

State of Vermont

**Historical Results  
for State Senate and State  
Representative Primaries**

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OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE  
For Representative District Rutland - Windsor  
Primary Election, September 10, 1996

SECRETARY OF STATE  
SEP 10 1996

In accordance with 17 V.S.A. §§ 2368-2371, we have met and canvassed the returns of votes for major party nominations for the Office of State Representative cast at the September 10, 1996 Primary Election as filed with us. For nomination of State Representative, the following results were tallied (write additional write-ins on back please):

Democratic

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): (mark winners with asterisk (*) please)	*Gail Holmes	119
	_____	_____
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		119
Write-ins:	Ira Pike	7
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		126

Liberty Union

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): (mark winners with asterisk (*) please)	None	0
	_____	_____
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		0
Write-ins:	Gail Holmes	1
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		1

Republican

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): (mark winners with asterisk (*) please)	*Ira Pike	175
	_____	_____
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		175
Write-ins:	Bill Geno (1), Gail Holmes (2), Peter Hall (1) Ted Pratt (1).	5
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		180

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September \_\_\_\_, 1996.

*Donald Meyer*  
Donald Meyer Town Clerk

*Roberta Janoski*  
Roberta Janoski Other Election Official

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**OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE**  
For Representative District Washington -1  
Primary Election, September 10, 1996

In accordance with 17 V.S.A §§ 2368-2371, we have met and canvassed the returns of votes for major party nominations for the Office of State Representative cast at the September 10, 1996 Primary Election as filed with us. For nomination of State Representative, the following results were tallied:



		<b>Democratic</b>	
		Name	Votes received:
Candidate(s): [Mark winners with asterisk (*) please]		<u>*Kathy R. Beyer</u>	<u>110</u>
		<u>*Alan H. Weiss</u>	<u>122</u>
	<b>TOTAL:</b>		<u>232</u>

Write-ins:		<u>Paul Knox</u>	<u>3</u>
		<u>Dale Atwood</u>	<u>2</u>
	<b>TOTAL:</b>		<u>5</u>

		<b>Liberty Union</b>	
		Name	Votes received:
Candidate(s): [Mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	<b>TOTAL:</b>		<u>0</u>

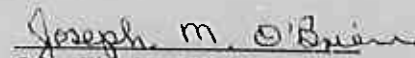
Write-ins:	<b>TOTAL:</b>		<u>0</u>
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		<b>Republican</b>	
		Name	Votes received:
Candidate(s): [Mark winners with asterisk (*) please]		<u>*Linda "Lin" Christian</u>	<u>133</u>
		<u>*Paul B. Knox</u>	<u>215</u>
	<b>TOTAL:</b>		<u>348</u>

Write-ins:		<u>Alan Weiss</u>	<u>8</u>
		<u>Kathy Beyer</u>	<u>6</u>
		<u>Mike Popowski</u>	<u>1</u>
		<u>Deb Pearson</u>	<u>1</u>
	<b>TOTAL:</b>		<u>16</u>

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September 13, 1996.

  
Town Clerk

  
Other Election Official

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OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE  
For Representative District WASH-2  
Primary Election, September 10, 1996

SECRETARY OF STATE

In accordance with 17 V.S.A. §§ 2368-2371, we have met and canvassed the returns of votes for major party nominations for the Office of State Representative cast at the September 10, 1996 Primary Election as filed with us. For nomination of State Representative, the following results were tallied (write additional write-ins on back please):

Democratic

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	* ELAINE ALFANO	157
	* DONNY OSMAN	163
TOTAL:		
Write-ins: SEE OVER/CONTINUED	ANDY CHRISTIANSEN	1
	DAVE HUDSON	3
TOTAL:		
	other write-ins	4
	Total	328

Liberty Union

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	NONE	
TOTAL:		
Write-ins:		
TOTAL:		

Republican

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	* DAVE HUDSON	190
	* ERNEST "TOOKIE" McDONALD	127
TOTAL:		
Write-ins: SEE OVER/CONTINUED	CLAUDIA BRISTOW	1
	ANDY CHRISTIANSEN	1
TOTAL:		
	other write-ins	5
	Total	324

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September 13, 1996.

