† 12,686		14

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes members elected

16th Legislative District (2 Members)			Roger A. Ritchie (D)		*I. Clinton Miller (R)	Kevin G. Miller (R)		Write-In Votes
Page			2,537		3,404	2,595		
Rockingham			6,718		6,821	5,259		2
Shenandoah			3,129		7,390	5,422		1
Harrisonburg			1,776		1,825	1,546		2
TOTAL			14,160		† 19,440	† 14,822		5
17th Legislative District (2 Members)			*Alson H. "Al" Smith, Jr. (D)		*Raymond R. "Andy" Guest, Jr. (R)	Kenneth Y. Stiles (R)		Write-In Votes
Clarke			1,414		1,431	685		
Fauquier			3,782		4,423	2,622		
Frederick			5,210		4,108	2,437		
Warren			2,328		3,189	1,357		
Winchester			2,918		2,438	1,197		2
TOTAL			† 15,652		† 15,589	8,298		2
18th Legislative District (See Page 30)								
19th Legislative District (See Page 30)								

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† Denotes members elected

20th Legislative District (3 Members)	* Floyd C. Bagley (D)	* Earl E. Bell (D)	* David G. Brickley (D)	Andrew J. Donnelly (R)	Harry J. Parrish (R)	Kenneth B. Rollins (R)		Write-In Votes
Loudoun	5,623	6,511	5,687	5,520	5,216	6,546		5
Prince William	10,122	9,846	10,805	7,410	7,265	6,717		
Manassas	770	758	841	1,046	1,110	989		
Manassas Park	347	352	370	189	215	183		
TOTAL	† 16,862	† 17,467	† 17,703	14,165	13,806	14,435		5
21st Legislative District (2 Members)		Nancy D. Bennett (D)	Bernard S. Cohen (D)		Elizabeth C. "Betty" McCann (R)	David G. Speck (R)		Write-In Votes
Alexandria		6,007	6,347		5,947	7,340		
TOTAL		6,007	† 6,347		5,947	† 7,340		0
22nd Legislative District (3 Members)	* James F. Almand (D)	* Mary A. Marshall (D)	* Warren G. Stambaugh (D)			Theodore A. "Ted" Lattanzio (R)		Write-In Votes
Arlington	17,280	19,700	18,429			12,950		9
TOTAL	† 17,280	† 19,700	† 18,429			12,950		9

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes members elected

23rd Legislative District (1 Member)			*Elise B. Heinz (D)				Curtis Van Carter (I)	Write-In Votes
Arlington			16,478				4,765	2
Alexandria			6,902				1,435	10
TOTAL			† 23,380				6,200	12
24th Legislative District (2 Members)		* Lewis P. Fickett, Jr. (D)	*D. Wayne O'Bryan (D)					Write-In Votes
Caroline		2,391	1,477					3
Hanover		6,553	6,378					8
Stafford		4,822	2,507					15
Fredericksburg		2,122	960					6
TOTAL		† 15,888	† 11,322					32
25th Legislative District (1 Member)						*George P. Beard, Jr. (R)	Robert Wilson Murphy (I)	Write-In Votes
Culpeper						3,321	280	5
Madison						1,855	315	1
Orange						3,062	721	3
Rappahannock						1,550	270	5
TOTAL						† 9,788	1,586	14

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes members elected

26th Legislative District (2 Members)		* Thomas J. Michie, Jr. (D)	* James B. Murray (D)		George F. Allen (R)	Virginia D. Hahn (R)		Write-In Votes
Albemarle		5,767	5,234		5,004	4,594		2
Fluvanna		987	703		1,114	1,009		
Greene		602	589		911	844		
Charlottesville		5,105	4,877		2,498	2,381		4
TOTAL		† 12,461	† 11,403		9,527	8,828		6
27th Legislative District (1 Member)			*Claude W. Anderson (D)					Write-In Votes
Amelia			1,815					
Appomattox			1,262					
Buckingham			1,974					
Cumberland			1,249					
Prince Edward			2,407					
TOTAL			† 8,707					0
28th Legislative District (1 Member)			* Franklin M. Slayton (D)			A. Bernard "Red" Guthrie, Jr. (R)		Write-In Votes
Charlotte			1,897			1,290		
Halifax			5,128			2,430		1
South Boston			1,460			578		2
TOTAL			† 8,485			4,298		3

