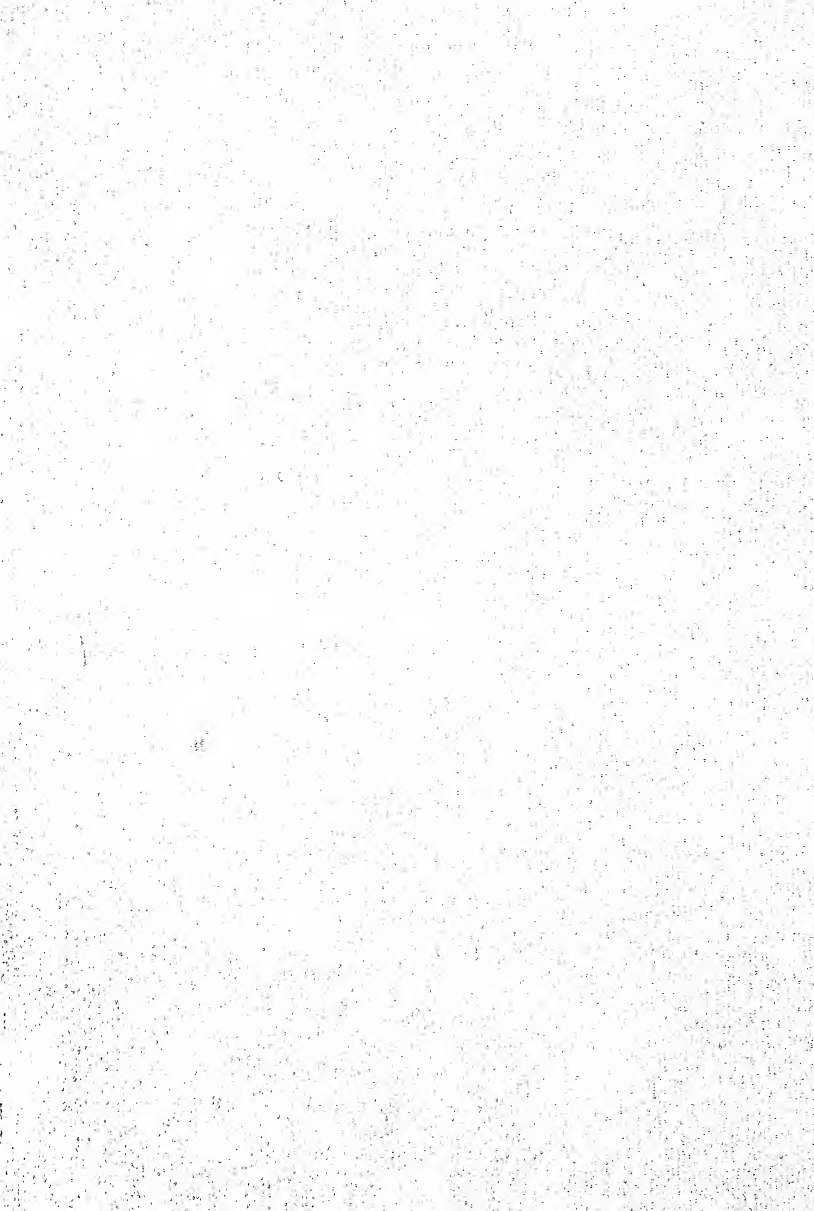




QUESTION 6

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution, summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in joint sessions of the House of Representatives and the Senate on November 16, 1992, by a vote of 132 to 39, and on May 25, 1994, by a vote of 119 to 73?

SUMMARY

This proposed constitutional amendment would require Massachusetts income

tax rates to be graduated, in order to distribute the burden of the tax fairly and equitably. The proposed amendment would require the rates for taxpayers in higher income brackets to be higher than the rates for taxpayers in lower income brackets. The proposed amendment would also allow the state Legislature to grant reasonable exemptions and abatements and establish the number and range of tax brackets. The proposed amendment would eliminate from the Massachusetts Constitution the present requirement that income taxes must be levied at a uniform rate throughout the state upon incomes derived from the same class of property.

Aggregate of Votes	Yes			No			Blanks			Total Ballots		
			%			%			%			%
Barnstable	30,886		32.89%	58,377		62.17%	4,636		4.94%	93,899		
Berkshire	22,127		44.28%	23,778		47.59%	4,062		8.13%	49,967		
Bristol	51,446		31.02%	98,356		59.30%	16,064		9.68%	165,866		
Dukes	2,951		49.10%	2,690		44.76%	369		6.14%	6,010		
Essex	67,477		25.77%	176,938		67.57%	17,429		6.66%	261,844		
Franklin	10,181		37.20%	15,559		56.85%	1,630		5.96%	27,370		
Hampden	39,562		26.14%	98,220		64.90%	13,549		8.95%	151,331		
Hampshire	21,861		40.00%	30,124		55.12%	2,668		4.88%	54,653		
Middlesex	156,809		28.23%	365,829		65.85%	32,930		5.93%	555,568		
Nantucket	1,194		39.87%	1,606		53.62%	195		6.51%	2,995		
Norfolk	71,778		26.60%	182,661		67.69%	15,396		5.71%	269,835		
Plymouth	40,906		24.38%	117,174		69.82%	9,731		5.80%	167,811		
Suffolk	52,418		30.01%	96,324		55.14%	25,941		14.85%	174,683		
Worcester	61,098		24.40%	174,768		69.80%	14,508		5.79%	250,374		
TOTALS	630,694		28.25%	1,442,404		64.62%	159,108		7.13%	2,232,206		

Barnstable County	Yes			No			Blanks			Total Ballots		
			%			%			%			%
Barnstable	5,909		12.55%	12,556		825						
Bourne	1,770		4.21%	4,210		526						
Brewster	1,699		2.70%	2,700		201						
Chatham	1,391		2.35%	2,350		152						
Dennis	2,242		4.68%	4,686		364						
Bristol County (continued)												
Dighton						668						
Easton						1,935						
Fairhaven						1,880						
FALL RIVER						8,628						
Freetown						874						

