

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA  
STATEMENT OF THE VOTE CAST  
FOR  
MEMBERS OF THE SENATE  
THE  
HOUSE OF DELEGATES  
AND  
SUPERVISORS OF CERTAIN SOIL  
CONSERVATION DISTRICTS  
IN THE  
GENERAL ELECTION  
HELD TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1955



COMPILED FROM OFFICIAL RECORDS BY  
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OF VIRGINIA FOR MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES IN  
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Accomack .....	Melvin L. Shreves.....	1,518
Accomack .....	Howard H. Adams.....	1,302
Northampton .....	Howard H. Adams.....	417
		1,719
Albemarle .....	E. C. Compton.....	721
Greene .....	E. C. Compton.....	677
		1,399
Greene .....	Scattering Vote.....	1
Charlottesville .....	Henry B. Gordon.....	451
Alexandria .....	James M. Thomson.....	3,685
Alexandria .....	Stuyvesant B. Wright.....	1,635
Alleghany .....	H. Ray Webber.....	1,623
Clifton Forge .....	H. Ray Webber.....	291
Covington .....	H. Ray Webber.....	2,410
		4,324
Alleghany .....	Scattering Votes.....	2
Covington .....	Scattering Votes.....	1
		3
Amelia .....	C. M. Waldrop.....	775
Powhatan .....	C. M. Waldrop.....	800
Nottoway .....	C. M. Waldrop.....	639
		2,214
Amherst .....	Earle M. Brown.....	781
Lynchburg .....	Earle M. Brown.....	1,739
		2,520
Arlington .....	Harrison Mann.....	13,235
Arlington .....	Kathryn H. Stone.....	11,847
Arlington .....	Francis Browne.....	6,293

**STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST—Continued**

Arlington	J. Fuller Groom	6,724
Arlington	Charles O. Pratt	7,204
Arlington	William L. Winston	11,567
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Augusta	George M. Cochran	2,191
Highland	George M. Cochran	697
Staunton	George M. Cochran	1,986
Waynesboro	George M. Cochran	1,199
		6,073
Augusta	Felix E. Edmunds	1,978
Highland	Felix E. Edmunds	633
Staunton	Felix E. Edmunds	1,752
Waynesboro	Felix E. Edmunds	1,290
		5,653
Augusta	Scattering Votes	5
Staunton	Scattering Votes	12
Waynesboro	Scattering Votes	28
		45
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Bedford	Charles E. Green, Jr.	2,639
Bedford	Scattering Votes	2
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Bland	M. C. Newton	1,472
Giles	M. C. Newton	3,549
		5,021
Bland	Thomas Spangler	34
Giles	Thomas Spangler	45
		79
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Botetourt	John M. Peck, Jr.	2,013
Craig	John M. Peck, Jr.	572
		2,585
Botetourt	Ray E. Firestone	1,568
Craig	Ray E. Firestone	504
		2,072
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Brunswick	R. Maclin Smith	889
Lunenburg	R. Maclin Smith	466
		1,355
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**STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST—Continued**

Buchanan .....	Vernon C. Smith.....	4,330
Buchanan .....	Bascom Ray.....	2,585
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Buchanan .....	W. H. McFarland.....	4,300
Dickenson .....	W. H. McFarland.....	4,386
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Buchanan .....	Remire Sutherland.....	2,372
Dickenson .....	Remire Sutherland.....	3,169
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Buckingham .....	John B. Boatwright.....	398
Appomattox .....	John B. Boatwright.....	659
Cumberland .....	John B. Boatwright.....	514
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Cumberland .....	Scattering Votes.....	2
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Campbell .....	L. R. Thompson.....	1,440
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Caroline .....	Paul W. Manns.....	1,269
King George .....	Paul W. Manns.....	667
Essex .....	Paul W. Manns.....	518
King and Queen .....	Paul W. Manns.....	643
<hr/>		3,097
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Carroll .....	Joseph E. Proffit.....	3,277
Floyd .....	Joseph E. Proffit.....	1,789
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Charles City .....	Russell M. Carneal.....	755
James City .....	Russell M. Carneal.....	481
New Kent .....	Russell M. Carneal.....	678
York .....	Russell M. Carneal.....	959
Williamsburg .....	Russell M. Carneal.....	343
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Williamsburg .....	Scattering Vote.....	1
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Charlotte .....	John H. Daniel.....	489
Prince Edward .....	John H. Daniel.....	1,639
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**STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST—Continued**

