

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

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



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<b>13th Legislative District</b> (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	
<b>TOTAL. . . . .</b>	<b>† 22,010</b>	<b>† 19,820</b>	<b>† 23,730</b>	<b>12,030</b>	<b>9,338</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>14th Legislative District</b> (1 Member)			* Calvin W. Fowler (D)			Write- In Votes
	Danville . . . . .		7,417			2
	<b>TOTAL. . . . .</b>		<b>† 7,417</b>			<b>2</b>
<b>15th Legislative District</b> (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
<b>TOTAL. . . . .</b>		<b>† 12,803</b>			<b>† 12,686</b>	<b>14</b>

\* 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	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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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		

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† 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	4
Charlottesville . . . . .		5,105	4,877		2,498	2,381	
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	1
Halifax . . . . .			5,128			2,430	2
South Boston . . . . .			1,460			578	
TOTAL . . . . .			† 8,485			4,298	3

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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

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<b>32nd Legislative District</b> (1 Member)											Write- In Votes
Goochland . . . . .											2
Louisa . . . . .											1
Powhatan . . . . .											1
Spotsylvania . . . . .											1
TOTAL . . . . .											4
<b>33rd Legislative District</b> (See Page 31)											
<b>34th Legislative District</b> (3 Members)											Write- In Votes
Henrico . . . . .											3
									Jane F. Wagner (R)	20,490	3
TOTAL . . . . .										20,490	3
<b>35th Legislative District</b> (1 Member)											Write- In Votes
Henrico . . . . .											7
Richmond City . . . . .											7
TOTAL . . . . .											7
									John B. Ascher (I)	3,511 2,565 6,076	7
											7

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

\* Denotes incumbent

† Denotes members elected

<b>40th Legislative District</b> (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)													Write- In Votes
TOTAL. . . . .	15,746	16,169	18,159	18,721	13,871	10,157													0
	15,746	† 16,169	† 18,159	† 18,721	13,871	10,157													
<b>41st Legislative District</b> (2 Members)																			
Portsmouth. . . . .	* Johnny S. Joannou (D)	* L. Cleaves Manning (D)	* J. W. "Billy" O'Brien, Jr. (D)																Write- In Votes
TOTAL. . . . .	6,937	5,618	8,824																22
	† 6,937	† 5,618	6,478																22
			17,632																
<b>42nd Legislative District</b> (1 Member)																			
Chesapeake. . . . .			* J. Samuel Glasscock (D)																Write- In Votes
Portsmouth. . . . .																			4
Virginia Beach. . . . .																			4
TOTAL. . . . .			† 32,934																4
<b>43rd Legislative District</b> (1 Member)																			
Suffolk. . . . .																			Write- In Votes
TOTAL. . . . .			2,721																4
			† 2,721																4

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44th Legislative District (1 Member)	* J. Paul Councill, Jr. (D)	Write- In Votes
Isle of Wight . . . . .	3,819	2
Southampton . . . . .	3,513	
Franklin City . . . . .	745	
TOTAL . . . . .	† 8,077	2
45th Legislative District (1 Member)	* L. Ray Ashworth (D)	Write- In Votes
Charles City . . . . .	862	
Greensville . . . . .	1,542	677
New Kent . . . . .	1,499	936
Surry . . . . .	1,402	557
Sussex . . . . .	2,159	1,229
Emporia . . . . .	950	1,190
TOTAL . . . . .	† 8,414	276
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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<b>50th Legislative District</b> (2 Members)											Write- In Votes
Hampton. . . . .											5
TOTAL. . . . .											5
<b>51st Legislative District</b> (1 Member)											Write- In Votes
James City . . . . .											
York . . . . .											
Poquoson . . . . .											
Williamsburg. . . . .											
TOTAL. . . . .											1
											1
<b>52nd Legislative District</b> (1 Member)											Write- In Votes
James City. . . . .											1
York . . . . .											1
Hampton. . . . .											4
Poquoson . . . . .											
Williamsburg. . . . .											
TOTAL. . . . .											6

