

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
November 6, 1979

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



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MEMBERS, HOUSE OF DELEGATES OF VIRGINIA

1st Legislative District (2 Members)										Write- In Votes
Dickenson	*Orby L. Cantrell (D)	*Ford C. Quillen (D)								5
Lee	3,992	3,459								
Scott	3,956	4,071								
Wise	3,545	4,894								3
Norton	6,399	5,868								6
	604	582								
TOTAL	† 18,496	† 18,874								14
2nd Legislative District (2 Members)										Write- In Votes
Smyth	*Joseph A. Johnson (D)	* W. L. "Bill" Lemmon (D)								
Washington	6,413	7,770								
Bristol	6,554	5,993								
	817	806								
TOTAL	† 13,784	† 14,569								0
3rd Legislative District (2 Members)										Write- In Votes
Buchanan	William F. (Bill) Green (D)	* Donald A. (Don) McGlothlin, Sr. (D)							Ralph W. Hess (R)	
Russell	4,147	4,761							3,578	
Tazewell	5,230	4,736							3,280	
	5,370	5,435							2,932	
TOTAL	† 14,747	† 14,932							11,873	9,790

* 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)				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
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10th Legislative District (1 Member)									Write- In Votes
Allegheny				* William T. "Bill" Wilson (D)				Robert E. (Bob) Thomas, Jr. (R)	
Botetourt				2,874				913	
Clifton Forge				2,886				2,127	
Covington				653				249	
				1,543				566	
TOTAL				† 7,956				3,855	0
11th Legislative District (2 Members)									
Amherst				Gregory W. Smith (D)			Virgil A. Coleman (R)	* S. Vance Wilkins, Jr. (R)	Write- In Votes
Nelson				2,394			2,489	4,059	1
Lynchburg (part of)				1,030			827	1,945	3
				3,859			2,579	4,330	
TOTAL				† 11,481			5,895	† 10,334	4
12th Legislative District (1 Member)									Write- In Votes
Campbell								* Joseph P. (Joe) Crouch (R)	2
Lynchburg (part of)								5,708	
								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	6,862	8,330	3,510	3,874	5
	Patrick	3,441	4,570	1,459	1,255	1
	Pittsylvania	7,262	7,843	5,577	2,455	
	Martinsville	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

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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	2
Winchester				2,918		2,438	1,197	
TOTAL				† 15,652		† 15,589	8,298	2
18th Legislative District (See Page 30)								
19th Legislative District (See Page 30)								

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29th Legislative District (1 Member)										Write- In Votes
Brunswick										
Mecklenburg										
TOTAL				† 6,502						0
30th Legislative District (1 Member)										Write- In Votes
Petersburg										25
TOTAL				† 4,767						25
31st Legislative District (1 Member)										Write- In Votes
Dinwiddie									Joseph M. H. Irby (R)	1
Lunenburg									1,796	1,788
Nottoway									2,461	2,461
TOTAL				† 7,020					6,045	1

* Denotes incumbent

† Denotes members elected

32nd Legislative District (1 Member)										Write-In In Votes
Goochland										2
Louisa				1,389						1
Powhatan				2,850						
Spotsylvania				2,402						1
				5,214						
TOTAL				† 11,855						4
33rd Legislative District (See Page 31)										
34th Legislative District (3 Members)										Write-In In Votes
Henrico									Jane F. Wagner (R)	3
				*						
TOTAL				† 21,819					20,490	3
35th Legislative District (1 Member)										Write-In In Votes
Henrico										John B. Ascher (I)
Richmond City										3,511
										2,565
TOTAL				† 54,974						6,076

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40th Legislative District (3 Members)	* Bernard G. Barrow (D)				W. R. "Buster" O'Brien (R)	Julie L. Smith (R)	Gene A. Wooldard (R)	Write-In Votes
	15,746	16,169	18,159	18,721	13,871	10,157		
	TOTAL.	† 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
		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		8,824				5,234	4
	Portsmouth		6,478				2,918	
Virginia Beach.		17,632					12,730	
TOTAL.			† 32,934				20,882	4
43rd Legislative District (1 Member)			* J. Samuel Glascock (D)					Write-In Votes
	Suffolk		2,721					4
	TOTAL.		† 2,721					4

* Denotes incumbent

† Denotes members elected

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										1
TOTAL										1
46th Legislative District (1 Member)										Write- In Votes
Accomack										
Northampton										
TOTAL										0

* Denotes incumbent

† 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		1
Westmoreland							2,322		
TOTAL							† 9,543		1
48th Legislative District (1 Member)							Harvey B. Morgan (R)		Write- In Votes
Essex							1,123		
Gloucester							4,494		
King & Queen							613		2
King William							1,079		
Mathews							2,075		
Middlesex							1,338		
TOTAL							† 10,722		2
49th Legislative District (3 Members)								M. E. (Max) Simerly (I)	Write- In Votes
Newport News							David L. Short (R)		
TOTAL							11,562		1,675
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* Denotes incumbent

† Denotes members elected

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

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