

State of Vermont

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

1992 - 2000

Compiled from Canvassing Committee Reports

*11/2/96*  
**OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE**  
 For Senatorial District Washington County  
 Primary Election, September 10, 1996

SECRETARY OF STATE  
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**Democratic**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* ) please]	* ANN E. CUMMINGS	850
	* HARRY S. MONTI	767
	* GEORGE "JEB" SPAULDING	956
TOTAL:		2,573
Write-ins:	Scattered names - none over 50	82
TOTAL:		82

**Liberty Union**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* ) please]	Scattered names - see below	8
TOTAL:	Ann Cummings 1      G. Booth 1 Malcolm Sawyer 1      B. Doyle 1	
Write-ins:	Peter Sills 1      E. Larson 1 Peter Denett 1	
TOTAL:	Bill Newhall 1	8

**Republican**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* ) please]	* GORDON J. BOOTH	1290
	* WILLIAM (BILL) DOYLE	1295
	* EDWARD LARSON	1123
TOTAL:		3,708
Write-ins:	Scattered names - none over 50	108
TOTAL:		108

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

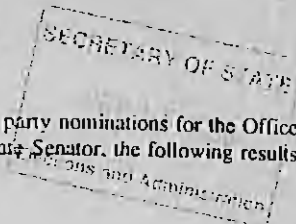
*Sandra S. Philp*  
 Senatorial District Clerk  
*[Signature]*  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

*Mary Seary*  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

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OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE  
For Senatorial District Windham County  
Primary Election, September 10, 1996



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Democratic

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	* <u>Nancy Chard</u> ✓	<u>1048</u>
	* <u>Peter Shumlin</u>	<u>1083</u>
TOTAL:		<u>2131</u>
Write-ins:	<u>Miscellaneous Write-ins</u>	<u>22</u>
TOTAL:		<u>2153</u>

Liberty Union

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	* <u>Fred Herbert</u> ✓	<u>27</u>
	* <u>Ki Longfellow</u> ✓	<u>25</u>
TOTAL:		<u>52</u>
Write-ins:	<u>Miscellaneous Write-ins</u>	<u>3</u>
TOTAL:		<u>55</u>

Republican

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	<u>None</u>	
TOTAL:		
Write-ins:	* <u>Nancy Chard</u>	<u>111</u>
	* <u>Peter Shumlin</u>	<u>90</u>
TOTAL:	<u>Miscellaneous Write-ins</u>	<u>211</u>
		<u>412</u>

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

[Signature]  
Senatorial District Clerk

\_\_\_\_\_  
Other Canvassing Committee Member

\_\_\_\_\_  
Other Canvassing Committee Member

\_\_\_\_\_  
Other Canvassing Committee Member

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OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE  
For Senatorial District WINDSOR  
Primary Election, September 10, 1996

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**Democratic**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s):	Christopher Healy	845
[mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	* Richard J. (Dick) McCormack	1846
	* Ben Ptashnik	1486
	* Cheryl P. Rivers	1776
TOTAL:		
Write-ins:	All others - See attached sheet	79
TOTAL:		6032

**Liberty Union**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s):		
[mark winners with asterisk (*) please]		
TOTAL:		
Write-ins:	All others - See attached sheet	8
TOTAL:		8

**Republican**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s):	Samuel C. Creigh	784
[mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	* Ruth Harvie	1338
	* Tom Hayes	1534
	Gerald "Gerry" Mittica	698
	* Jeffrey Whittemore	1030
TOTAL:		
Write-ins:	All others - See attached sheet	105
TOTAL:		5489

