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OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS
1972

FOR

PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT
UNITED STATES SENATOR
MEMBERS OF CONGRESS
PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION

IN THE

GENERAL ELECTION, NOVEMBER 7, 1972

AND

JUNE 13, 1972 PRIMARY ELECTION
MEMBER OF CONGRESS
EIGHTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

AND

SPECIAL ELECTIONS

NOVEMBER 7, 1972
MEMBER OF CONGRESS
SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

HOUSE OF DELEGATES OF VIRGINIA

SIXTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT
FIFTEENTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT

SENATE OF VIRGINIA

THIRTY-SEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

FEBRUARY 1, 1972
FOURTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

HOUSE OF DELEGATES OF VIRGINIA

AUGUST 1, 1972
TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT

DECEMBER 12, 1972
NINETEENTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT
TWENTIETH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT

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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS

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OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE WHOLE NUMBER OF VOTES CAST IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA FOR AND AGAINST CERTAIN PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF VIRGINIA AT THE GENERAL ELECTION HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1972

QUESTION: Shall Section 1 of Article II of the Constitution be amended so as to change the minimum age for qualified voters of the State from twenty-one to eighteen?

QUESTION: Shall the Constitution be amended to include in the definition of "city" any incorporated community which became a city as provided by law before noon on July 1, 1971?

COUNTIES	For	Against	For	Against
Accomack	5,841	1,789	4,277	1,654
Albemarle	7,733	2,382	6,819	1,908
Alleghany	2,848	809	2,470	678
Amelia	901	464	758	453
Amherst	3,308	1,281	2,846	1,162
Appomattox	2,162	795	1,644	631
Arlington	38,496	13,451	35,535	11,102
Augusta	4,751	1,174	4,288	918
Bath	1,064	419	924	303
Bedford	3,515	1,449	2,938	1,116
Bland	1,350	425	956	408
Botetourt	3,345	841	2,824	689
Brunswick	3,131	1,319	2,409	827
Buchanan	1,667	327	1,027	331
Buckingham	2,232	767	1,651	626
Campbell	5,789	2,065	5,731	2,214
Caroline	2,589	820	1,999	649
Carroll	2,730	566	2,195	555
Charles City	1,240	295	858	301
Charlotte	2,372	980	1,802	698
Chesterfield	16,846	7,658	15,626	6,321
Clarke	1,505	593	1,419	470
Craig	872	212	661	236
Culpeper	3,468	1,297	3,149	953
Cumberland	1,448	585	1,288	412
Dickenson	1,827	574	2,642	486
Dinwiddie	3,623	1,319	2,893	1,109
Essex	1,037	361	783	280
Fairfax	103,639	29,237	92,399	24,563
Fauquier	3,956	1,449	3,363	1,092
Floyd	1,871	582	1,192	550
Fluvanna	1,000	370	843	324
Franklin	4,572	1,509	3410	1,138
Frederick	4,249	1,552	3,625	1,321
Giles	1,296	365	1,412	437
Gloucester	2,813	800	2,249	716
Goochland	1,398	765	1,212	673
Grayson	1,615	305	1,072	333
Greene	908	342	645	247
Greensville	1,856	671	1,328	726
Halifax	4,823	1,686	3,507	1,275
Hanover	7,088	3,060	6,629	2,250
Henrico	32,940	12,669	29,164	10,144
Henry	3,726	887	3,045	928
Highland	648	187	437	191
Isle of Wight	4,100	1,287	3,438	1,154
James City	3,485	926	3,176	819
King George	1,459	492	1,300	462
King and Queen	1,038	353	775	311

