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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION

PRIMARY ELECTION  
June 12, 1984

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<b>COUNTIES</b>	<b>FOR</b>	<b>AGAINST</b>	<b>FOR</b>	<b>AGAINST</b>
Accomack . . . . .	6,911	2,137	7,356	1,555
Albemarle. . . . .	13,891	4,942	13,801	5,394
Alleghany. . . . .	2,870	1,364	3,225	1,026
Amelia . . . . .	1,660	885	2,029	443
Amherst. . . . .	6,313	1,916	6,791	1,324
Appomattox . . . . .	2,386	1,204	2,624	867
Arlington. . . . .	37,494	20,644	33,790	27,062
Augusta. . . . .	11,589	4,073	13,318	2,675
Bath . . . . .	1,404	563	1,615	366
Bedford. . . . .	8,339	3,635	9,201	2,519
Bland. . . . .	1,354	625	1,442	517
Botetourt. . . . .	4,104	1,681	4,601	1,330
Brunswick. . . . .	2,684	1,024	2,873	571
Buchanan . . . . .	3,397	1,777	3,737	1,462
Buckingham . . . . .	2,323	1,007	2,500	703
Campbell . . . . .	9,495	3,129	10,007	2,667
Caroline . . . . .	3,855	920	3,068	1,609
Carroll. . . . .	4,696	1,637	5,149	1,224
Charles City . . . . .	1,613	352	1,117	855
Charlotte. . . . .	2,225	875	2,413	630
Chesterfield . . . . .	43,580	16,067	50,371	10,038
Clarke . . . . .	1,983	1,144	2,374	698
Craig. . . . .	1,207	546	1,351	402
Culpeper . . . . .	3,945	1,221	4,167	1,062
Cumberland . . . . .	1,328	418	1,418	331
Dickenson. . . . .	2,627	1,452	3,178	1,052
Dinwiddie. . . . .	4,092	1,745	4,869	954
Essex. . . . .	1,971	629	1,856	644
Fairfax. . . . .	164,618	83,469	157,512	95,079
Fauquier . . . . .	7,114	2,739	7,373	2,608
Floyd. . . . .	1,836	844	2,044	674
Fluvanna . . . . .	1,970	796	2,169	512
Franklin . . . . .	6,387	2,773	6,773	1,884
Frederick. . . . .	6,737	3,511	8,328	2,012
Giles. . . . .	3,209	1,747	3,731	1,303
Gloucester . . . . .	5,164	2,559	5,794	2,046
Goochland. . . . .	3,194	1,023	3,213	998
Grayson. . . . .	3,215	1,121	3,503	885
Greene . . . . .	1,194	574	1,379	427
Greensville. . . . .	1,917	1,238	2,284	661

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	FOR	AGAINST	FOR	AGAINST
Halifax. . . . .	5,064	1,248	5,399	1,001
Hanover. . . . .	13,478	5,584	16,073	3,093
Henrico. . . . .	47,248	19,846	54,373	13,637
Henry. . . . .	7,828	2,778	8,844	2,208
Highland . . . . .	829	366	966	228
Isle of Wight. . . . .	4,923	2,064	5,523	1,356
James City . . . . .	5,504	2,040	5,764	1,892
King & Queen . . . . .	1,267	582	1,451	385
King George. . . . .	2,336	868	2,552	681
King William . . . . .	2,239	1,037	2,518	726
Lancaster. . . . .	2,021	864	2,205	713
Lee. . . . .	3,810	2,240	4,842	1,710
Loudoun. . . . .	14,430	7,059	15,125	6,626
Louisa . . . . .	3,360	1,489	3,863	976
Lunenburg. . . . .	1,743	574	1875	395
Madison. . . . .	2,007	927	2,266	684
Mathews. . . . .	1,786	580	1,913	502
Mecklenburg. . . . .	4,878	1,658	4,796	1,487
Middlesex. . . . .	1,597	536	1,649	468
Montgomery . . . . .	11,613	4,231	11,497	4,276
Nelson . . . . .	2,602	958	2,733	707
New Kent . . . . .	2,332	1,032	2,738	609
Northampton. . . . .	1,729	611	1,954	411
Northumberland . . . . .	2,278	1,064	2,330	939
Nottoway . . . . .	2,507	768	2,651	584
Orange . . . . .	3,136	1,322	3,455	1,027
Page . . . . .	3,720	1,585	4,224	1,143
Patrick. . . . .	2,823	967	3,061	733
Pittsylvania . . . . .	8,987	3,286	10,762	2,255
Powhatan . . . . .	2,945	1,141	3,388	640
Prince Edward. . . . .	2,608	803	2,732	678
Prince George. . . . .	3,939	1,572	4,523	935
Prince William . . . . .	29,384	14,417	31,252	13,136
Pulaski. . . . .	5,150	2,180	5,662	1,703
Rappahannock . . . . .	1,622	763	1,795	581
Richmond . . . . .	1,516	584	1,691	390
Roanoke. . . . .	20,300	8,190	22,966	5,928
Rockbridge . . . . .	3,576	897	3,600	916
Rockingham . . . . .	9,351	3,303	10,530	2,522
Russell. . . . .	3,462	1,509	3,983	1,185
Scott. . . . .	2,661	1,571	3,361	1,089
Shenandoah . . . . .	6,816	2,551	7,494	1,999
Smyth. . . . .	4,715	1,854	4,989	1,710
Southampton. . . . .	3,937	1,593	4,405	876