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

*Nancy J. Motens*  
Senatorial District Clerk

*Richard J. McCormack*  
Other Canvassing Committee Member

*Samuel C. Creigh*  
Other Canvassing Committee Member

Other Canvassing Committee Member

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STATE SENATOR - PRIMARY ELECTION CANVASSING REPORT

WRITE-INS ON THE DEMOCRATIC BALLOT

Samuel C. Creigh	1
Ruth Harvie	16
Tom Hayes	32
Gerald "Gerry" Mittica	8
Jeffrey Whittemore	7
Will Hunter	1
Sandy Stearns	1
M. Kainan	1
Rosson	1
Frank Yankowski	1
Fred Glover, Jr.	1
Robert Harris	2
Jack Candon	1
Asa May	1
Lewis	1
Hugh Taft	1
Bernie Sanders	1
Murray Ngoima	1
Frank McDougal	1
Total	79

WRITE-INS ON THE LIBERTY UNION BALLOT

Christopher Healy	2
Richard (Dick) McCormack	1
Ben Ptashnik	1
Cheryl P. Rivers	1
Gerald Mittica	2
Misc No Name	1
Total	8

WRITE-INS ON THE REPUBLICAN BALLOT

Christopher Healy	11
Richard (Dick) McCormack	37
Ben Ptashnik	6
Cheryl P. Rivers	34
Lee Richardson	1
Wm. Suchman	1
Aili Farrar	1
Vernon Hunsdon	1
Don Simone	1
Fred Tuttle	1
Ralph Lehman	1
Deb Adams	1
John Gropper	1
Paul Kendall, Jr.	1
Ted Lindgren	1
Darren Fontaine	1
Hank English	1
Carl Riel	1
Larry Macia	1
Ken Brown	1
John Pierson	1
Total	105

**ELECTION RECORDS:  
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**PRIMARY ELECTION:  
REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE  
STATE SENATE  
1998**

**BOX 120  
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**OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE**  
**For Senatorial District Addison**  
**Primary Election, September 8, 1998**

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 Senator cast at the September 8, 1998 Primary Election as filed with us. For nomination of State Senator, the following results were tallied (write additional write-ins on back please):

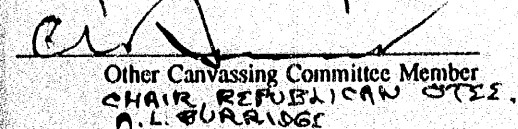
		<b>Democratic</b>	
	Name		Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	*Keith Hall*	_____	474
	*Elizabeth Ready*	_____	707
	_____	_____	_____
TOTAL:			1181
Write-ins:	See Reverse for Breakdown	_____	60
TOTAL:			1241

		<b>Republican</b>	
	Name		Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	*Joe Acinapura*	_____	2670
	*Tom Bahre*	_____	2536
	_____	_____	_____
TOTAL:			5206
Write-ins:	*See Reverse for Breakdown	_____	156
TOTAL:			5362

		<b>Vermont Grassroots</b>	
	Name		Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
TOTAL:			_____
Write-ins:	Tom Bahre (2); Keith Hall (1); Elizabeth Ready (1); Joe Acinapura (1)	_____	5
TOTAL:			5

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September 11, 1998.

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Senatorial District Clerk

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member  
 CHAIR, REPUBLICAN STEE.  
 A.L. BURRIDGE

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \*PLEASE SEE NOTE ON REVERSE  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

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Republican Write-In:

Keith Hall	35
Gerry Gossens	1
Joe Arduca	1
Elizabeth Ready	72
J. Sollinger	1
Harvey Smith	1
Anne Ginevan	2
Lenerd Stall	1
Betty Nuovo	3
Bill Perkins	1
John Quinn	1
Greg Lyons	1
John Kenner	1
Gordie Perine	1
John Frieden	1
Julie Keeler	1
Helen Reiff	1
Cindy Spring	1
Peg Martin	1
Tom Plumb	1
Russell Young	1
Steve Buxton	1
Robert Wood	1
Pat Leahy	1
Karl Nelson	1
Ken Weston	1
Lauris Chamberlain	1
Fred Tuttle	2
Marcel Leduc	1
Ward Mann	1
Jeff Wenberg	1
Paul Hoffman	1
T. Fisher	1
Wm. Wisell	1
Wm. Polk	1
Nancy Dike	1
E. Norton	1
R. Hollenbeck	1
Not Specified	9
Total	<u>156</u>