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COUNTIES	For	Against	For	Against
King William	1,842	635	1,444	439
Lancaster	2,353	1,054	2,059	763
Lee	4,641	646	2,778	626
Loudoun	9,784	3,191	8,843	2,455
Louisa	2,008	909	1,575	694
Lunenburg	1,798	898	1,340	663
Madison	1,527	647	1,179	534
Mathews	2,004	733	1,362	585
Mecklenburg	5,596	2,223	4,707	1,415
Middlesex	1,563	666	1,347	450
Montgomery	9,550	2,778	8,018	2,388
Nelson	1,815	545	1,340	496
New Kent	1,391	539	1,034	486
Northampton	2,714	775	2,153	639
Northumberland	1,961	865	1,518	601
Nottoway	2,650	1,263	2,246	756
Orange	1,886	642	1,582	508
Page	3,723	1,325	3,035	1,097
Patrick	1,150	372	768	290
Pittsylvania	9,692	3,410	7,231	2,542
Powhatan	1,404	768	1,122	567
Prince Edward	2,988	1,361	2,682	891
Prince George	2,002	781	1,718	640
Prince William	17,749	5,295	16,314	4,572
Pulaski	5,971	1,825	5,011	1,398
Rappahannock	970	381	750	291
Richmond	1,254	512	941	391
Roanoke	16,273	4,763	14,648	3,902
Rockbridge	2,430	742	2,032	633
Rockingham	5,927	1,740	4,785	1,664
Russell	4,082	1,124	3,301	1,143
Scott	2,866	593	2,041	624
Shenandoah	5,759	1,988	4,514	1,608
Smyth	2,402	604	2,061	621
Southampton	3,298	1,080	2,861	764
Spotsylvania	3,790	1,329	2,902	1,290
Stafford	5,237	1,768	4,455	1,392
Surry	1,267	440	991	368
Sussex	1,897	543	1,439	349
Tazewell	6,627	1,801	4,255	1,766
Warren	2,625	909	2,305	848
Washington	3,774	1,328	3,336	1,328
Westmoreland	1,486	430	1,222	354
Wise	7,406	2,005	6,034	2,286
Wythe	2,167	454	2,011	551
York	6,022	1,956	5,371	1,772
TOTAL COUNTIES	503,492	165,147	431,294	137,584
CITIES				
Alexandria	22,353	6,699	19,906	4,989
Bedford	817	213	747	155
Bristol	2,015	811	1,797	530
Buena Vista	589	134	558	79
Charlottesville	5,986	1,580	5,518	1,020
Chesapeake	7,641	2,019	6,816	1,568
Clifton Forge	665	154	718	104
Colonial Heights	2,421	874	2,331	494
Covington	1,814	412	1,708	313
Danville	6,347	2,109	6,440	1,038
Emporia	940	404	908	245

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CITIES	For	Against	For	Against
Fairfax	4,763	1,265	4,471	915
Falls Church	3,309	1,091	3,421	599
Franklin	663	167	652	118
Fredericksburg	2,615	692	2,501	445
Galax	813	145	751	110
Hampton	13,606	2,856	12,909	1,996
Harrisonburg	2,334	587	2,315	486
Hopewell	1,884	563	1,763	336
Lexington	1,403	312	1,323	231
Lynchburg	7,058	2,458	6,891	1,413
Martinsville	2,015	508	1,928	297
Nansemond	5,880	1,488	5,312	1,000
Newport News	23,189	6,193	21,331	4,227
Norfolk	20,068	3,704	21,667	4,734
Norton	1,030	160	1,104	117
Petersburg	6,235	1,606	5,354	1,323
Portsmouth	16,408	5,124	15,252	3,686
Radford	2,427	562	2,329	403
Richmond	38,155	14,276	33,920	10,294
Roanoke	16,423	5,016	16,772	3,506
Salem	4,646	1,284	4,429	814
South Boston	1,165	391	1,184	228
Staunton	3,516	627	3,359	346
Suffolk	1,999	471	2,085	278
Virginia Beach	21,177	4,985	19,486	3,702
Waynesboro	2,451	313	2,466	446
Williamsburg	1,726	326	1,585	206
Winchester	3,597	1,211	3,724	698
TOTAL CITIES	262,143	73,790	247,731	53,489
TOTAL COUNTIES	503,492	165,147	431,294	137,584
AGGREGATE	765,635	238,937	679,025	191,073
TOTAL VOTE CAST	1,004,572		870,098	

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OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS FOR THE NOMINATION OF A CANDIDATE FOR THE OFFICE OF MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS IN THE EIGHTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA IN THE REPUBLICAN PRIMARY, JUNE 13, 1972

CITY and COUNTIES	Stanford E. Parris	James Tate
Alexandria City	1,486	532
Fairfax County	5,062	3,081
Prince William County	558	471
Stafford County	38	36
TOTAL 11,264	7,144 63.42%	4,120 36.58%

OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS FOR THE NOMINATION OF A CANDIDATE FOR THE OFFICE OF MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS IN THE EIGHTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA IN THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY, JUNE 13, 1972

CITY and COUNTIES	James H. Burch	Robert F. Horan, Jr.	Herbert E. Harris, II	Alan S. Linden
Alexandria City	1,104	878	800	456
Fairfax County	2,565	5,571	4,217	405
Prince William County	343	989	237	85
Stafford County	74	93	7	1
TOTAL 17,825	4,086 22.92%	7,531 42.25%	5,261 29.51%	947 5.31%

Candidates in the remaining nine Congressional Districts were either nominated by Convention or were unopposed and no primary was held.

