

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



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DIVISION OF PURCHASE AND PRINTING  
1955

**STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST—Continued**

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|----------------------|-------------------------|-------|
| 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 |
| <hr/>                |                         | 8,686 |
| Buchanan .....       | Remire Sutherland.....  | 2,372 |
| Dickenson .....      | Remire Sutherland.....  | 3,169 |
| <hr/>                |                         | 5,541 |
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| Buckingham .....     | John B. Boatwright..... | 398   |
| Appomattox .....     | John B. Boatwright..... | 659   |
| Cumberland .....     | John B. Boatwright..... | 514   |
| <hr/>                |                         | 1,571 |
| Cumberland .....     | Scattering Votes.....   | 2     |
| <hr/>                |                         |       |
| 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 |
| <hr/>                |                         | 5,066 |
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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   |
| <hr/>                |                         | 3,216 |
| Williamsburg .....   | Scattering Vote.....    | 1     |
| <hr/>                |                         |       |
| Charlotte .....      | John H. Daniel.....     | 489   |
| Prince Edward .....  | John H. Daniel.....     | 1,639 |
| <hr/>                |                         | 2,128 |
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**STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST—Continued**

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|------------------------|--------------------------|--------|
| 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**

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|----------------------|--------------------------|-------|
| 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 |

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|----------------------|---------------------------|-------|
| 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   |

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|----------------------|--------------------------|--------|
| Petersburg .....     | Scattering Votes.....    | 3      |
| Dinwiddie .....      | Scattering Vote.....     | 1      |
|                      |                          | 4      |
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| Pittsylvania .....   | Lindsey L. Moore.....    | 1,928  |
| Pittsylvania .....   | Randall O. Reynolds..... | 1,901  |
| Pittsylvania .....   | Scattering Votes.....    | 2      |
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| Portsmouth .....     | John A. MacKenzie.....   | 2,891  |
| Portsmouth .....     | Willard J. Moody.....    | 2,889  |
| Portsmouth .....     | S. Edward Blair.....     | 859    |
| Portsmouth .....     | Scattering Votes.....    | 3      |
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| Prince George .....  | Paris I. Leadbetter..... | 299    |
| Surry .....          | Paris I. Leadbetter..... | 480    |
| Hopewell .....       | Paris I. Leadbetter..... | 1,638  |
|                      |                          | 2,417  |
| Hopewell .....       | Scattering Votes.....    | 4      |
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| Princess Anne .....  | Harry B. Davis.....      | 1,564  |
| Virginia Beach ..... | Harry B. Davis.....      | 403    |
|                      |                          | 1,967  |
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| Prince William ..... | Frank P. Moncure.....    | 1,759  |
| Stafford .....       | Frank P. Moncure.....    | 1,336  |
|                      |                          | 3,095  |
| Stafford .....       | Scattering Votes.....    | 7      |
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| Pulaski .....        | Garnett S. Moore.....    | 2,694  |
| Pulaski .....        | Howard R. Imboden.....   | 2,244  |
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| 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     |
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| Roanoke County ..... | Nelson R. Thurman.....   | 3,900  |
| Roanoke County ..... | W. Byron Gochenour.....  | 2,776  |
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|----------------|---------------------------|-------|
| 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. McMurrin, Jr.    | 608   |
| Newport News   | Lewis A. McMurrin, Jr.    | 866   |
|                |                           | 1,474 |



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|------------------|-----------------------|-------|
| 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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**RICHMOND, VIRGINIA**

**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<br>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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