*Angela M. Josi*  
Town Clerk

*Robert H. Morse*  
Other Election Official

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DEMOCRATIC  
CONTINUED  
WRITE-INS:

VOTES RECEIVED

ERNEST MCDONALD	1
BERNIE SANDERS	2
NORMAN ETKIND	1

REPUBLICAN

WRITE INS CONTINUED:

VOTES RECEIVED

ELAINE ALFLANO	2
DONNY OSMAN	1
LOIS BURNHAM	1
GEORGE ORTON	1

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**OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE  
For Representative District Washington - 3  
Primary Election, September 10, 1996**

SECRETARY OF STATE  
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In accordance with 17 V.S.A. §§ 2368-2371, we have met and canvassed the returns of votes for major party nominations for the Office of State Representative cast at the September 10, 1996 Primary Election as filed with us. For nomination of State Representative, the following results were tallied (write additional write-ins on back please):

**Democratic**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): (mark winners with asterisk (*) please)	<u>*Richard Breen</u>	<u>78</u>
	<u>*John Paterson</u>	<u>83</u>
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		<u>161</u>
Write-ins:	<u>Thomas Koch</u>	<u>10</u>
	<u>Henry Gray</u>	<u>4</u>
TOTAL:	<u>Fredrick Cook</u>	<u>1</u>
		<u>176</u>

**Liberty Union**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): (mark winners with asterisk (*) please)	_____	<u>0</u>
	_____	_____
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		_____
Write-ins:	_____	_____
TOTAL:	_____	_____

**Republican**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): (mark winners with asterisk (*) please)	<u>*Henry L. Gray</u>	<u>185</u>
	<u>*Thomas E. Koch</u>	<u>184</u>
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		<u>369</u>
Write-ins:	<u>John Paterson</u>	<u>5</u>
	<u>Richard Breen</u>	<u>3</u>
TOTAL:	<u>William (Jack) Mitchell</u>	<u>1</u>
		<u>378</u>

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September 11, 1996.

*Ruth A. Linn*  
Town Clerk

*William E. Osborne*  
Other Election Official

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**OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE**

For Representative District 4-1  
Primary Election, September 10, 1996

In accordance with 17 V.S.A. §§ 2358-2371, we have met and canvassed the returns of votes for major party nominations for the Office of State Representative cast at the September 10, 1996 Primary Election as filed with us. For nomination of State Representative, the following results were tallied (write additional write-ins on back please):

**Democratic**

Candidate(s): (mark winners with asterisk (*) please)	Name	Votes Received:
	** PAUL POIRIER	
	John Nicholls write in	46
	Jim Andrews write in	2
	_____	1
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		_____
Write-ins:		58
TOTAL:		_____

**Liberty Union**

Candidate(s): (mark winners with asterisk (*) please)	Name	Votes Received:
	_____	0
	_____	_____
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		_____
Write-ins:		_____
TOTAL:		_____

**Republican**

Candidate(s): (mark winners with asterisk (*) please)	Name	Votes Received:
	David Ayer	16
	Allen DeForge	32
	* John P. Nicholls	142
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		_____
Write-ins:	Paul Poirier	2
	spoiled/blanks	11
TOTAL:		203

I completed the canvass of votes for this office on September 11, 1996.

*Eugene G. Stratten*  
Town Clerk

*L. Kermon Thygerson*  
Other Election Official

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OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE  
For Representative District 4-2  
Primary Election, September 10, 1996

SECRETARY OF STATE  
Elections and Administration

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Democratic

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	* <u>Oreste V. Valsangiacomo Sr.</u>	<u>106</u>
	<u>Write in Ruth Towne</u>	<u>5</u>
TOTAL:		
Write-ins:	<u>McKern / Anthony / Warner / Collins</u>	<u>5</u>
	<u>M. Valsangiacomo - 1 each</u>	<u>116</u>
TOTAL:	<u>Blank - 116</u>	<u>232</u>

Liberty Union

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	<u>24 Blanks</u>	
TOTAL:		
Write-ins:		
TOTAL:		<u>24</u>

Republican

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	* <u>Eleanor Collier</u>	<u>82</u>
	* <u>Ruth Towne</u>	<u>125</u>
	<u>Oreste Valsangiacomo - write in</u>	<u>4</u>
TOTAL:		
Write-ins:	<u>Paul Collier</u>	<u>3</u>
	<u>Bob Merchant</u>	<u>3</u>
TOTAL:	<u>John Medella</u> <u>Blank 98</u>	<u>98</u>
		<u>312</u>

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September \_\_\_\_, 1996.