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SPECIAL ELECTIONS IN 1972

OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS FOR UNEXPIRED TERM OF A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS IN THE SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA AS IT WAS COMPOSED IN 1970 IN THE SPECIAL ELECTION, NOVEMBER 7, 1972

CITIES & COUNTIES	M. Caldwell Butler (R)	Roy R. White (I)	Willis M. Anderson (D)
Bedford City	764	52	877
Clifton Forge	662	237	582
Covington	1,080	285	1,224
Lynchburg	8,300	820	5,283
Radford	2,012	274	1,079
Roanoke City	12,070	2,420	11,199
Salem	3,343	732	2,611
Alleghany	1,892	333	1,557
Amherst	3,234	198	2,370
Bedford County	3,561	285	2,545
Botetourt	2,378	327	2,407
Craig	607	46	539
Floyd	1,834	279	846
Montgomery	7,173	1,771	3,660
Roanoke County	11,999	1,875	9,375
Nelson	989	164	1,434
TOTAL 119,584	61,898 51.76%	10,098 8.44%	47,588 39.79%

OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS FOR UNEXPIRED TERM OF A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES IN THE SIXTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA IN THE SPECIAL ELECTION, NOVEMBER 7, 1972

CITY & COUNTIES	William T. Winder (D)	W. Ward Teel (R)	James V. Noonkester (I)	Write-In Votes
Radford	997	1,545	496	2
Carroll	1,015	3,252	726	
Floyd	846	1,494	439	
Montgomery	4,867	4,291	3,033	27
Wythe (Part of)	68	159	71	
TOTAL 23,328	7,793 33.41%	10,741 46.04%	4,765 20.43%	29

OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS FOR UNEXPIRED TERM OF A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES IN THE FIFTEENTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA IN THE SPECIAL ELECTION, NOVEMBER 7, 1972

CITIES & COUNTIES	J. Marshall Coleman (R)	Write-In Votes
Staunton	5,397	12
Waynesboro	3,739	
Augusta	8,063	2
Highland	832	
Bath	1,392	
TOTAL 19,437	19,423 99.93%	14

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OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS
FOR UNEXPIRED TERM OF A MEMBER OF THE SENATE OF VIRGINIA
IN THE THIRTY-SEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT
IN THE SPECIAL ELECTION, NOVEMBER 7, 1972

CITIES & COUNTIES	John N. Dalton (R)	Write-In Votes
Galax	707	3
Radford	2,549	
Carroll	3,880	
Floyd	2,420	2
Grayson	1,427	
Montgomery	11,209	24
TOTAL 22,221	22,192 99.87%	29

OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS
FOR UNEXPIRED TERM OF A MEMBER OF THE SENATE OF VIRGINIA
IN THE FOURTEENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT
IN THE SPECIAL ELECTION, FEBRUARY 1, 1972

CITIES & COUNTY	Russel I. Townsend Jr. (I)	Stanley B. Bryan (I)	Robert Kowalsky Jr. (I)	James W. Overton, Jr. (I)	Maury B. Brickhouse (I)	Jimmie Fort (I)	Julian Edward Newhern (I)
Chesapeake	2,826	1,718	1,785	1,131	377	86	197
Va. Beach	107	134	65	84	16	328	19
Nansemond	205	176	22	22	12	33	10
TOTAL 9,353	3,138 33.55%	2,028 21.68%	1,872 20.01%	1,237 13.23%	405 4.33%	447 4.78%	226 2.42%

OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS
FOR UNEXPIRED TERM OF A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES
IN THE TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
IN THE SPECIAL ELECTION, AUGUST 1, 1972

COUNTIES	Lewis W. Parker, Jr. (I)	J. W. Bland (I)	W. Harrison Land (I)	John H. Van Hoy (I)
Brunswick	1,240	851	817	131
Mecklenburg	2,038	372	1,240	1,989
TOTAL 8,678	3,278 37.77%	1,223 16.24%	2,057 23.90%	2,120 24.43%

OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS
FOR UNEXPIRED TERM OF A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES
IN THE NINETEENTH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
IN THE SPECIAL ELECTION, DECEMBER 12, 1972

CITY & COUNTIES	John M. Wilkins (D)	James R. Tate (R)	Write-In Votes
Fairfax City	297	466	
Fairfax County	5,324	6,182	7
Prince William	74	166	1
TOTAL 12,517	5,695 45.50%	6,814 54.44%	8

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OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS
FOR UNEXPIRED TERM OF A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES
IN THE TWENTIETH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
IN THE SPECIAL ELECTION, DECEMBER 12, 1972

COUNTIES	Kenneth B. Rollins (I)	Laurence E. (Larry) Randall (I)	Bob Gentzel (R)	Bo Cutter (D)
Loudoun	3,338	122	437	1,783
Prince William	847	822	1,850	604
TOTAL 9,803	4,185 42.69%	944 9.63%	2,287 23.33%	2,387 24.35%

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