Eastham	1,199	1,413	62	2,674	1,881	4,911	295	7,087
Falmouth	4,583	8,110	906	13,599	9,568	13,370	2,680	25,618
Harwich	1,685	3,413	408	5,686	2,291	5,858	634	8,783
Mashpee	1,406	2,445	138	3,989	1,573	3,407	180	5,160
Orleans	1,178	2,153	209	3,540	1,074	3,000	295	4,369
Provincetown	828	840	113	1,781	935	2,284	155	3,374
Sandwich	2,343	5,191	207	7,741	1,861	2,888	298	5,067
Truro	412	916	32	1,465	2,781	4,585	595	7,961
Wellfleet	624	791	50	1,465	2,099	3,432	569	6,100
Yarmouth	3,437	7,037	443	10,917	4,005	9,192	1,877	15,074
TOTALS	30,886	58,377	4,636	93,899	1,853	2,980	562	5,395
TOTALS					51,446	98,356	16,064	165,866
Berkshire County								
Adams	1,471	2,016	280	3,767	211	183	27	421
Allard	84	184	16	360	641	677	118	1,436
Becket	246	282	32	560	89	38	10	137
Cheshire	623	735	67	1,425	36	30	5	71
Clarksburg	248	440	25	713	691	679	90	1,460
Dalton	1,189	1,237	170	2,596	688	699	70	1,457
Egremont	278	234	44	556	595	384	49	1,028
Florida	102	167	15	284	2,951	2,890	369	6,010
Great Barrington	1,126	1,152	274	2,552				
Hancock	147	96	17	260				
Hinsdale	292	314	28	634				
Lanesborough	515	501	78	1,094				
Lee	992	1,078	276	2,346				
Lenox	1,130	1,063	229	2,422				
Monterey	223	116	19	358				
Mt. Washington	28	30	5	63				
New Ashford	52	36	3	91				
New Marlborough	221	210	40	471				
NORTH ADAMS	1,584	2,690	380	4,654				
Oris.	179	237	33	449				
Peru	108	146	9	263				
PITTSFIELD	7,421	7,306	1,526	16,253				
Richmond	339	408	25	772				
Sandisfield	130	106	22	258				
Savoy	98	123	9	230				
Sheffield	517	627	79	1,223				
Stockbridge	621	415	63	1,099				
Tyringham	85	83	13	181				
Washington	116	112	5	233				
West Stockbridge	331	251	50	632				
Williamstown	1,452	1,310	219	2,981				
Windsor	179	173	11	363				
TOTALS	22,127	23,778	4,062	49,967				
Bristol County								
Acushnet	1,212	2,189	374	3,775				
Attleboro	3,136	7,709	714	11,559				
Berkley	422	1,132	67	1,621				
Dartmouth	2,770	6,072	1,049	9,891				
Dukes County								
Chilmark					211	183	27	421
Edgartown					641	677	118	1,436
Gay Head					89	38	10	137
Gosnold					36	30	5	71
Oak Bluffs					691	679	90	1,460
Tisbury					688	699	70	1,457
West Tisbury					595	384	49	1,028
TOTALS					2,951	2,890	369	6,010
Essex County								
Amesbury					1,573	3,368	353	5,294
Andover					2,912	10,619	423	13,954
BEVERLY					4,206	10,623	1,090	15,919
Boxford					627	2,672	108	3,407
Danvers					2,678	7,295	773	10,746
Essex					439	1,099	43	1,581
Georgetown					830	1,931	192	2,953
GLOUCESTER					3,141	7,290	863	11,294
Groveland					700	1,601	98	2,399
Hamilton					795	2,388	206	3,389
HAVERHILL					4,922	11,323	1,383	17,628
Ipswich					1,724	3,947	290	5,961
LAWRENCE					2,748	7,759	1,508	12,015
LYNN					6,963	16,317	2,499	25,779
Lynnfield					1,199	4,505	274	5,978
Manchester					693	1,887	128	2,708
Marblehead					2,402	7,560	488	10,450
Merrimac					667	1,366	85	2,118
Methuen					3,490	10,630	1,369	15,489
Middleton					573	1,618	151	2,342
Nahant					543	1,337	128	2,008
Newbury					900	2,047	118	3,065
NEWBURYPORT					2,424	4,955	476	7,855
North Andover					2,269	7,594	367	10,230
PEABODY					5,162	13,595	1,189	19,946
Rockport					1,207	2,359	174	3,740
Rowley					588	1,452	79	2,119
SALEM					4,142	9,160	1,150	14,452

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots		Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Essex County (continued)									
Salisbury	783	1,708	112	2,603		2,344	7,074	436	9,854
Saugus	2,826	7,653	767	11,246		14,931	15,893	2,720	33,544
Swampscott	1,813	4,536	338	6,687		549	1,767	53	2,369
Topsfield	665	2,115	105	2,885		3,103	10,693	501	14,297
Wenham	391	1,320	53	1,764		2,301	5,583	308	8,192
West Newbury	482	1,309	49	1,840		1,958	7,510	1,061	10,529
TOTALS	67,477	176,938	17,429	261,844	Middlesex County (continued)	220	809	21	1,050
Franklin County									
Ashfield	368	396	27	791	EVERETT	2,831	7,939	1,352	12,122
Barnardston	256	546	40	842	Frammingham	6,831	15,152	1,284	23,267
Buckland	286	471	39	796	Groton	968	2,526	110	3,604
Chardmont	162	247	15	424	Holliston	1,749	4,333	216	6,298
Colrain	272	338	24	634	Hopkinton	1,097	3,402	166	4,665
Conway	385	376	23	784	Hudson	1,071	4,442	265	6,621
Deerfield	778	1,302	69	2,149	Lexington	4,366	10,364	743	15,473
Erving	176	373	27	576	Lincoln	736	1,863	154	2,753
Gill	240	348	19	607	Littleton	905	2,349	93	3,347
Greenfield	2,085	3,710	764	6,559	LOWELL	5,860	15,879	2,040	23,779
Hawley	52	56	5	113	MALDEN	4,994	11,065	1,177	17,236
Heath	117	151	13	281	MARLBOROUGH	3,211	8,009	710	11,930
Leverett	506	349	19	874	Maynard	1,324	2,914	178	4,416
Leyden	134	169	13	316	MEDFORD	6,358	14,330	1,437	22,125
Monroe	11	30	4	45	MELROSE	3,504	8,950	548	13,002
Montague	1,107	1,861	139	3,107	Natick	3,933	8,965	876	13,774
New Salem	159	210	11	380	NEWTON	11,184	23,176	2,812	37,172
Northfield	487	744	71	1,302	North Reading	1,348	4,349	201	5,898
Orange	644	1,674	89	2,407	Pepperell	981	2,759	90	3,830
Rowe	66	93	12	171	Reading	2,754	7,821	369	10,944
Shelburne	296	449	64	809	Sherborn	489	1,692	66	2,247
Shutesbury	454	302	21	777	Shirley	477	1,394	85	1,956
Sunderland	470	626	56	1,152	SMERVILLE	8,834	11,941	1,514	22,289
Warwick	148	134	16	298	Stoneham	2,585	6,120	547	9,252
Wendell	206	123	18	347	Slow	690	2,089	61	2,840
Whately	316	481	32	829	Sudbury	1,566	5,699	243	7,508
TOTALS	10,181	15,559	1,630	27,370	Tewksbury	2,514	8,026	389	10,929
Hampden County									
Agawam	2,968	7,690	808	11,466	Townsend	804	2,052	158	3,014
Blandford	159	324	22	505	Tyngsborough	797	2,385	131	3,313
Brimfield	389	834	47	1,270	Wakefield	2,969	7,913	699	11,581
Chester	187	278	20	485	WALTHAM	4,835	12,181	1,619	18,635
CHICOPEE	5,031	13,180	1,262	19,473	Watertown	5,046	7,682	889	13,617
East Longmeadow	1,673	4,441	271	6,385	Wayland	1,777	4,465	265	6,507
					Westford	1,598	5,964	426	7,988
					Weston	991	4,163	287	5,441
					Wilmington	1,943	5,729	376	8,048
					Winchester	2,324	7,840	514	10,678