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes members elected

29th Legislative District (1 Member)			* Lewis W. Parker, Jr. (D)					Write-In Votes
Brunswick			3,130					
Mecklenburg.			3,372					
TOTAL.			† 6,502					0
30th Legislative District (1 Member)			* Norman Sisisky (D)					Write-In Votes
Petersburg			4,767					25
TOTAL.			† 4,767					25
31st Legislative District (1 Member)			R. Beasley Jones (D)			Joseph M. H. Irby (R)		Write-In Votes
Dinwiddie			3,780			1,796		1
Lunenburg.			1,524			1,788		
Nottoway			1,716			2,461		
TOTAL.			† 7,020			6,045		1

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes members elected

32nd Legislative District (1 Member)			* V. Earl Dickinson (D)					Write-In Votes
Goochland			1,389					2
Louisa			2,850					1
Powhatan			2,402					
Spotsylvania			5,214					1
TOTAL			† 11,855					4
33rd Legislative District (See Page 31)								
34th Legislative District (3 Members)	* Ralph L. "Bill" Axselle, Jr. (D)	Robert B. Ball, Sr. (D)	*Robison B. "Rob" James (D)			Jane F. Wagner (R)		Write-In Votes
Henrico	31,797	25,522	21,819			20,490		3
TOTAL	† 31,797	† 25,522	† 21,819			20,490		3
35th Legislative District (1 Member)			* Gerald L. "Jerry" Baliles (D)				John B. Ascher (I)	Write-In Votes
Henrico			28,805				3,511	
Richmond City			26,169				2,565	7
TOTAL			† 54,974				6,076	7

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes members elected

36th Legislative District (2 Members)			*Alexander B. McMurtrie, Jr. (D)			* George W. Jones (R)		Write-In Votes
Chesterfield			12,408			13,728		17
Colonial Heights.			662			609		2
TOTAL.			† 13,070			† 14,337		19
37th Legislative District (1 Member)			*C. Hardaway Marks (D)					Write-In Votes
Prince George			1,924					2
Hopewell.			886					12
TOTAL.			† 2,810					14
38th Legislative District (2 Members)		*Frederick H. Creekmore (D)	V. Thomas Forehand, Jr. (D)					Write-In Votes
Chesapeake		9,205	8,351					7
TOTAL.		† 9,205	† 8,351					7
39th Legislative District (See Page 31)								

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† Denotes members elected

40th Legislative District (3 Members)	*Bernard G. Barrow (D)	* Glenn B. McClanan (D)	* Owen B. Pickett (D)	W. R. "Buster" O'Brien (R)	Julie L. Smith (R)	Gene A. Woolard (R)		Write-In Votes
Virginia Beach.	15,746	16,169	18,159	18,721	13,871	10,157		
TOTAL.	15,746	† 16,169	† 18,159	† 18,721	13,871	10,157		0
41st Legislative District (2 Members)		*Johnny S. Joannou (D)	*L. Cleaves Manning (D)					Write-In Votes
Portsmouth		6,937	5,618					22
TOTAL.		† 6,937	† 5,618					22
42nd Legislative District (1 Member)			* J. W. "Billy" O'Brien, Jr. (D)			John T. Early (R)		Write-In Votes
Chesapeake . . . . . . Portsmouth . . . . . . Virginia Beach.			8,824 6,478 17,632			5,234 2,918 12,730		4
TOTAL.			† 32,934			20,882		4
43rd Legislative District (1 Member)			* J. Samuel Glasscock (D)					Write-In Votes
Suffolk.			2,721					4
TOTAL.			† 2,721					4