Wendy B. Hartman  
Town Clerk

Deanna M. Maloney  
Other Election Official

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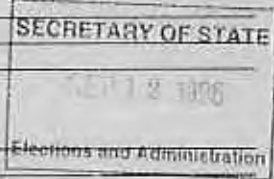
**OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE**  
**For Representative District Washington 5**  
**Primary Election, September 10, 1996**

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**Democratic**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	Francis K. Brooks *	206
	Karen B. Kitzmiller *	191
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		397
Write-ins:	Daniel Gates	1
	Dorothy Hayden	3
	Joseph Blakely	1
TOTAL:		4
Write-ins:	Fred Lee	1
	Polly Young	1
	Melissa Sthender      Liberty Union	1
	Douglas Benson	1
		1 Total 409

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	None	_____
	_____	_____
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		_____
Write-ins:	_____	_____
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		_____



**Republican**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	Dorothy Hayden *	215
	_____	_____
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		215
Write-ins:	Fred Cook	9
	Mark Berry	1
	Sheldon Prentice	1
TOTAL:	Brad Aldrich      --Over--	1
		Total 247

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September 11, 1996.

*Charlotte L. Hoyt*  
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 Town Clerk

*Stephen M. ...*  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Election Official

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Republican Write-Ins

Meri Nielsen	1
Francis Brooks	5
Robert Bannon	1
Jack Lindley	1
Betty Bowers	1
Rebecca Sheppard	1
John Turner	1
Karen Kitzmiller	1
Edson McKee	1
Lucy Nichol	1
Pam Sweeney	1
Fred Lee	1
Jo Romano	1
Robin Cappacino	1
Mike Yantachka	1
Merry Neilsen	1

Washington - Addison  
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OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE  
For Representative District Addison-Washington  
Primary Election, September 10, 1996



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Democratic

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): (mark winners with asterisk (*) please)	Charles (Randy) Taplin*	51
	_____	_____
	_____	_____
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		_____
Write-ins:	Bruce Hyde	4
	Rupert Blair	2
	Lisa Loomis	1
TOTAL:		_____

Liberty Union

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): (mark winners with asterisk (*) please)	---	_____
	_____	_____
	_____	_____
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		_____
Write-ins:	_____	_____
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		_____

Republican

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): (mark winners with asterisk (*) please)	Bruce Hyde *	74
	_____	_____
	_____	_____
	_____	_____
TOTAL:		_____
Write-ins:	Charles Taplin	3
	Rupert Blair	1
	Ted Larock	1
TOTAL:		_____

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September 13, 1996.

*A. Angela Heile*  
Town Clerk

*John Smith*  
Other Election Official

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OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE  
For Representative District Washington-Chittenden 1  
Primary Election, September 10, 1996

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**Democratic**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	* <u>Val Vincent</u> _____ _____ _____	<u>224</u> _____ _____ _____
TOTAL:		_____
Write-ins:	<u>Karen Steele</u> <u>Robin Luarn</u>	<u>9</u> <u>1</u>
TOTAL:		_____

**Liberty Union**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	_____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____
TOTAL:		_____
Write-ins:	<u>Val Vincent</u> <u>Bernie Sanders</u>	<u>2</u> <u>1</u>
TOTAL:		_____

**Republican**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	* <u>Karen Steele</u> _____ _____ _____	<u>210</u> _____ _____ _____
TOTAL:		_____
Write-ins:	<u>Val Vincent</u> <u>Everett Goffey</u> <u>Roger Fraser</u>	<u>6</u> <u>2</u> <u>1</u>
TOTAL:		<u>219</u>

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September \_\_, 1996.