Granville	168	376	24	568	WOBURN	3,373	10,327	1,203	14,903
Hampden	634	1,442	80	2,156	TOTALS	156,809	365,829	32,930	555,568
Holland	255	530	31	816	Nantucket County				
HOLYOKE	3,043	7,124	1,637	11,804	Nantucket	1,194	1,606	195	2,995
Longmeadow	1,704	5,638	367	7,709	TOTALS	1,194	1,606	195	2,995
Ludlow	1,890	4,485	673	7,048	Norfolk County				
Monson	1,019	1,844	175	3,038	Avon	579	1,432	150	2,161
Montgomery	89	258	9	356	Bellingham	1,637	3,452	412	5,501
Palmer	1,373	2,990	227	4,590	Braintree	3,708	10,849	780	15,337
Russell	155	358	18	531	Brookline	8,026	12,605	1,334	21,965
Southwick	764	1,996	181	2,941	Canton	2,330	6,403	603	9,336
SPRINGFIELD	10,404	23,222	5,614	39,240	Cohasset	717	2,760	331	3,808
Tolland	69	74	6	149	Dedham	2,764	7,358	863	10,985
Wales	190	358	25	573	Dover	439	2,222	123	2,784
West Springfield	2,622	6,781	811	10,194	Foxborough	1,793	4,707	286	6,786
WESTFIELD	3,452	9,451	837	13,740	Franklin	2,445	7,054	332	9,831
Wilbraham	1,324	4,566	404	6,294	Holbrook	1,220	2,953	272	4,445
TOTALS	39,562	98,220	13,549	151,331	Medfield	1,297	3,940	163	5,400
Hampshire County					Medway	1,263	3,004	192	4,459
Amherst	4,134	3,238	406	7,778	Mills	859	2,402	104	3,365
Belchertown	1,468	2,455	237	4,160	Milton	3,288	8,743	550	12,581
Chesterfield	198	229	18	445	Needham	3,371	10,822	511	14,704
Cunningham	181	187	8	376	Norfolk	735	2,874	102	3,711
Easthampton	2,319	3,743	239	6,301	Nonwood	3,375	8,091	973	12,439
Goshen	128	196	11	335	Plainville	669	1,829	87	2,585
Granby	668	1,498	123	2,289	QUINCY	9,145	20,945	2,315	32,405
Hadley	795	1,353	105	2,253	Randolph	3,067	7,119	695	10,881
Hatfield	576	986	73	1,635	Sharon	2,364	5,298	239	7,901
Huntington	286	411	20	717	Stoughton	2,899	6,763	756	10,418
Middlefield	92	88	6	186	Walpole	2,407	6,810	573	9,790
NORTHAMPTON	5,555	5,753	517	11,825	Wellesley	2,832	9,140	638	12,610
Pelham	373	294	19	686	Westwood	1,647	5,252	284	7,183
Plainfield	130	120	3	253	Weymouth	5,985	15,047	1,616	22,648
South Hadley	2,092	4,667	512	7,271	Wrentham	917	2,787	112	3,816
Southampton	671	1,384	72	2,127	TOTALS	71,778	182,661	15,396	269,835
Ware	1,152	2,310	219	3,681	Plymouth County				
Westampton	274	389	20	683	Abington	1,447	4,115	306	5,868
Williamsburg	526	554	40	1,120	Bridgewater	1,686	5,004	450	7,140
Worthington	243	269	20	532	BROCKTON	5,759	15,943	2,188	23,890
TOTALS	21,861	30,124	2,668	54,653	Carver	1,118	2,868	124	4,110
Middlesex County					Duxbury	1,471	5,161	209	6,841
Acton	2,314	6,049	285	8,648	East Bridgewater	855	3,254	246	4,355
Arlington	7,438	12,965	1,291	21,694	Halifax	684	1,889	140	2,713
Ashby	368	714	31	1,113	Hanover	1,285	4,044	316	5,645
Ashland	1,566	3,438	340	5,344	Hanson	889	2,705	156	3,750
Ayer	510	1,288	71	1,869	Hingham	2,241	7,423	469	10,133
Bedford	1,464	3,941	183	5,588	Hull	1,217	2,723	397	4,337
Belmont	3,836	8,384	836	13,056	Kingston	991	2,805	164	3,960
Billerica	3,214	9,996	444	13,654	Lakeville	847	2,513	135	3,495
Buxborough	433	1,276	56	1,765					

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Plymouth County (continued)								
Marion.....	593	1,432	83	2,108	Harvard.....	1,834	59	2,517
Marshfield.....	2,734	6,581	442	9,757	Holden.....	1,290	388	7,217
Mattapoisett.....	839	2,019	117	2,975	Hopedale.....	677	185	2,446
Middleborough.....	1,540	4,072	276	5,888	Hubbardston.....	349	842	1,242
Norwell.....	949	3,578	188	4,715	Lancaster.....	579	73	2,241
Pembroke.....	1,570	4,388	181	6,139	Leicester.....	948	189	4,098
Plymouth.....	4,019	11,271	1,655	16,945	LEOMINSTER.....	3,295	875	13,109
Plympton.....	278	814	41	1,133	Lunenburg.....	981	192	3,613
Rochester.....	434	1,260	73	1,767	Mendon.....	432	61	1,836
Rockland.....	1,656	4,372	315	6,343	Millard.....	2,282	656	8,977
Schuette.....	2,020	6,318	406	8,744	Millbury.....	1,133	315	4,784
Wareham.....	1,948	4,611	336	6,895	Millville.....	295	63	843
West Bridgewater.....	596	2,324	149	3,069	New Braintree.....	112	246	378
Whitman.....	1,240	3,687	169	5,096	North Brookfield.....	404	1,228	1,723
TOTALS.....	40,906	117,174	9,731	167,811	Northborough.....	1,244	229	5,605
					Northbridge.....	961	339	4,757
					Oakham.....	181	22	689
Suffolk County								
BOSTON.....	44,973	78,067	22,415	145,455	Oxford.....	912	386	4,358
CHELSEA.....	1,654	3,504	1,320	6,478	Paxton.....	401	64	2,014
REVERE.....	3,725	9,818	1,779	15,322	Petersham.....	191	33	599
Winthrop.....	2,066	4,935	427	7,428	Phillipston.....	139	331	486
TOTALS.....	52,418	96,324	25,941	174,683	Princeton.....	324	50	1,531
					Royalston.....	115	274	407
Worcester County								
Ashburnham.....	599	1,270	97	1,966	Rutland.....	440	101	2,032
Athol.....	745	2,524	125	3,394	Shrewsbury.....	2,540	504	11,804
Auburn.....	1,571	4,769	277	6,617	Southborough.....	848	152	3,576
Barre.....	559	1,234	112	1,905	Southbridge.....	1,212	626	5,394
Berlin.....	279	728	42	1,049	Spencer.....	945	173	3,938
Blackstone.....	936	1,583	249	2,768	Sterling.....	688	69	2,967
Bolton.....	405	1,208	49	1,662	Sturbridge.....	748	292	3,289
Boylston.....	393	1,428	47	1,868	Sutton.....	645	183	3,034
Brookfield.....	310	765	47	1,122	Templeton.....	588	93	2,223
Charlton.....	999	2,288	106	3,393	Upton.....	538	95	2,515
Clinton.....	1,349	3,530	324	5,203	Uxbridge.....	985	190	3,956
Douglas.....	580	1,522	79	2,181	Warren.....	454	85	1,565
Dudley.....	755	2,315	252	3,322	Webster.....	1,166	453	5,251
East Brookfield.....	182	541	36	759	West Boylston.....	597	102	3,093
FITCHBURG.....	2,833	6,930	848	10,611	West Brookfield.....	316	948	1,334
GARDNER.....	1,618	4,495	438	6,551	Westborough.....	1,470	4,661	6,362
Grafton.....	1,273	3,867	204	5,344	Westminster.....	758	92	2,620
Hardwick.....	302	639	58	999	Winchendon.....	1,508	167	2,317
					WORCESTER.....	11,961	3,065	46,920
					TOTALS.....	61,098	14,508	250,374

LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of a law summarized below, on which no vote was taken by the Senate or the House of Representatives before May 4, 1994?

SUMMARY

This proposed law would change the state personal income tax laws if a proposed amendment to the Massachusetts Constitution requiring income tax rates to be graduated is approved at the 1994 state election. This proposed law would (1) set graduated income tax rates to replace the existing tax rate structure, (2) change exemptions and deductions relating to dependents, child care expenses, head of household status and personal exemptions, (3) establish a property tax and water rate credit of up to \$200 for taxpayers below certain income levels, (4) increase the maximum income levels for no-tax status and the limited income credit, (5) establish a "capital formation incentive" to replace the existing capital gains exclusion, and (6) provide that taxpayers will not pay more Massachusetts income tax for 1995 than they would have paid under 1992 law, if their 1995 adjusted gross income is below certain levels (for instance, \$60,000 for single filers and \$100,000 for married couples filing jointly).