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18th Legislative District (5 Members)	Write-In Votes			2	
	Peter W. Scott (R)			23,355	25,476
	John H. Rust, Jr. (R)			23,994	26,730
	*Martin H. Perper (R)			26,029	28,505
	*Vincent F. Callahan, Jr. (R)			32,729	35,981
	John S. Buckley (R)			25,006	27,332
				1,416	
				910	
	Barbara W. Weiss (D)			20,854	23,016
	*Kenneth R. "Ken" Plum (D)			22,697	25,068
	*Dorothy S. McDiarmid (D)			25,097	27,868
	Gary P. Eklund (D)			14,572	16,181
	Dean E. Brundage (D)			18,138	20,220
			1,173		
			909		
TOTAL					

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

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	Write-In Votes		
		40	40
	Alan R. Ogden (I)	3,846	3,846
	Charles E. "Chuck" Walker (R)	16,859	16,859
	E. Hatcher Crenshaw (R)	19,596	19,596
	*Benjamin J. Lambert, III (D)	20,281	20,281
	*Franklin P. "Frank" Hall (D)	26,158	†26,158
	*Walter H. Emroch (D)	23,371	†23,371
	*James S. Christian, Jr. (D)	20,038	†20,038
	*George E. Allen, Jr. (D)	25,587	†25,587
<b>33rd Legislative District (5 Members)</b>			
Richmond City . . . . .			
TOTAL. . . . .			

	Write-In Votes		
		1	1
	John E. Parker (R)	9,219	9,219
	Dawson A. Mills, Jr. (R)	9,232	9,232
	J. Barry Matthews (R)	9,934	9,934
	William H. Long, Jr. (R)	9,397	9,397
	George B. Howe (R)	8,815	8,815
	Elaine Baker Eike (R)	10,417	10,417
	Barry C. Bishop (R)	11,552	11,552
	*Robert E. "Bob" Washington (D)	17,328	†17,328
	*William P. Robinson, Sr. (D)	18,587	†18,587
	*Thomas W. Moss, Jr. (D)	18,304	†18,304
	*George H. Heilig, Jr. (D)	17,699	†17,699
	Edythe C. "Edie" Harrison (D)	17,485	†17,485
	*Evelyn M. Hailey (D)	17,629	†17,629
	Howard E. Copeland (D)	17,217	†17,217
<b>39th Legislative District (7 Members)</b>			
Norfolk. . . . .			
TOTAL. . . . .			

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**OFFICIAL RESULTS  
DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION  
June 12, 1979**

**FOR NOMINATION OF CANDIDATES FOR  
MEMBER, SENATE OF VIRGINIA**

<b>3rd Senatorial District</b> (1 Member)			Wesley C. "Wes" Wilson	* William E. "Bill" Fears
Accomack . . . . .			1,143	3,697
James City . . . . .			782	843
Northampton . . . . .			999	1,029
York . . . . .			677	781
Newport News (part of) . . . . .			748	447
Poquoson . . . . .			81	384
Williamsburg . . . . .			255	180
<b>TOTAL . . . . .</b>			<b>4,685</b>	<b>† 7,361</b>
<b>15th Senatorial District</b> (1 Member)			* J. Lewis Rawls, Jr.	Richard J. Holland
Dinwiddie . . . . .			473	751
Greensville . . . . .			559	495
Isle of Wight . . . . .			786	2,354
Southampton . . . . .			1,451	1,798
Emporia . . . . .			253	222
Franklin City . . . . .			380	533
Petersburg (part of) . . . . .			20	69
Suffolk (part of) . . . . .			3,502	1,781
<b>TOTAL . . . . .</b>			<b>7,424</b>	<b>† 8,003</b>
<b>33rd Senatorial District</b> (1 Member)			* Charles L. Waddell	Raymond E. Vickery, Jr.
Fairfax County (part of) . . . . .			1,775	2,800
Loudoun . . . . .			4,101	981
<b>TOTAL . . . . .</b>			<b>† 5,876</b>	<b>3,781</b>
<b>35th Senatorial District</b> (1 Member)			Richard L. Saslaw	Jean R. Packard
Fairfax County (part of) . . . . .			2,653	1,761
<b>TOTAL . . . . .</b>			<b>† 2,653</b>	<b>1,761</b>

\* Denotes incumbent

† Denotes candidate nominated