Democratic Write-In:

Tom Bahre	27
Joe Acinapura	26
Gerry Gossens	2
Diane Dalmasse	1
Bill Johnson	1
Fred Baser	1
Frank Buonincontro	1
Max Dumas	<u>1</u>
Total	60

\*Note - The Chairman of the Addison County Democratic Party or his designee did not appear after being noticed twice by the Addison County Clerk. Betty Nuovo, a member of the Addison County Democratic Committee, appeared upon request by the County Clerk. She observed and reviewed the results of the Canvassing Committee. She did not sign the Official Report per Secretary of State's office instructions as she had not been officially designated a member of this committee.



**OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE**  
 For Senatorial District Bennington  
 Primary Election, September 8, 1998

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 Senator cast at the September 8, 1998 Primary Election as filed with us. For nomination of State Senator, the following results were tallied (write additional write-ins on back please):

		Democratic		Votes Received:	
	Candidate Name / Town	Total			
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	* Judy Murphy	661			
	* Dick Sears	1220			
	K. Miller W-IN	14			
	G. Morrissey W-IN	27			
	F. Tuttle W-IN	1			
	D. Pembroke W-IN	2			
	John Mook W-IN	1			
	Maryann Carlson W-IN	1			
	Total Write-In	0			
	TOTAL:	Spolled	4		
Write-ins:	Blank	1097			
	TOTAL:	Total	3028	Republican	

		Vermont Grassroots		Votes Received:	
	Name	Total			
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	Kelton B. Miller	1664		John Boze W-IN	1
	Gerald P. Morrissey	2162		Carole Burns W-IN	
	Dick Sears W-IN	40		Alice Miller W-IN	
	Francis Morrissey W-IN	1		Dennis McCarthy W-IN	
	Judy Murphy W-IN	14		Fred Tuttle W-IN	
	M. Lewis W-IN	1		Doug Kilburn	1
	Jack McMullen W-IN	1		Total Write-In	0
	Paul Carroccio W-IN	1		Spolled	0
	Clint Bamum W-IN	1		Blank	2726
	Harrington W-IN	1		TOTAL:	Total
Austin Chinn W-IN	2				

		Total		Votes Received:	
	Candidate Name / Town	Total			
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	Dick Sears W-IN	5			
	Kelton Miller W-IN	1			
	Gerald Morrissey W-IN	2			
	Judy Murphy W-IN	2			
	Bernard Rome W-IN	1			
	TOTAL:	Total Write-In	0		
Write-ins:	Spolled	0			
	Blank	14			
	TOTAL:	Total	25		

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September \_\_\_\_, 1998.

Betty J. Loftus  
 Senatorial District Clerk

Alexandra Cohen  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

[Signature]  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

[Signature]  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

**OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE**  
**For Senatorial District Caledonia-Orange**  
**Primary Election, September 8, 1998**

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	Democratic	
	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s):	_____	_____
[mark winners	_____	_____
with asterisk	_____	_____
(*) please]	_____	_____
TOTAL:		337
Write-ins:	<u>See attached sheet</u>	337
TOTAL:		337

	Republican	
	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s):	* <u>Julius D. Canns</u>	3,421
[mark winners	<u>Wayne Dyer</u>	2,567
with asterisk	* <u>Robert D. Ide</u>	2,661
(*) please]	_____	_____
TOTAL:		8,649
Write-ins:	<u>See attached sheet</u>	28
TOTAL:		28

	Vermont Grassroots	
	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s):	_____	_____
[mark winners	_____	_____
with asterisk	_____	_____
(*) please]	_____	_____
TOTAL:		_____
Write-ins:	<u>See attached sheet</u>	13
TOTAL:		13

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September 11, 1998.

