

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS
1979

GENERAL ELECTION
November 6, 1979

MEMBERS
OF THE
SENATE OF VIRGINIA
and
HOUSE OF DELEGATES



PRIMARY ELECTIONS
June 12, 1979

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



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GENERAL ELECTION - NOVEMBER 6, 1979
MEMBERS, HOUSE OF DELEGATES OF VIRGINIA

1st Legislative District (2 Members)	*Orby L. Cantrell (D)	*Ford C. Quillen (D)				Write-In Votes
Dickenson	3,992	3,459				5
Lee	3,956	4,071				3
Scott	3,545	4,894				6
Wise	6,399	5,868				
Norton	604	582				
TOTAL.	† 18,496	† 18,874				14
2nd Legislative District (2 Members)	*Joseph A. Johnson (D)	* W. L. "Bill" Lemmon (D)				Write-In Votes
Smyth	6,413	7,770				
Washington	6,554	5,993				
Bristol	817	806				
TOTAL.	† 13,784	† 14,569				0
3rd Legislative District (2 Members)	William F. Green (D)	* Donald A. (Don) McGlothlin, Sr. (D)				Write-In Votes
Buchanan	4,147	4,761				
Russell	5,230	4,736				
Tazewell	5,370	5,435				
TOTAL.	† 14,747	† 14,932				0

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes members elected

4th Legislative District (1 Member)						Fred M. Bennington (R)	Write-In In Votes
Bland						608	4
Grayson						2,828	
Wythe						2,318	
Galax						762	
TOTAL						6,516	4
5th Legislative District (1 Member)						*C. Jefferson Stafford (R)	Write-In In Votes
Craig						807	
Giles						4,331	
Pulaski						3,326	
TOTAL						† 8,464	0
6th Legislative District (2 Members)						* W. Ward Teel (R)	Write-In In Votes
Carroll					* Jerry H. Geisler (R)	4,487	
Floyd						4,236	
Montgomery						1,744	
Radford						5,232	
TOTAL						† 11,820	6
						† 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	
Franklin County		5,471	2,446				3,576	
Rockbridge		2,190	1,583				2,373	
Bedford City		650	356				1,117	
Buena Vista		672	869				855	
Lexington		781	560				836	
Lynchburg (part of)		88	50				209	
TOTAL.		† 12,452	7,407				† 13,746	

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10th Legislative District (1 Member)										Robert E. (Bob) Thomas, Jr. (R)	Write- In Votes
Allegheny										913	
Botetourt										2,127	
Clifton Forge										249	
Covington										566	
TOTAL										3,855	0
11th Legislative District (2 Members)											
Amherst									Virgil A. Coleman (R)	* S. Vance Wilkins, Jr. (R)	Write- In Votes
Nelson										4,059	1
Lynchburg (part of)										1,945	3
TOTAL										† 10,334	4
12th Legislative District (1 Member)											
Campbell										* Joseph P. (Joe) Crouch (R)	Write- In Votes
Lynchburg (part of)										5,708	2
TOTAL										† 6,811	2

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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						

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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	2
Rockingham				6,718		6,821	5,259	1
Shenandoah				3,129		7,390	5,422	2
Harrisonburg				1,776		1,825	1,546	
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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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	6,511	5,687	5,520	5,216	6,546	5
	Prince William	9,846	10,805	7,410	7,265	6,717	
	Manassas	758	841	1,046	1,110	989	
	Manassas Park	347	352	370	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	0
	TOTAL		6,007	† 6,347	5,947	† 7,340	
22nd Legislative District (3 Members)	* James F. Almond (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

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† Denotes members elected

29th Legislative District (1 Member)										Write-In Votes
Brunswick										
Mecklenburg										
TOTAL										0
30th Legislative District (1 Member)										Write-In Votes
Petersburg										25
TOTAL										25
31st Legislative District (1 Member)										Write-In Votes
Dinwiddie										1
Lunenburg										1,788
Nottoway										2,461
TOTAL										6,045

* Lewis W. Parker, Jr.
(D)

* Norman Sisisky
(D)

Joseph M. H. Irby
(R)

R. Beasley Jones
(D)

* Denotes incumbent
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32nd Legislative District (1 Member)					* V. Earl Dickinson (D)					Write-In In Votes
Gochland					1,389					2
Louisa					2,850					1
Powhatan					2,402					1
Spotsylvania					5,214					
TOTAL					† 11,855					4
33rd Legislative District (See Page 31)										
34th Legislative District (3 Members)										Write-In In Votes
Henrico	* Ralph L. "Bill" Axselle, Jr. (D)	Robert B. Ball, Sr. (D)			* Robison B. "Rob" James (D)				Jane F. Wagner (R)	3
	31,797	25,522			21,819				20,490	
TOTAL	† 31,797	† 25,522			† 21,819				20,490	3
35th Legislative District (1 Member)										Write-In In Votes
Henrico					* Gerald L. "Jerry" Baliles (D)				John B. Ascher (I)	7
Richmond City					28,805				3,511	
TOTAL					† 54,974				2,565	7
									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)						Write- In Votes
Chesapeake					9,205						7
TOTAL.					† 9,205						7
39th Legislative District (See Page 31)											

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40th Legislative District (3 Members)													
Virginia Beach	* 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)							
TOTAL	15,746	16,169	18,159	18,721	13,871	10,157							
	15,746	† 16,169	† 18,159	† 18,721	13,871	10,157							0
41st Legislative District (2 Members)													
Portsmouth		* Johnny S. Joannou (D)	* L. Cleaves Manning (D)										
TOTAL		6,937	5,618										22
		† 6,937	† 5,618										22
42nd Legislative District (1 Member)													
Chesapeake			* J. W. "Billy" O'Brien, Jr. (D)			John T. Early (R)							
Portsmouth			8,824			5,234							4
Virginia Beach			6,478			2,918							
			17,632			12,730							
TOTAL			† 32,934			20,882							4
43rd Legislative District (1 Member)													
Suffolk			* J. Samuel Glascock (D)										
TOTAL			2,721										4
			† 2,721										4

* Denotes incumbent
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44th Legislative District (1 Member)										Write- In Votes
Isle of Wight										
Southampton										
Franklin City										2
TOTAL										2
45th Legislative District (1 Member)										Write- In Votes
Charles City										
Greensville										
New Kent										
Surry										
Sussex										
Emporia										
TOTAL										1
46th Legislative District (1 Member)										Write- In Votes
Accomack										
Northampton										
TOTAL										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	1
Williamsburg.			1,004				611	
TOTAL.			† 9,210				6,045	1
52nd Legislative District (1 Member)			* S. Wallace Stiefen (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

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