(1) PROPOSED GRADUATED INCOME TAX RATES WOULD:

- Set the following state tax rates for all Massachusetts taxable income (after subtracting applicable deductions and exemptions):

Tax Rate	single	married filing jointly	married filing separately	head of household
	up to	up to	up to	up to
5.5%	\$50,200	\$81,000	\$40,500	\$60,100
8.8%	over \$50,200	over \$81,000	over \$40,500	over \$60,100
	up to	up to	up to	up to
	\$90,000	\$150,000	\$75,000	\$120,000
9.8%	over \$90,000	over \$150,000	over \$75,000	over \$120,000

A taxpayer whose total taxable income exceeded the upper limit for the 5.5% or 8.8% income bracket would still be taxed at the lower rate for income within that bracket. For example, a single person with \$100,000 in taxable income would be taxed at 5.5% on \$50,200 of that income, at 8.8% on the next \$39,800, and at 9.8% on the remaining \$10,000 of that income. The income brackets would be increased annually, starting in 1996, to account for changes in the cost of living.

- Eliminate the existing division of Massachusetts income into Part A income (generally, dividends, capital gains, and certain interest), currently taxed at 12 percent, and Part B income (all other income), currently taxed at 5.95 percent.
- Create a "head of household" filing status for single persons who have dependents and who file federal returns as heads of households.
- Prevent any gain from the sale of a taxpayer's principal residence from being taxed by the state at a rate higher than 6%.
- Provide that non-residents would pay tax on their Massachusetts income based on the income rate brackets applicable to their total income (including Massachusetts and other income).

(2) PROPOSED CHANGES IN EXEMPTIONS, DEDUCTIONS AND CREDITS WOULD:

- Replace the child and dependent care expense deduction with a child and dependent care tax credit equal to 60% of the federal child and dependent care tax credit.
- Increase the existing exemption for each claimed dependent from \$1,000 to \$2,000.
- Allow heads of households a personal exemption of \$3,400, plus \$2,200 if blind and \$700 if 65 years of age or over.
- Reduce personal exemptions gradually for taxpayers whose adjusted gross income exceeded \$60,000 for single filers, \$100,000 for married persons filing jointly, \$50,000 for married persons filing separately and \$80,000 for heads of households. The personal exemption would be eliminated entirely for filers whose adjusted gross incomes exceeded these amounts by more than \$50,000 (\$25,000 for married persons filing separately). These amounts would be increased annually, starting in 1996, to account for changes in the cost of living.
- Allow interest and dividends from deposits in all banks and institutions to qualify for the \$100 deduction (\$200 for married couples) currently applicable only to Massachusetts bank interest and dividends.
- Allow the \$1000 net capital loss deduction to be taken against all income, not just against Part A income as current law provides.

(3) PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX AND WATER RATE CREDIT WOULD:

- Create a property tax and water rate credit of up to \$200 for eligible homeowners and renters who have total incomes less than: \$30,000 for married couples, \$25,000 for head of household filers and \$20,000 for single filers. The amount of the credit would depend on the amount by which the taxpayers' real estate property tax and water charges exceeded 10% of their

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income. 20% of tenants' rent would be treated as a property tax payment for these purposes. If the taxpayer had no income tax due, the amount of any credit due would be paid to the taxpayer, as long as the state Legislature made any appropriation necessary to pay such refunds.

(4) PROPOSED \$2000 INCREASE IN THE EXISTING INCOME THRESHOLDS FOR NO-TAX STATUS WOULD:

- Exempt taxpayers at or below the following levels of adjusted gross income from paying income tax: \$14,000 for married couples filing jointly, \$12,000 for head of household filers, and \$10,000 for single filers. These levels would be adjusted annually, starting in 1996, to account for changes in the cost of living. The new levels also would apply to the limited income credit which is available to taxpayers with adjusted gross income up to 175 percent of these levels.

(5) PROPOSED CAPITAL FORMATION INCENTIVE WOULD:

- Replace the current 50% capital gains deduction with a "capital formula-incentive" deduction, which would allow partial deductions for gains from the sale or exchange of qualified stock issued by certain corporations that employ 50% or more of their employees in Massachusetts.
- Only gains on original stock purchased on or after January 1, 1995 from certain

corporations engaged in active business, and held for required periods of time, would qualify for the deduction. The amount of the deduction would be 30% of the gain on stock held at least 3 years; 50% for stock held at least 5 years; and 70% for stock held at least seven years. Detailed provisions would restrict the benefit of this deduction to stock issuances which reflect new investments in businesses, and would disqualify stock in certain types of corporations that receive special tax treatment under existing law.

(6) PROPOSED CAP ON TAX LIABILITY FOR CERTAIN TAXPAYERS IN 1995 WOULD:

- Excuse taxpayers at or below the following levels of adjusted gross income, as determined under the proposed law, from owing more Massachusetts income tax in 1995 than they would have owed under 1992 law: \$100,000 for married couples filing jointly, \$80,000 for heads of households, \$60,000 for single filers, and \$50,000 for married persons filing separately.

(7) EFFECTIVE DATE:

- If the State Constitution is amended at the 1994 election to require graduated income tax rates, the proposed law would be effective beginning in tax year 1995. The proposed law states that if any of its provisions were found invalid, the other provisions would remain in effect.

Note: Wherever this summary refers to current or existing law, the reference is to the law in effect in August 1993, when this summary was prepared.

Aggregate of Votes	Yes	%	No	%	Blanks	%	Total Ballots
Barnstable	29,941	31.89%	59,164	63.01%	4,794	5.11%	93,899
Berkshire	21,405	42.84%	24,144	48.32%	4,418	8.84%	49,967
Bristol	48,756	29.39%	99,908	60.23%	17,202	10.37%	165,866
Dukes	2,673	44.48%	2,836	47.19%	501	8.34%	6,010
Essex	63,872	24.39%	179,109	68.40%	18,863	7.20%	261,844
Franklin	9,583	36.00%	16,040	58.60%	1,477	5.40%	27,370
Hampden	38,486	25.43%	98,087	64.82%	14,758	9.75%	151,331
Hampshire	20,832	38.12%	30,807	56.37%	3,014	5.51%	54,653
Middlesex	148,319	26.70%	371,224	66.82%	36,025	6.48%	555,568
Nantucket	1,095	36.56%	1,622	54.16%	278	9.28%	2,995
Norfolk	67,537	25.03%	185,712	68.82%	16,586	6.15%	269,835
Plymouth	39,297	23.42%	118,413	70.56%	10,101	6.02%	167,811
Suffolk	50,449	28.88%	97,597	55.87%	26,637	15.25%	174,683
Worcester	57,402	22.93%	177,287	70.81%	15,685	6.26%	250,374
TOTALS	599,917	26.88%	1,461,950	65.49%	170,339	7.63%	2,232,206