*Ronnie E. Cladding*  
 Senatorial District Clerk  
*Conrad R. Dwyer*  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

*B. Buswell*  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

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CALEDONIA COUNTY WRITE-INS FOR STATE SENATOR  
Primary Election, September 8, 1998

DEMOCRATIC

Wayne Dyer	74
Julius Canns	90
Robert Ide	<u>125</u>
Daniel Johnson	1
Bob Melamede	1
Kasperzak	3
Bernie Sanders	1
Shirley Bersford	1
Michael Thomas	1
Bernie Sanders	1
Bud Haas	1
L. Black	1
Paul Cillo	1
Clayton Evans	1
Bill Graves	1
Kevin Bruno	1
Steve Adler	1
Robert Gensburg	1
Bernie Sanders	5
Fred Tuttle	2
Pauline Scott	1
Bill Laramee	1
P. Keegan	1
Mark Kilburn	1
Bernie Sanders	2
Steve Larrabee	1
Jack McMullen	1
Paul Cillo	1
Dave Brown	1
Laramee	1
Huelson	1
Fred Tuttle	1
Robert Doyle	3
James Hughes	1
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Total Write-Ins	337

REPUBLICAN

Leslie Gensburg	1
Zwick	1
Cola Hudson	1
Jenny Nelson	1
Karen Shaw	1
Patrick Leahy	1
Fred Tuttle	1
McCoy	2

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CALEDONIA COUNTY WRITE-INS FOR STATE SENATOR  
Primary Election, September 8, 1998

REPUBLICAN CONTINUED

A. Boera	1
W. Laramee	1
G. Newell	1
Ruhlman	1
D. Wheeler	1
D. Wheeler	1
Somell	1
Lee Laroque	1
David Reed	2
John Maloney	1
Patneaude	1
John McLaury	1
Elmer Farris	1
John Hall	2
Julius Canns	2
Kate Beattie	1
Joe Sherman	1
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Total Write-Ins	28

GRASSROOTS

Steve A. Rizzo	1
Bob Grattage	1
Robert Ide	4
Julius Canns	4
Wayne Dyer	3
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Total Write-ins	13

**OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE**  
**For Senatorial District Chittenden**  
**Primary Election, September 8, 1998**

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	Democratic	
	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	<u>Jean Ankeney*</u> ✓	<u>2317</u>
	<u>Jan Backus*</u> ✓	<u>2337</u>
	<u>Bruce D. Cunningham*</u> ✓	<u>1916</u>
	<u>James P. Leddy*</u> ✓	<u>2265</u>
	<u>Janet Munt*</u> ✓	<u>2243</u>
TOTAL:	<u>Timothy J. Palmer*</u>	<u>1934</u>
Write-ins:	_____	_____
TOTAL:	_____	_____

	Republican	
	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	<u>Peter C. Brownell*</u> ✓	<u>6334</u>
	<u>J. Dennis Delaney*</u> ✓	<u>5682</u>
	<u>Dawn Hill-Fleury*</u> ✓	<u>4766</u>
	<u>Helen S. Riehle*</u> ✓	<u>5720</u>
	<u>Susan W. Sweetser*</u> ✓	<u>5511</u>
TOTAL:	<u>Matt Gandy*</u>	<u>144</u>
Write-ins:	_____	_____
TOTAL:	_____	_____

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

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September 11<sup>th</sup>, 1998.