Chesterfield .....	Edward M. Hudgins.....	1,508
Colonial Heights .....	Edward M. Hudgins.....	55
		1,563
Chesterfield .....	Minetree Folkes, Jr.....	1,477
Henrico .....	Minetree Folkes, Jr.....	6,618
Colonial Heights .....	Minetree Folkes, Jr.....	52
		8,147
Clarke .....	E. Blackburn Moore.....	740
Frederick .....	E. Blackburn Moore.....	1,119
Winchester .....	E. Blackburn Moore.....	415
		2,274
Winchester .....	Scattering Vote.....	1
Danville .....	C. Stuart Wheatley.....	811
Hampton .....	E. Ralph James.....	1,401
Hampton .....	Scattering Votes.....	9
Fairfax .....	John C. Webb.....	11,412
Falls Church .....	John C. Webb.....	662
		12,074
Fairfax .....	Omer L. Hirst.....	9,905
Falls Church .....	Omer L. Hirst.....	638
		10,543
Fairfax .....	John H. Shultz.....	7,147
Falls Church .....	John L. Shultz.....	358
		7,505
Fairfax .....	Kendall K. Hoyt.....	6,385
Falls Church .....	Kendall K. Hoyt.....	319
		6,704
Fauquier .....	Tom Frost.....	549
Rappahannock .....	Tom Frost.....	675
		1,224
Fauquier .....	Scattering Votes.....	2

**STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST—Continued**

Fluvanna .....	Harold H. Purcell.....	1,081
Goochland .....	Harold H. Purcell.....	1,047
Louisa .....	Harold H. Purcell.....	2,262
		4,390
Louisa .....	Scattering Votes.....	5
Franklin .....	W. A. Alexander.....	2,960
Gloucester .....	John Warren Cooke.....	652
Mathews .....	John Warren Cooke.....	929
Middlesex .....	John Warren Cooke.....	993
		2,574
Mathews .....	Scattering Votes.....	3
Grayson .....	M. G. Cox.....	3,607
Galax .....	M. G. Cox.....	589
		4,196
Grayson .....	J. C. Moxley.....	3,811
Galax .....	J. C. Moxley.....	520
		4,331
Greensville .....	George L. Munford.....	1,010
Sussex .....	George L. Munford.....	928
		1,938
Halifax .....	Roy B. Davis.....	1,060
Halifax .....	Scattering Votes.....	2
Hanover .....	Claiborne D. Gregory.....	1,209
King William .....	Claiborne D. Gregory.....	904
		2,113
Hanover .....	Scattering Votes.....	11
Henrico .....	Joseph J. Williams, Jr.....	5,607
Henrico .....	Leo O. Whitlow.....	2,711
Henry .....	W. F. Carter.....	3,542
Patrick .....	W. F. Carter.....	1,713
Martinsville .....	W. F. Carter.....	497
		5,752

**STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST—Continued**

Henry .....	William F. Stone.....	3,179
Patrick .....	William F. Stone.....	1,509
Martinsville .....	William F. Stone.....	475
		5,163
Isle of Wight .....	Shirley T. Holland.....	1,439
Nansemond .....	Shirley T. Holland.....	2,261
Suffolk .....	Shirley T. Holland.....	281
		3,981
Northumberland .....	W. Tayloe Murphy.....	1,208
Westmoreland .....	W. Tayloe Murphy.....	442
Lancaster .....	W. Tayloe Murphy.....	1,546
Richmond .....	W. Tayloe Murphy.....	269
		3,465
Westmoreland .....	Scattering Votes.....	2
Newport News .....	Charles K. Hutchens.....	916
Lee .....	H. Clyde Pearson.....	4,299
Lee .....	W. A. Keith.....	2,492
Loudoun .....	Lucas D. Phillips.....	1,101
Loudoun .....	Scattering Votes.....	2
Lynchburg .....	Joseph E. Blackburn.....	1,837
Madison .....	Norman C. Bailey.....	596
Culpeper .....	Norman C. Bailey.....	1,141
Orange .....	Norman C. Bailey.....	662
		2,399
Culpeper .....	Scattering Vote.....	1
Mecklenburg .....	C. William Cleaton.....	672
Montgomery .....	John L. Whitehead.....	3,224
Radford .....	John L. Whitehead.....	2,037
		5,261
Montgomery .....	John W. Poff.....	2,901
Radford .....	John W. Poff.....	599
		3,500

**STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST—Continued**

Nansemond .....	Willis E. Cohoon.....	2,300
Suffolk .....	Willis E. Cohoon.....	298
		2,598
Nelson .....	Robert Whitehead.....	618
Amherst .....	Robert Whitehead.....	750
		1,368
Norfolk County .....	Charles B. Cross, Jr.....	3,266
South Norfolk .....	Charles B. Cross, Jr.....	841
		4,107
Norfolk County .....	Wilbur T. Leary.....	3,328
South Norfolk .....	Wilbur T. Leary.....	816
		4,144
Norfolk County .....	Scattering Votes.....	5
South Norfolk .....	Scattering Vote.....	1
		6
Norfolk City .....	Delamater Davis.....	1,554
Norfolk City .....	James W. Roberts.....	1,570
Norfolk City .....	Theodore C. Pilcher.....	1,546
Norfolk City .....	John F. Rixey.....	1,542
Norfolk City .....	Toy D. Savage, Jr.....	1,539
Norfolk City .....	John P. Harper.....	1,559
Page .....	Charles D. Price.....	3,092
Warren .....	Charles D. Price.....	612
		3,704
Page .....	Scattering Votes.....	2
Warren .....	Scattering Votes.....	1
		3
Petersburg .....	W. Roy Smith.....	441
Dinwiddie .....	W. Roy Simth.....	440
		881
Petersburg .....	Arthur H. Richardson.....	397
Dinwiddie .....	Arthur H. Richardson.....	497
		894



**STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST—Continued**

Petersburg	Scattering Votes	3
Dinwiddie	Scattering Vote	1
		4
Pittsylvania	Lindsey L. Moore	1,928
Pittsylvania	Randall O. Reynolds	1,901
Pittsylvania	Scattering Votes	2
Portsmouth	John A. MacKenzie	2,891
Portsmouth	Willard J. Moody	2,889
Portsmouth	S. Edward Blair	859
Portsmouth	Scattering Votes	3
Prince George	Paris I. Leadbetter	299
Surry	Paris I. Leadbetter	480
Hopewell	Paris I. Leadbetter	1,638
		2,417
Hopewell	Scattering Votes	4
Princess Anne	Harry B. Davis	1,564
Virginia Beach	Harry B. Davis	403
		1,967
Prince William	Frank P. Moncure	1,759
Stafford	Frank P. Moncure	1,336
		3,095
Stafford	Scattering Votes	7
Pulaski	Garnett S. Moore	2,694
Pulaski	Howard R. Imboden	2,244
Richmond	George E. Allen, Jr.	11,083
Richmond	FitzGerald Bemiss	11,801
Richmond	E. Tucker Carlton	11,665
Richmond	Edward E. Lane	11,446
Richmond	Fred G. Pollard	11,622
Richmond	W. Griffith Purcell	11,939
Richmond	J. Randolph Tucker	11,725
Richmond	William P. Hanson	6,400
Richmond	Scattering Votes	89
Roanoke County	Nelson R. Thurman	3,900
Roanoke County	W. Byron Gochenour	2,776

**STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST—Continued**

Roanoke City	Kossen Gregory	7,337
Roanoke City	Julian H. Rutherford, Jr.	7,068
Roanoke City	Hazel K. Barger	6,180
Roanoke City	A. Linwood Holton, Jr.	6,745
Roanoke City	Scattering Votes	3
Rockbridge	Baldwin G. Locher	1,806
Bath	Baldwin G. Locher	894
Buena Vista	Baldwin G. Locher	103
		2,803
Rockbridge	Scattering Vote	1
Rockingham	Lawrence H. Hoover	3,329
Harrisonburg	Lawrence H. Hoover	1,650
		4,979
Rockingham	Charles W. Wampler, Jr.	3,399
Harrisonburg	Charles W. Wampler, Jr.	1,568
		4,967
Russell	Dr. W. C. Elliot	5,561
Scott	Dr. Conley E. Greear	5,086
Shenandoah	V. S. Shaffer	3,728
Smyth	Brodie Thompson	2,590
Smyth	W. Ray Rouse	3,556
Southampton	S. E. Pope	706
Spotsylvania	Francis B. Gouldman	1,522
Fredericksburg	Francis B. Gouldman	484
		2,006
Spotsylvania	Jesse J. Stubbs	539
Tazewell	Dr. Jack W. Witten	4,926
Warwick	Lewis A. McMurren, Jr.	608
Newport News	Lewis A. McMurren, Jr.	866
		1,474

**STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST—Continued**

Washington .....	Fred C. Buck.....	3,990
Bristol .....	Fred C. Buck.....	882
		4,872
Washington .....	Stuart Carter.....	3,533
Bristol .....	Stuart Carter.....	958
		4,491
Washington .....	W. Fred Callihan.....	3,125
Bristol .....	W. Fred Callihan.....	234
		3,359
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Wise .....	Orby L. Cantrell.....	6,361
Norton .....	Orby L. Cantrell.....	523
		6,884
Wise .....	J. L. Camblos.....	5,748
Norton .....	J. L. Camblos.....	554
		6,302
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Wythe .....	Nat W. Pendleton.....	4,558
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Warwick .....	George H. Hill.....	657
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**STATEMENT OF THE VOTE CAST IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA FOR SUPERVISORS IN THE FOLLOWING SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICTS IN THE GENERAL ELECTION HELD TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1955**

**NORTHERN NECK SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT**

Counties	Flowers	Muse	Delano	Flemer
Lancaster .....	397	214	230	
Northumberland .....	876	796	957	
Richmond .....	162	161	228	
Westmoreland .....	285	336	298	2
Total .....	1720	1507	1713	2

Counties of Lancaster, Northumberland, Richmond and Westmoreland: Supervisors of Northern Neck Soil Conservation District: H. E. Flowers, Robert B. Delano, and Leonard A. Muse.

**SHENANDOAH VALLEY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT**

Counties	Blose	Flory	Graves	Scattering Votes
Augusta .....	1619	2105	1595	22
Page .....	729	681	1357	
Rockingham .....	2724	1493	1420	
Total .....	5072	4279	4372	22

Counties of Augusta, Page and Rockingham: Supervisors of Shenandoah Valley Soil Conservation District: Lloyd C. Blose, Robert A. Graves, and E. D. Flory.

**ROBERT E. LEE SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT**

Counties	Beasley	Gannaway	Calohan	Cole
Amherst .....	192	317	315	281
Buckingham .....	245	369	89	221
Appomattox .....	152	268	224	380
Campbell .....	234	504	1112	539
Cumberland .....	593	498	262	404
Total .....	1416	1956	2002	1825

Counties of Amherst, Buckingham, Appomattox, Campbell and Cumberland: Supervisors of Robert E. Lee Soil Conservation District: W. E. Calohan, R. W. Gannaway and John C. Cole.

**STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST—Continued**

**NEW RIVER SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT**

Counties	Puckett	Richardson	Sowers
Carroll .....	2191	2059	1835
Floyd .....	757	749	1316
Grayson .....	1034	1908	994
Patrick .....	970	943	990
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>4952</b>	<b>5659</b>	<b>5135</b>

Counties of Carroll, Floyd, Grayson and Patrick: Supervisors of New River Soil Conservation District: E. J. Richardson, James Sowers, and P. E. Puckett.

**JAMES RIVER SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT**

Counties	McKesson	Mistr	Williams
Chesterfield .....	1595	1312	1318
Prince George .....	242	249	287
Henrico .....	4504	6319	4458
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>6341</b>	<b>7880</b>	<b>6063</b>

Counties of Chesterfield, Prince George, and Henrico: Supervisors of James River Soil Conservation District: George A. McKesson, Alvin Mistr, and James E. Williams.

**PEANUT SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT**

Counties	James	Cobb	Felton
Isle of Wight .....	697	834	702
Nansemond .....	1797	1792	2236
Surry .....	210	190	186
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>2704</b>	<b>2816</b>	<b>3124</b>

Counties of Isle of Wight, Nansemond and Surry: Supervisors of Peanut Soil Conservation District: Ed. L. Felton, W. M. Cobb, and H. Lane James.

**DANIEL BOONE SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT**

County	Flanary	Hyatt	Orr	Pace
Lee .....	2948	2393	2338	1675

Lee County: Supervisors of Daniel Boone Soil Conservation District: Curtis Flanary, R. D. Hyatt, and Robert S. Orr, Sr.

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**CLINCH VALLEY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT**

<b>County</b>	<b>Meade</b>	<b>Barrett</b>	<b>Gray</b>	<b>Musick</b>
<b>Russell .....</b>	<b>1334</b>	<b>1250</b>	<b>1362</b>	<b>912</b>

**Russell County: Supervisors of Clinch Valley Soil Conservation District:  
John Meade, Jr., Cecil Barrett and Donald D. Gray.**

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