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Barnstable County				
Barnstable.....	5,673	12,842	775	19,290
Bourne.....	1,778	4,191	537	6,506
Brewster.....	1,652	2,733	215	4,600
Chatham.....	1,323	2,410	160	3,893
Dennis.....	2,215	4,774	313	7,302
Eastham.....	1,176	1,422	76	2,674
Falmouth.....	4,392	8,147	1,060	13,599
Harwich.....	1,828	3,436	422	5,686
Mashpee.....	1,374	2,450	165	3,989
Orleans.....	1,138	2,179	223	3,540
Provincetown.....	747	894	140	1,781
Sandwich.....	2,313	5,205	223	7,741
Taunton.....	402	484	30	916
Wellfleet.....	608	803	54	1,465
Yarmouth.....	3,322	7,194	401	10,917
TOTALS.....	29,941	59,164	4,794	93,899
Berkshire County				
Adams.....	1,452	2,023	292	3,767
Alford.....	73	91	20	184
Becket.....	239	287	34	560
Cheshire.....	603	746	76	1,425
Clarksburg.....	272	412	29	713
Dalton.....	1,179	1,279	138	2,586
Egremont.....	288	239	49	576
Florida.....	95	169	20	284
Great Barrington.....	1,033	1,216	303	2,552
Hancock.....	140	104	16	260
Hinsdale.....	291	309	34	634
Lanesborough.....	486	531	77	1,094
Lee.....	959	1,106	281	2,346
Lenox.....	1,105	1,068	249	2,422
Monterey.....	208	125	25	358
Mt. Washington.....	28	28	7	63
New Ashford.....	46	39	6	91
New Marlborough.....	203	224	44	471
NORTH ADAMS.....	1,550	2,685	419	4,654
Otis.....	173	239	37	449
Peru.....	93	151	19	263
PITTSFIELD.....	7,216	7,372	1,665	16,253
Richmond.....	334	403	35	772
Sandisfield.....	125	109	24	258
Savoy.....	92	127	11	230
Sheffield.....	479	651	93	1,223
Stockbridge.....	579	437	83	1,099
Tyringham.....	87	82	12	181
Washington.....	111	115	7	233
West Stockbridge.....	320	245	67	632
Berkshire County (continued)				
Williamstown.....	1,393	1,358	230	2,981
Windsor.....	173	174	16	363
TOTALS.....	21,405	24,144	4,418	49,967
Bristol County				
Acushnet.....	1,159	2,232	384	3,775
ATTLEBORO.....	3,033	7,781	745	11,559
Berkley.....	425	1,107	89	1,621
Dartmouth.....	2,708	6,079	1,104	9,891
Dighton.....	604	1,463	148	2,215
Easton.....	1,826	6,050	416	8,292
Fairhaven.....	1,814	3,430	650	5,894
FALL RIVER.....	7,867	12,953	4,747	25,567
Freemont.....	821	2,116	137	3,074
Mansfield.....	1,765	5,000	322	7,087
NEW BEDFORD.....	9,243	13,551	2,824	25,618
North Attleborough.....	2,146	5,957	680	8,783
Norton.....	1,492	3,471	197	5,160
Raynham.....	1,061	2,993	315	4,369
Rehoboth.....	885	2,315	174	3,374
Seekonk.....	1,747	2,985	325	5,057
Somerset.....	2,646	4,660	655	7,961
Swansea.....	2,032	3,434	634	6,100
TAUNTON.....	3,752	9,305	2,017	15,074
Westport.....	1,730	3,026	639	5,395
TOTALS.....	48,756	99,908	17,202	165,866
Dukes County				
Chilmark.....	194	188	39	421
Edgartown.....	571	727	138	1,436
Gay Head.....	76	46	15	137
Gosnold.....	27	37	7	71
Oak Bluffs.....	621	722	117	1,460
Tisbury.....	637	728	92	1,457
West Tisbury.....	547	388	93	1,028
TOTALS.....	2,673	2,836	501	6,010
Essex County				
Amesbury.....	1,628	3,386	280	5,294
Andover.....	2,733	10,723	498	13,954
BEVERLY.....	3,928	10,787	1,204	15,919
Boxford.....	614	2,672	121	3,407
Danvers.....	2,492	7,429	825	10,746
Essex.....	389	1,142	50	1,581
Georgetown.....	805	1,924	224	2,953
GLOUCESTER.....	2,928	7,468	898	11,294
Groveland.....	646	1,640	113	2,399
Hamilton.....	766	2,443	180	3,389
HAVERHILL.....	4,636	11,495	1,497	17,628

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	Yes	No	Blank	Total Ballots
Essex County (continued)				
Ipswich	1,620	4,038	303	5,961
LAWRENCE	2,533	7,862	1,620	12,015
LYNN	6,885	16,389	2,705	25,779
Lynnfield	1,137	4,563	278	5,978
Manchester	635	1,914	159	2,708
Marblehead	2,280	7,625	545	10,450
Merrimac	641	1,391	86	2,118
Methuen	3,252	10,718	1,519	15,489
Middleton	554	1,661	127	2,342
Nahant	528	1,337	143	2,008
Newbury	864	2,075	126	3,065
NEWBURYPORT	2,334	5,010	511	7,855
North Andover	2,093	7,688	449	10,230
PEABODY	4,921	13,735	1,290	19,946
Rockport	1,158	2,372	210	3,740
Rowley	537	1,495	87	2,119
SALEM	3,887	9,303	1,262	14,452
Salisbury	756	1,722	125	2,603
Saugus	2,688	7,752	806	11,246
Swampscott	1,749	4,547	391	6,687
Topsfield	639	2,132	114	2,885
Wenham	372	1,336	56	1,764
West Newbury	444	1,335	61	1,840
TOTALS	63,872	179,109	18,863	261,844
Franklin County				
Ashfield	363	398	30	791
Barnardston	254	543	45	842
Buckland	286	473	37	796
Charlemont	158	248	18	424
Colrain	257	348	29	634
Conway	362	393	29	784
Deerfield	753	1,299	97	2,149
Erving	177	371	28	576
Gill	220	362	25	607
Greenfield	2,011	4,056	492	6,559
Hawley	47	60	6	113
Heath	115	153	13	281
Leicester	506	346	22	874
Leyden	127	174	15	316
Monroe	11	29	5	45
Montague	1,070	1,892	145	3,107
New Salem	152	213	15	380
Northfield	449	775	78	1,302
Orange	633	1,679	95	2,407
Rowe	59	99	13	171
Hampshire County (continued)				
Westhampton	260	397	26	683
Williamsburg	508	565	47	1,120
Worthington	239	274	19	532
TOTALS	20,832	30,807	3,014	54,653
Middlesex County				
Action	2,140	6,193	315	8,648
Arlington	7,014	13,228	1,452	21,694
Ashby	350	733	30	1,113
Ashland	1,507	3,519	318	5,344
Ayer	531	1,256	82	1,869
Bedford	1,353	4,017	218	5,588
Belmont	3,527	8,517	1,012	13,056
Billerica	3,078	10,130	446	13,654
Boxborough	410	1,305	50	1,765
Burlington	2,230	7,149	475	9,854
CAMBRIDGE	13,706	16,480	3,358	33,544
Carlisle	505	1,799	65	2,369
Chelmsford	2,916	10,837	544	14,297
Concord	2,124	5,717	351	8,192
Dracut	2,020	7,584	925	10,529
Dunstable	213	813	24	1,050
EVERETT	2,719	7,989	1,414	12,122
Frammingham	6,446	15,403	1,418	23,267
Groton	899	2,575	130	3,604
Holliston	1,648	4,366	284	6,298
Hopkinton	992	3,481	192	4,665
Hudson	1,648	4,674	299	6,621
Lexington	3,969	10,609	895	15,473
Lincoln	657	1,924	172	2,753
Littleton	848	2,374	125	3,347
LOWELL	5,516	16,200	2,063	23,779
MALDEN	5,211	10,710	1,315	17,236
MARLBOROUGH	2,975	8,203	752	11,930
Maynard	1,266	2,959	191	4,416
MEDFORD	6,009	14,816	1,500	22,125
MELROSE	3,399	9,038	565	13,002
Naatic	3,751	9,046	977	13,774
NEWTON	10,280	23,766	3,126	37,172
North Reading	1,259	4,386	253	5,898
Pepperell	938	2,783	109	3,830
Reading	2,646	7,926	372	10,944
Sherborn	449	1,724	74	2,247
Shirley	463	1,411	82	1,956
SOMERVILLE	8,644	12,046	1,599	22,289
Stonham	2,430	6,254	588	9,252