Deborah A. Small  
 Senatorial District Clerk  
Frederick J. Jamieson  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

Deanne D. Dwyer  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member





**OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE**  
**For Senatorial District FRANKLIN**  
**Primary Election, September 8, 1998**

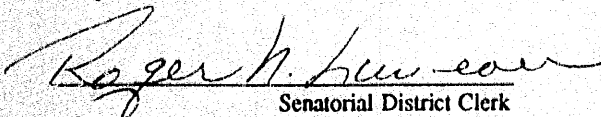
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		<b>Democratic</b>	
	Name		Votes Received:
Candidate(s):	* Sara Branon Kittell	_____	1956
[mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	* J. Frank Montagne	_____	1456
Write-ins:	George Costes	_____	168
	Joe Montcalm	_____	27
TOTAL:	Fred Tuttle	_____	11
	8 single votes	_____	8
Write-ins:	_____	_____	_____
TOTAL:	_____	_____	3630

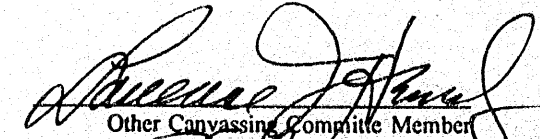
		<b>Republican</b>	
	Name		Votes Received:
Candidate(s):	* George Costes	_____	1630
[mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	* Carl Rosenquist	_____	1047
Write-ins:	Sara Branon Kittell	_____	100
	J. Franklin Montagne	_____	58
TOTAL:	Misc.	_____	4
	R. Shea	_____	2
Write-ins:	Kathy Keenan	_____	3
	J. Wright	_____	2
TOTAL:	12 Single Votes	_____	12
	_____	_____	2858

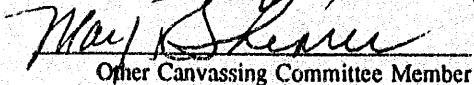
		<b>Vermont Grassroots</b>	
	Name		Votes Received:
Candidate(s):	*	_____	_____
[mark winners with asterisk (*) please]	Write-ins: Sara Branon Kittell	_____	7
	J. Frank Montagne	_____	6
	George Costes	_____	3
TOTAL:	No Name	_____	2
Write-ins:	_____	_____	_____
TOTAL:	_____	_____	18

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September 12, 1998.

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Senatorial District Clerk

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

**OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE**  
**For Senatorial District Grand Isle**  
**Primary Election, September 8, 1998**

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**Democratic**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	<u>*Richard "Dick" Mazza</u> _____ _____ _____	<u>711</u> _____ _____
TOTAL:		
Write-ins:	<u>(see attached)</u> _____	
TOTAL:		

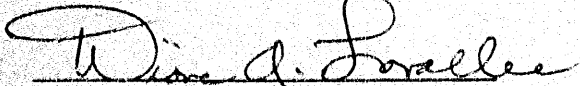
**Republican**

	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	<u>*Harland "Hardy" Macia</u> _____ _____ _____	<u>950</u> _____ _____
TOTAL:		
Write-ins:	<u>(see attached)</u> _____	
TOTAL:		

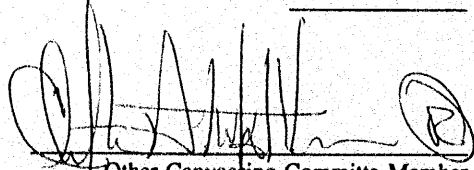
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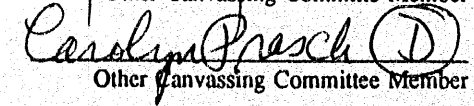
	Name	Votes Received:
Candidate(s): [mark winners with asterisk (* please)]	_____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____
TOTAL:		
Write-ins:	_____	
TOTAL:		

We completed the canvass of votes for this office on September 11<sup>th</sup>, 1998.

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Senatorial District Clerk

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Canvassing Committee Member

PRIMARY ELECTION 1998

STATE SENATOR - GRAND ISLE (REPUBLICAN)

TOWN	HARLAND "HARDY"		GR
	R	D	
COLCHESTER 1-1	207		
1-2	506		
1-3			
AUGUEB	75	1	1
GRAND ISLE	122	6	
ISLE LA MOITE	44	2	
N. HERO	93	8	
S. HERO	153		
TOTAL	980	17	1