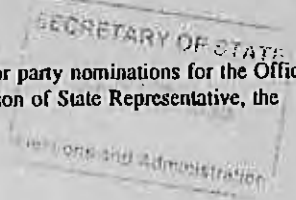
Emelyn H. Parker  
Town Clerk

Carol A. Blunkett  
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**OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE  
For Representative District Wash-Lam 1  
Primary Election, September 10, 1996**



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**Democratic**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s):	<u>STANLEY SCRIBNER, JR.</u>	<u>74</u>
[mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	_____	_____
	_____	_____
<b>TOTAL:</b>		<u>74</u>
Write-ins:	<u>BERNIE SANDERS</u>	<u>1</u>
	_____	_____
<b>TOTAL:</b>		<u>1</u>

**Liberty Union**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s):	_____	_____
[mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	_____	_____
	_____	_____
<b>TOTAL:</b>		<u>0</u>
Write-ins:	_____	_____
	_____	_____
<b>TOTAL:</b>		<u>0</u>

**Republican**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s):	<u>DEXTER LEFAVOUR</u>	<u>63</u>
[mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	_____	_____
	_____	_____
<b>TOTAL:</b>		<u>63</u>
Write-ins:	<u>STANLEY SCRIBNER, JR.</u>	<u>2</u>
	_____	_____
<b>TOTAL:</b>		<u>2</u>

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September 13, 1996.

*Janet La Pen*  
Town Clerk

*Janet H. McKinstry*  
Other Election Official

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### OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE For Representative District Windham 1 Primary Election, September 10, 1996



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#### Democratic

Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	
* <u>Steve Darrow</u>	<u>169</u>
* <u>David L. Deen</u>	<u>170</u>
TOTAL:	<u>339</u>
Write-ins: <u>Francis Spaulding</u> <u>Michael Fournier</u>	<u>1</u> <u>1</u> <u>2</u>


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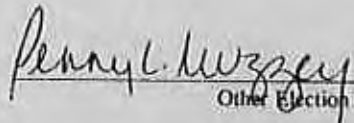
Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	
<u>→</u>	<u>—</u>
TOTAL:	
Write-ins: <u>Steve Darrow</u> <u>David Deen</u>	<u>1</u> <u>1</u> <u>2</u>

#### Republican

Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	
<u>Michael Fournier</u>	<u>84</u>
* <u>David B. Hannum Jr.</u>	<u>129</u>
* <u>Francis M. Spaulding</u>	<u>114</u>
TOTAL:	
Write-ins: <u>Steve Darrow</u> <u>Tom Johnson</u>	<u>2</u> <u>7</u> <u>9</u>

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September 13, 1996.

  
Town Clerk

  
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Republican-write-ins continued

Silvio Forrett

Nancy Chard

Ruth Pearce

Peter Shumlin

David Deen

Bob Lober

Primary Election - Windham 1



	Athens	Dummerston	Putney	Westminster	Total
<b>Democratic</b>	36	102	121	197	
Steve Darrow	4	38	61	66	169
David L. Deen	1	34	62	73	170
Francis Spaulding				1	1
Michael Fournier			1		1
<b>Liberty Union</b>					
Steve Darrow		1			1
David Deen		1			1
<b>Republican</b>					
Michael Fournier	14	33	12	25	84
David B. Hannum Jr.	5	31	32	61	129
Francis M. Spaulding	16	12	23	63	114
Steve Darrow		1		1	2
Tom Johnson			1		1
Silvio Forrett			1		1
Nancy Chard				1	1
Ruth Pearce				1	1
Peter Shumlin				1	1
David Deen				1	1
Bob Lober				1	1



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OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE

For Representative District 2-1  
Primary Election, September 10, 1996

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Democratic

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* ) please]	*VIRGINIA A. "GINI" MILKEY	71
TOTAL:		
Write-ins:	FREDERICK NOBLE	3
TOTAL:		74



Liberty Union

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* ) please]		
TOTAL:		
Write-ins:	DORIS LAKE	1
TOTAL:		1

Republican

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* ) please]	*FREDERICK M. NOBLE	70
TOTAL:		
Write-ins:		
TOTAL:		70

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September 11, 1996.

*Annette L. Capp*  
Town Clerk

*James J. Seander*  
Other Election Official

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