Shelburne.....	286	459	64	809	Stow.....	671	2,093	76	2,840
Shutesbury.....	446	304	27	777	Sudbury.....	1,481	5,750	277	7,508
Sunderland.....	455	634	63	1,152	Tewksbury.....	2,481	8,076	396	10,929
Warwick.....	146	132	20	298	Townsend.....	738	2,103	173	3,014
Wendell.....	203	124	20	347	Tyngsborough.....	761	2,417	135	3,313
Whately.....	307	476	46	829	Wakefield.....	2,807	7,951	823	11,581
TOTALS.....	9,853	16,040	1,477	27,370	WALTHAM.....	4,691	12,238	1,706	18,635
Hampden County									
Agawam.....	2,918	7,618	930	11,466	Watertown.....	4,693	7,933	991	13,617
Blandford.....	147	333	25	505	Wayland.....	1,648	4,562	297	6,507
Brimfield.....	364	854	52	1,270	Westford.....	1,517	6,041	430	7,988
Chester.....	184	283	18	485	Weston.....	930	4,194	317	5,441
CHICOPEE.....	4,939	13,195	1,339	19,473	Wilmington.....	1,846	5,779	423	8,048
East Longmeadow.....	1,623	4,394	368	6,395	Winchester.....	2,172	7,933	573	10,678
Granville.....	158	376	34	568	WOBURN.....	3,221	10,414	1,268	14,903
Hampden.....	622	1,442	92	2,156	TOTALS.....	148,319	371,224	36,025	555,568
Holland.....	255	533	28	816	Nantucket County				
HOLYOKE.....	2,964	7,094	1,746	11,804	Nantucket.....	1,095	1,622	278	2,995
Longmeadow.....	1,638	5,656	415	7,709	TOTALS.....	1,095	1,622	278	2,995
Ludlow.....	1,787	4,509	752	7,048	Norfolk County				
Monson.....	937	1,881	220	3,038	Avon.....	534	1,474	153	2,161
Montgomery.....	84	261	11	356	Bellingham.....	1,526	3,521	454	5,501
Palmer.....	1,311	3,024	255	4,590	Braintree.....	3,626	10,979	732	15,337
Russell.....	141	364	26	531	Brookline.....	7,587	12,959	1,419	21,965
Southwick.....	744	1,996	201	2,941	Canton.....	2,171	6,475	690	9,336
SPRINGFIELD.....	10,274	23,068	5,898	39,240	Cohasset.....	654	2,850	304	3,808
Tolland.....	57	82	10	149	Dedham.....	2,544	7,580	933	10,985
Wales.....	189	361	23	573	Dover.....	422	2,236	126	2,784
West Springfield.....	2,534	6,720	940	10,194	Foxborough.....	1,723	4,787	276	6,766
WESTFIELD.....	3,333	9,517	890	13,740	Franklin.....	2,354	7,062	425	9,631
Wilbraham.....	1,283	4,526	485	6,294	Holbrook.....	1,158	3,033	254	4,445
TOTALS.....	38,486	98,087	14,758	151,331	Medfield.....	1,225	3,985	190	5,400
Hampshire County									
Annerst.....	3,970	3,364	444	7,778	Medway.....	1,135	3,065	259	4,459
Belchertown.....	1,400	2,480	280	4,160	Millis.....	819	2,423	123	3,365
Chesterfield.....	185	237	23	445	Milton.....	3,077	8,879	625	12,581
Cummington.....	166	194	16	376	Needham.....	3,172	10,990	542	14,704
Easthampton.....	2,254	3,805	242	6,301	Norfolk.....	730	2,843	138	3,711
Goshen.....	120	198	17	335	Norwood.....	3,119	8,227	1,093	12,439
Granby.....	638	1,520	131	2,289	Plainville.....	638	1,854	93	2,585
Hadley.....	769	1,369	115	2,253	QUINCY.....	8,681	21,200	2,524	32,405
Hatfield.....	564	991	80	1,635	Randolph.....	2,887	7,298	696	10,881
Huntington.....	272	425	20	717	Sharon.....	2,215	5,420	266	7,901
Middlefield.....	85	92	9	186	Stoughton.....	2,695	6,947	776	10,418
NORTHAMPTON.....	5,311	5,893	621	11,825	Walpole.....	2,231	6,934	625	9,790
Pelham.....	348	314	24	686	Wellesley.....	2,617	9,241	752	12,610
Plainfield.....	123	122	8	253	Westwood.....	1,532	5,317	334	7,183
South Hadley.....	1,919	4,794	558	7,271	Weymouth.....	5,630	15,357	1,661	22,648
Southampton.....	656	1,394	77	2,127	Wrentham.....	865	2,828	123	3,816
Ware.....	1,045	2,379	257	3,681	TOTALS.....	67,537	185,712	16,586	269,635

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	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Plymouth County								
Abrington	1,325	4,186	357	5,868				
Bridgewater	1,560	5,103	477	7,140				
BROCKTON	5,328	16,297	2,265	23,890				
Carver	1,029	2,947	134	4,110				
Duxbury	1,396	5,191	254	6,841				
East Bridgewater	856	3,250	249	4,355				
Halifax	663	1,916	134	2,713				
Hanover	1,224	4,132	289	5,645				
Hanson	870	2,741	139	3,750				
Hingham	2,063	7,593	477	10,133				
Hull	1,133	2,765	439	4,337				
Kingston	947	2,856	157	3,960				
Lakerville	800	2,551	144	3,495				
Marion	523	1,480	105	2,108				
Marshfield	2,566	6,682	509	9,757				
Mattapoisett	783	2,034	158	2,975				
Middleborough	1,398	4,211	279	5,888				
Norwell	906	3,605	204	4,715				
Pembroke	1,479	4,442	218	6,139				
Plymouth	3,946	11,330	1,669	16,945				
Plympton	269	818	46	1,133				
Rochester	429	1,263	75	1,767				
Rockland	1,540	4,511	292	6,343				
Scituate	1,941	6,428	375	8,744				
Wareham	1,301	4,654	340	6,895				
West Bridgewater	537	2,394	138	3,069				
Whitman	1,885	3,033	178	5,096				
TOTALS	39,297	118,413	10,101	167,811				
Suffolk County								
BOSTON	43,491	79,084	22,880	145,455				
CHELSEA	1,488	3,675	1,315	6,478				
REVERE	3,506	9,848	1,968	15,322				
Winthrop	1,964	4,990	474	7,428				
TOTALS	50,449	97,597	26,637	174,683				
Worcester County								
Ashburnham	553	1,305	108	1,966				
Athol	706	2,534	154	3,394				
Auburn	1,441	4,893	283	6,617				
Barre	501	1,284	120	1,905				
Berlin	263	751	35	1,049				
Blackstone	844	1,858	266	2,768				
Bolton	383	1,217	62	1,662				
Boylston	378	1,434	56	1,868				
Worcester County (continued)								
GARDNER	1,482	4,608	461	6,551				
Grafton	1,162	3,927	255	5,344				
Hardwick	284	651	64	999				
Harvard	577	1,861	79	2,517				
Holden	1,209	5,591	417	7,217				
Hopedale	647	1,630	169	2,446				
Hubbardston	332	858	52	1,242				
Lancaster	555	1,598	88	2,241				
Lewiston	923	2,977	198	4,098				
LEOMINSTER	3,114	9,120	875	13,109				
Lunenburg	908	2,493	212	3,613				
Mendon	409	1,355	72	1,836				
Millis	2,067	6,188	722	8,977				
Millbury	1,053	3,443	288	4,784				
Millville	300	472	71	843				
New Braintree	116	241	21	378				
North Brookfield	403	1,217	103	1,723				
Northborough	1,147	4,216	242	5,605				
Northbridge	948	3,457	352	4,757				
Oakham	169	494	26	689				
Oxford	873	3,086	399	4,358				
Paxton	369	1,576	69	2,014				
Petersham	186	379	34	599				
Phillipston	145	323	18	486				
Princeton	308	1,159	64	1,531				
Royalston	111	270	26	407				
Rutland	422	1,504	106	2,032				
Sherborn	2,375	8,888	541	11,804				
Southborough	789	2,623	164	3,576				
Southbridge	1,179	3,571	644	5,394				
Spencer	863	2,879	196	3,938				
Sterling	950	2,240	77	2,967				
Sturbridge	733	2,154	402	3,289				
Sutton	607	2,239	188	3,034				
Templeton	550	1,579	94	2,223				
Upton	524	1,892	99	2,515				
Uxbridge	939	2,819	198	3,956				
Warren	428	1,047	90	1,565				
Webster	944	3,716	591	5,251				
West Boylston	585	2,396	112	3,093				

