

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
OF THE
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and
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SPECIAL ELECTIONS
November 6, 1979

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



Compiled From Official Records By

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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										
Nottoway										
TOTAL										1

* Lewis W. Parker, Jr.
(D)

* Norman Sisisky
(D)

R. Beasley Jones
(D)

Joseph M. H. Irby
(R)

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

* J. Paul
Councill, Jr.
(D)

3,819
3,513
745

† 8,077

* L. Ray
Ashworth
(D)

862
1,542
1,499
1,402
2,159
950

† 8,414

* Robert S.
Bloxom
(R)

6,433
1,999

† 8,432

James W.
Johnson
(I)

677
936
557
1,229
1,190
276

4,865

* Denotes incumbent

† Denotes members elected

									* Calvin G. Sanford (R)	Write-In Votes
47th Legislative District (1 Member)										
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)										
Newport News	* Alan A. Diamondstein (D)	*Theodore V. Morrison, Jr. (D)	*Robert C. (Bobby) Scott (D)	Boyd M. Sears, Jr. (D)				David L. Short (R)	M. E. (Max) Simerly (I)	Write-In Votes
	17,988	18,222	15,412	908						
TOTAL	† 17,988	† 18,222	† 15,412	1,608				11,562	1,675	0
				1,143						
				1,578						
				885						
				1,347						
				7,469						

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes members elected

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

* Denotes incumbent

† Denotes members elected

18th Legislative District (5 Members)				Write-In Votes	2	
				Peter W. Scott (R)	23,355 1,302 819	25,476
				John H. Rust, Jr. (R)	23,994 1,933 803	26,730
				*Martin H. Perper (R)	26,029 1,514 962	28,505
				*Vincent F. Callahan, Jr. (R)	32,729 2,016 1,236	35,981
				John S. Buckley (R)	25,006 1,416 910	27,332
				Barbara W. Weiss (D)	20,854 1,263 899	23,016
				*Kenneth R. "Ken" Plum (D)	22,697 1,472 899	25,068
				*Dorothy S. McDiarmid (D)	25,097 1,714 1,057	27,868
				Gary P. Eklund (D)	14,572 957 652	16,181
			Dean E. Brundage (D)	18,138 1,173 909	20,220	
			TOTAL		2	

19th Legislative District (5 Members)				Write-In Votes	7	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		7	

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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
33rd Legislative District (5 Members)			
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
39th Legislative District (7 Members)			
Norfolk.			
TOTAL.			

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

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

3rd Senatorial District (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
TOTAL			4,685	† 7,361
15th Senatorial District (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
TOTAL			7,424	† 8,003
33rd Senatorial District (1 Member)			* Charles L. Waddell	Raymond E. Vickery, Jr.
Fairfax County (part of)			1,775	2,800
Loudoun			4,101	981
TOTAL			† 5,876	3,781
35th Senatorial District (1 Member)			Richard L. Saslaw	Jean R. Packard
Fairfax County (part of)			2,653	1,761
TOTAL			† 2,653	1,761

* Denotes incumbent

† Denotes candidate nominated

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

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

34th Senatorial District (1 Member)			John M. Thoburn	Cynthia S. Newman
Fairfax County (part of)			1,714	1,466
Fairfax City			329	267
TOTAL			† 2,043	1,733
35th Senatorial District (1 Member)	James R. Tate	William P. (Bill) Whalen, Jr.	Richard W. Calvert	Robert J. Murrin
Fairfax County (part of)	3,745	318	154	1,808
TOTAL	† 3,745	318	154	1,808

† Denotes candidate nominated

21st Legislative District (2 Members)	Joseph M. Guiffre	1,696		Denny Pat Dobbins	1,277		Howard E. Copeland	5,776
Alexandria	Nancy D. Bennett	1,941		* Frederick H. Creekmore	4,407		Robert L. Stern	4,102
TOTAL		† 1,941			† 4,407			4,102
38th Legislative District (2 Members)	Bernard S. Cohen	1,812		V. Thomas Forehand, Jr.	4,371		Edythe C. "Edie" Harrison	5,845
		† 1,812			† 4,371		Nettie S. Trimyer	5,471
							* Robert E. "Bob" Washington	7,429
							* William P. Robinson, Sr.	9,000
							* Thomas W. Moss, Jr.	7,605
							* George H. Heilig, Jr.	7,478
							* Evelyn M. Hailey	7,684
Chesapeake								† 7,684
TOTAL								
39th Legislative District (7 Members)								
Norfolk								
TOTAL								

* Denotes incumbent
† Denotes candidates nominated