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Spotsylvania . . . . .	7,530	2,721	8,139	1,935
Stafford . . . . .	8,658	4,074	9,985	2,933
Surry. . . . .	1,392	604	1,604	342
Sussex . . . . .	1,708	410	1,718	409
Tazewell . . . . .	6,327	3,174	7,441	2,222
Warren . . . . .	3,924	1,458	4,187	1,124
Washington . . . . .	8,404	3,190	9,753	2,183
Westmoreland . . . . .	2,275	724	2,316	645
Wise . . . . .	4,122	1,761	4,833	1,238
Wythe. . . . .	5,206	2,198	5,454	1,690
York . . . . .	8,731	3,523	9,532	2,796
<b>TOTAL COUNTIES</b>	<b>724,225</b>	<b>314,935</b>	<b>769,079</b>	<b>282,326</b>

<b>CITIES</b>	<b>FOR</b>	<b>AGAINST</b>	<b>FOR</b>	<b>AGAINST</b>
Alexandria . . . . .	22,980	7,606	17,097	13,983
Bedford. . . . .	1,058	283	1,071	287
Bristol. . . . .	3,891	1,441	4,519	904
Buena Vista. . . . .	1,018	302	1,010	300
Charlottesville. . . . .	8,891	3,011	7,925	4,163
Chesapeake . . . . .	23,420	7,803	25,034	6,157
Clifton Forge. . . . .	1,012	325	970	344
Colonial Heights . . . . .	4,742	1,596	5,168	1,069
Covington. . . . .	1,658	777	1,760	641
Danville . . . . .	6,893	2,278	7,393	1,886
Emporia. . . . .	1,040	436	1,159	293
Fairfax. . . . .	5,480	2,382	5,230	2,760
Falls Church . . . . .	2,960	1,627	2,626	1,882
Franklin . . . . .	1,575	609	1,751	355
Fredericksburg . . . . .	3,457	1,206	3,597	1,105
Galax. . . . .	1,241	344	1,280	339
Hampton. . . . .	20,063	7,455	21,463	6,102
Harrisonburg . . . . .	4,342	1,355	4,528	1,337
Hopewell . . . . .	3,771	2,217	4,661	1,357
Lexington. . . . .	1,189	270	1,004	459
Lynchburg. . . . .	13,079	5,802	14,166	5,217
Manassas . . . . .	3,677	1,347	3,774	1,326
Manassas Park. . . . .	679	294	764	211
Martinsville . . . . .	3,081	819	3,216	842

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Newport News . . . . .	26,755	17,852	30,768	12,081
Norfolk . . . . .	40,433	14,583	43,140	11,149
Norton . . . . .	600	183	620	177
Petersburg . . . . .	7,512	2,219	7,951	1,589
Poquoson . . . . .	2,741	913	2,884	756
Portsmouth . . . . .	20,838	8,249	21,689	5,202
Radford . . . . .	3,108	792	2,850	925
Richmond . . . . .	48,822	16,311	50,945	12,014
Roanoke . . . . .	20,225	7,191	21,351	5,564
Salem . . . . .	5,586	2,086	6,179	1,573
South Boston . . . . .	1,787	347	1,714	294
Staunton . . . . .	4,879	1,631	5,294	1,278
Suffolk . . . . .	9,807	3,811	10,415	2,750
Virginia Beach . . . . .	63,248	22,621	68,043	17,563
Waynesboro . . . . .	3,334	1,065	3,638	823
Williamsburg . . . . .	1,924	767	1,757	1,157
Winchester . . . . .	3,998	1,702	4,779	1,149
<b>TOTAL CITIES</b>	<b>406,794</b>	<b>153,908</b>	<b>425,183</b>	<b>129,363</b>
<b>TOTAL COUNTIES</b>	<b>724,225</b>	<b>314,935</b>	<b>769,079</b>	<b>282,326</b>
<b>AGGREGATE</b>	<b>1,131,019</b>	<b>468,843</b>	<b>1,194,262</b>	<b>411,689</b>
<b>% OF VOTES</b>	<b>70.7</b>	<b>29.3</b>	<b>74.4</b>	<b>25.6</b>
<b>TOTAL VOTES CAST</b>	<b>1,599,862</b>		<b>1,605,951</b>	

## RECAPITULATION

The following Amendments to the Constitution of Virginia received a favorable majority of the votes cast and became part of the Constitution on January 1, 1985:

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Amends Section 6 of Article VII:	FOR	1,131,019
	AGAINST	468,843

**QUESTION 2:** Shall the Constitution of Virginia be amended to require a balanced State budget?

Amends Section 7 of Article X:	FOR	1,194,262
	AGAINST	411,689



**1984 ELECTORAL COLLEGE**

On MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1984 at noon, the Electoral College of Virginia met in the Old Senate Chamber in the State Capitol at Richmond, Virginia.

Virginia's twelve (12) electoral votes were cast for:

RONALD REAGAN for President

and

GEORGE BUSH for Vice President

by the following electors:

- First District . . . . . Enid H. Neill
- Second District . . . . . James E. Mathews
- Third District . . . . . Lucille S. Gaines
- Fourth District . . . . . Lois Westbrook Johnson
- Fifth District . . . . . Joseph C. Lumpkin
- Sixth District . . . . . Kerry D. Scott
- Seventh District . . . . . C. Spotswood Connelly
- Eighth District . . . . . Robert W. McCaslin
- Ninth District . . . . . \*Betty Arrants Malcolm
- Tenth District . . . . . Jane N. Nash
- At Large . . . . . W. Dean Short
- At Large . . . . . Pina Brooks Swift

\*Carl V. Malcolm, Jr., the elector representing the Ninth District, was unable to attend the 1984 Electoral College. Betty Arrants Malcolm was appointed by the remaining electors to fill the vacancy.