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes members elected

44th Legislative District (1 Member)			* J. Paul Councill, Jr. (D)					Write-In Votes
Isle of Wight			3,819					
Southampton			3,513					
Franklin City			745					2
TOTAL			† 8,077					2
45th Legislative District (1 Member)			* L. Ray Ashworth (D)				James W. Johnson (I)	Write-In Votes
Charles City			862				677	
Greensville			1,542				936	
New Kent			1,499				557	
Surry			1,402				1,229	
Sussex			2,159				1,190	1
Emporia			950				276	
TOTAL			† 8,414				4,865	1
46th Legislative District (1 Member)						* Robert S. Bloxom (R)		Write-In Votes
Accomack						6,433		
Northampton						1,999		
TOTAL						† 8,432		0

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† Denotes members elected

47th Legislative District (1 Member)						* Calvin G. Sanford (R)		Write-In Votes
King George						2,018		
Lancaster						2,116		
Northumberland						2,113		
Richmond County						974		
Westmoreland						2,322		1
TOTAL						† 9,543		1

48th Legislative District (1 Member)			Boyd M. Sears, Jr. (D)			Harvey B. Morgan (R)		Write-In Votes
Essex			908			1,123		
Gloucester			1,608			4,494		
King & Queen			1,143			613		
King William			1,578			1,079		2
Mathews			885			2,075		
Middlesex			1,347			1,338		
TOTAL			7,469			† 10,722		2

49th Legislative District (3 Members)	* Alan A. Diamonstein (D)	*Theodore V. Morrison, Jr. (D)	*Robert C. (Bobby) Scott (D)			David L. Short (R)	M. E. (Max) Simerly (I)	Write-In Votes
Newport News	17,988	18,222	15,412			11,562	1,675	
TOTAL	† 17,988	† 18,222	† 15,412			11,562	1,675	0

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes members elected

50th Legislative District (2 Members)		*Richard M. Bagley (D)	* John D. Gray (D)					Write-In Votes
Hampton		9,206	8,340					5
TOTAL		† 9,206	† 8,340					5
51st Legislative District (1 Member)			George W. Grayson (D)			Barbara C. Murphy (R)		Write-In Votes
James City			2,925			1,853		
York			4,473			2,849		
Poquoson			808			732		
Williamsburg			1,004			611		1
TOTAL			† 9,210			6,045		1
52nd Legislative District (1 Member)			* S. Wallace Stieffen (D)					Write-In Votes
James City			2,127					1
York			4,423					1
Hampton			8,775					4
Poquoson			1,033					
Williamsburg			773					
TOTAL			† 17,131					6

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes members elected

18th Legislative District (5 Members)			Dean E. Brundage (D)	Gary P. Eklund (D)	*Dorothy S. McDiarmid (D)	*Kenneth R. "Ken" Plum (D)	Barbara W. Weiss (D)			John S. Buckley (R)	*Vincent F. Callahan, Jr. (R)	*Martin H. Perper (R)	John H. Rust, Jr. (R)	Peter W. Scott (R)		Write-In Votes
Fairfax County (part of) . . .			18,138	14,572	25,097	22,697	20,854			25,006	32,729	26,029	23,994	23,355		2
Fairfax City			1,173	957	1,714	1,472	1,263			1,416	2,016	1,514	1,933	1,302		
Falls Church			909	652	1,057	899	899			910	1,236	962	803	819		
TOTAL.			20,220	16,181	†27,868	25,068	23,016			†27,332	†35,981	†28,505	†26,730	25,476		2

19th Legislative District (5 Members)			Charles E. Kaufman (D)	*Gladys B. Keating (D)	Jane M. King (D)	Beverly J. Schwarz (D)	David L. Temple, Jr. (D)			* Warren E. Barry (R)	James H. "Jim" Dillard, II (R)	*Robert E. "Bob" Harris (R)	Lawrence D. (Larry) Pratt (R)	*Robert L. "Bob" Thoburn (R)		Write-In Votes
Fairfax County (part of) . . .			13,800	26,875	16,573	16,895	18,800			30,142	27,891	28,451	23,500	22,091		7
TOTAL.			13,800	†26,875	16,573	16,895	18,800			†30,142	†27,891	†28,451	†23,500	22,091		7

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