Brookfield	299	778	45	1,122	West Brookfield	306	961	67	1,334
Charlton	865	2,411	117	3,393	Westborough	1,420	4,703	239	6,362
Clinton	1,286	3,595	322	5,203	Westminster	707	1,810	103	2,620
Douglas	574	1,518	89	2,181	Winchendon	588	1,559	170	2,317
Dudley	693	2,366	263	3,322	WORCESTER	11,372	32,218	3,330	46,920
East Brookfield	171	545	43	759	TOTALS	57,402	177,287	15,685	250,374
FITCHBURG	2,667	7,010	934	10,611					

QUESTION 8

LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of a law summarized below, on which no vote was taken by the Senate or the House of Representatives before May 4, 1994?

SUMMARY

This proposed law would increase the portion of gasoline tax revenue that would be credited to the state Highway Fund; prohibit the transfer of money from the Highway Fund to other state funds for other purposes; declare that citizens have a right to a safe and efficient public highway, road and bridge system and require the state to develop a comprehensive seven-year state transportation plan; and make certain other changes in state finance laws relating to the Highway Fund.

The proposed law would require that the small portion of state gasoline tax revenues that is deposited in funds relating to the use of watercraft be deposited instead in the Highway Fund. No revenue deposited in the Highway Fund could be transferred to any other state fund for any purpose other than one for which the Highway Fund may be used.

The proposed law would declare that the citizens of Massachusetts have a right to a safe and efficient public highway, road and bridge system, constructed and maintained by the state and its counties, cities and towns. The state Secretary

of Transportation and Construction would be required to prepare a comprehensive state transportation plan for the period July 1, 1995 through June 30, 2002, to be updated every three years. The plan would provide for the repair or reconstruction of at least five percent of public highways and bridges every year, and it would establish priorities for highway, road and bridge projects based on condition and safety factors. The plan would be designed to promote economic development and employment by meeting the various transportation needs of residents throughout the state. The plan would be prepared after a public hearing and after consultation with the state Secretaries of Environmental Affairs and Economic Affairs.

Under the proposed law, money in the Highway Fund would no longer be considered in determining whether the state government has sufficient money on hand to set some aside for use in fiscal years or to deposit some in the state tax reduction fund. The proposed law would declare that no more than 15% of gasoline tax revenues could be used for mass transportation purposes, but it would not prevent the state Legislature from appropriating additional gasoline tax revenues for such purposes.

The proposed law states that if any of its provisions were declared invalid, the other provisions would remain in effect.

Aggregate of Votes		Yes	%	No	%	Blanks	%	Total Ballots
Barnstable.....	68,319	72.76%	20,137	21.45%	5,443	5.80%	93,899	
Berkshire.....	32,829	65.70%	11,687	23.39%	5,451	10.91%	49,967	
Bristol.....	106,243	64.05%	39,555	23.85%	20,068	12.10%	165,866	
Dukes.....	3,861	64.24%	1,606	26.72%	543	9.03%	6,010	
Essex.....	174,353	66.59%	64,038	24.46%	23,453	8.96%	261,844	
Franklin.....	20,435	74.66%	5,353	19.56%	1,582	5.78%	27,370	
Hampden.....	99,043	65.45%	35,455	23.43%	16,833	11.12%	151,331	
Hampshire.....	38,514	70.47%	12,506	22.88%	3,633	6.65%	54,653	
Middlesex.....	379,879	68.38%	132,397	23.83%	43,292	7.79%	555,568	
Nantucket.....	1,991	66.48%	739	24.67%	265	8.85%	2,995	
Norfolk.....	186,884	69.26%	62,851	23.29%	20,100	7.45%	269,835	
Plymouth.....	117,005	69.72%	37,995	22.64%	12,811	7.63%	167,811	
Suffolk.....	96,393	55.18%	45,274	25.92%	33,016	18.90%	174,683	
Worcester.....	174,489	69.69%	57,216	22.85%	18,669	7.46%	250,374	
TOTALS.....	1,500,238	67.21%	526,809	23.60%	205,159	9.19%	2,232,206	

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots		Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Barnstable County									
Barnstable	14,422	3,881	987	19,290	Berkshire County (continued)				
Bourne	4,258	1,602	646	6,466	Williamstown	2,102	603	276	2,981
Brewster	3,407	958	238	4,603	Windsor	267	83	13	363
Chatham	2,997	738	155	3,890	Total for County	32,829	11,687	5,451	49,967
Dennis	5,496	1,452	354	7,302	Bristol County				
Eastham	1,966	622	86	2,674	Acushnet	2,494	821	460	3,775
Falmouth	9,406	3,056	1,137	13,599	Attleboro	8,056	2,700	803	11,559
Harwich	4,023	1,170	493	5,686	Berkley	1,094	443	84	1,621
Mashpee	2,902	935	152	3,989	Dartmouth	6,543	2,029	1,319	9,891
Orleans	2,554	750	236	3,540	Dighton	1,504	549	162	2,215
Provincetown	1,128	516	137	1,781	Easton	6,121	1,694	477	8,292
Sandwich	5,731	1,773	237	7,741	Fairhaven	3,888	1,197	809	5,894
Turo	631	258	67	916	FALL RIVER	13,860	5,976	5,731	25,567
Wellfleet	1,008	389	68	1,465	Freetown	2,150	760	164	3,074
Yarmouth	8,390	2,037	490	10,917	Mansfield	5,276	1,469	342	7,087
TOTALS	68,319	20,137	5,443	93,899	NEW BEDFORD	16,058	6,563	2,997	25,618
Berkshire County									
Adams	2,679	699	389	3,767	North Attleborough	5,784	2,197	802	8,783
Allford	115	48	21	184	Norton	3,625	1,233	302	5,160
Becket	373	145	42	560	Raynham	3,065	975	329	4,369
Cheshire	1,003	339	83	1,425	Rehoboth	2,204	961	209	3,374
Clarksburg	514	179	20	713	Seekonk	3,194	1,512	351	5,057
Dallton	1,749	650	197	2,596	Somerset	5,389	1,909	663	7,961
Egremont	366	150	40	556	Swansea	3,764	1,572	784	6,100
Florida	213	54	17	284	TAUNTON	8,862	3,721	2,491	15,074
Great Barrington	1,567	649	336	2,552	Westport	3,312	1,274	809	5,395
Hancock	175	62	23	260	TOTALS	106,243	39,555	20,068	165,866
Hinsdale	444	158	32	634	Dukes County				
Lanesborough	740	286	88	1,094	Chimark	268	113	40	421
Lee	1,385	566	395	2,346	Edgartown	904	380	152	1,436
Lenox	1,560	579	283	2,422	Gay Head	77	44	16	137
Monterey	231	102	25	358	Gosnold	44	19	8	71
Mt. Washington	45	5	63	113	Oak Bluffs	940	383	137	1,460
New Ashford	62	27	2	91	Tisbury	945	405	107	1,457
New Marlborough	303	127	41	471	West Tisbury	683	262	83	1,028
NORTH ADAMS	3,322	835	497	4,654	TOTALS	3,861	1,606	543	6,010
Otis	289	124	36	449	Essex County				
Peru	164	81	18	263	Anesbury	3,633	1,205	456	5,294
PITTSFIELD	10,089	3,920	2,244	16,253	Andover	10,248	3,040	666	13,954
Richmond	522	205	45	772	BEVERLY	10,728	3,756	1,435	15,919
Sandisfield	182	59	17	258	Boxford	2,593	592	222	3,407
Savoy	149	70	11	230	Danvers	7,192	2,622	932	10,746
Sheffield	760	372	91	1,223	Essex	1,153	374	54	1,581
Stockbridge	746	273	80	1,099	Georgetown	2,043	628	282	2,953
Tyringham	119	43	19	181	GLOUCESTER	7,287	2,775	1,232	11,294
Washington	177	51	5	233	Groveland	1,822	468	109	2,399
West Stockbridge	417	155	60	632	Hamilton	2,427	699	263	3,389

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots		Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Essex County (continued)					Hampshire County (continued)				
HAVERHILL	11,412	4,252	1,964	17,628	Souhampton.....	1,629	419	79	2,127
Ipswich	4,061	1,460	440	5,961	Ware	2,436	1,011	234	3,681
LAWRENCE	6,824	3,254	1,937	12,015	Westhampton	534	122	27	683
LYNN	16,763	5,944	3,072	25,779	Williamsburg	829	240	51	1,120
Lynnfield	4,403	1,192	383	5,978	Worthington.....	397	113	22	532
Manchester	1,868	632	208	2,708	TOTALS	38,514	12,506	3,633	54,653
Marblehead	5,523	4,073	854	10,450	Middlesex County				
Merrimac	1,520	513	85	2,118	Acton	6,712	1,597	339	8,648
Methuen	9,762	3,906	1,821	15,489	Arlington	14,971	5,053	1,670	21,694
Middleton	1,586	549	207	2,342	Ashby	850	234	29	1,113
Nahant	1,413	444	151	2,008	Ashland	3,687	1,242	415	5,344
Newbury	2,255	687	123	3,065	Ayer	1,379	405	85	1,869
NEWBURYPORT	5,348	1,796	711	7,855	Bedford	4,220	1,094	274	5,588
North Andover	7,524	2,203	503	10,230	Belmont	8,714	3,046	1,296	13,056
PEABODY	13,463	5,074	1,409	19,946	Billerica	10,381	2,769	504	13,654
Rockport	2,718	843	179	3,740	Boxborough	1,340	374	51	1,765
Rowley	1,532	473	114	2,119	Burlington	7,348	1,960	546	9,854
SALEM	8,484	4,406	1,562	14,452	CAMBRIDGE	19,100	10,272	4,172	33,544
Salisbury	1,851	623	129	2,603	Carlisle	1,758	532	79	2,369
Saugus	7,400	2,758	1,088	11,246	Chelmsford	11,294	2,432	571	14,297
Swampscott	4,693	1,437	557	6,687	Concord	2,124	5,717	351	8,192
Topsfield	2,114	595	176	2,885	Dracut	6,978	2,506	1,045	10,529
Wenham	1,297	398	69	1,764	Dunstable	829	193	28	1,050
West Newbury	1,413	367	60	1,840	EVERETT	7,373	3,180	1,569	12,122
TOTALS	174,353	64,038	23,453	261,844	Framingham	16,054	5,473	1,740	23,267
Franklin County					Groton	2,860	618	126	3,604
Ashfield	607	154	30	791	Holliston	4,759	1,193	346	6,298
Barnardston	638	163	41	842	Hopkinton	3,396	1,052	217	4,665
Buckland	620	136	40	796	Hudson	4,764	1,528	329	6,621
Charlemont	317	85	22	424	Lexington	10,599	3,599	1,275	15,473
Colrain	498	113	23	634	Lincoln	1,780	717	256	2,753
Conway	581	173	30	784	Littleton	2,571	650	126	3,347
Deerfield	1,646	410	93	2,149	LOWELL	16,327	4,880	2,572	23,779
Erving	425	125	26	576	MALDEN	11,538	4,011	1,687	17,236
Gill	477	107	23	607	MARLBOROUGH	8,308	2,755	867	11,930
Greenfield	4,786	1,183	590	6,559	Maynard	3,186	1,032	198	4,416
Hawley	84	20	9	113	MEDFORD	14,493	5,794	1,838	22,125
Heath	243	31	7	281	MELROSE	9,443	2,842	717	13,002
Leverett	577	252	45	874	Naick	9,543	3,031	1,200	13,774
Leyden	251	47	18	316	NEWTON	24,091	9,224	3,857	37,172
Monroe	33	8	4	45	North Reading	4,570	979	349	5,898
Montague	2,355	614	138	3,107	Pepperell	3,049	670	111	3,830
New Salem	287	79	14	380	Reading	8,277	2,218	449	10,944
Northfield	1,013	216	73	1,302	Sherborn	1,650	503	94	2,247
Orange	1,772	539	96	2,407	Shirley	1,387	502	67	1,956

SOMERVILLE.....	13,861	6,422	2,006	22,289
Stoneham.....	6,336	2,251	665	9,252
Stow.....	2,178	581	81	2,840
Sudbury.....	5,435	1,631	442	7,508
Tewksbury.....	8,492	2,016	421	10,929
Townsend.....	2,258	531	225	3,014
Tyngsborough.....	2,491	680	142	3,313
Wakfield.....	8,112	2,555	914	11,581
WALTHAM.....	12,344	4,293	1,998	18,635
Watertown.....	8,990	3,455	1,172	13,617
Wayland.....	4,591	1,530	386	6,507
Westford.....	6,061	1,459	468	7,988
Weston.....	3,777	1,322	342	5,441
Wilmington.....	5,756	1,874	418	8,048
Winchester.....	7,613	2,394	671	10,678
WOBURN.....	9,881	3,526	1,496	14,903
TOTALS.....	379,879	132,397	43,292	555,568
Nantucket County				
Nantucket.....	1,991	739	265	2,995
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Norfolk County				
Avon.....	1,524	479	158	2,161
Bellingham.....	3,552	1,423	526	5,501
Brantree.....	11,036	3,548	753	15,337
Brookline.....	14,318	5,403	2,244	21,965
Canton.....	6,444	2,123	769	9,336
Chassett.....	2,670	837	301	3,808
Dedham.....	7,405	2,501	1,079	10,985
Dover.....	2,062	549	173	2,784
Foxborough.....	5,189	1,310	287	6,786
Franklin.....	7,022	2,265	544	9,831
Holbrook.....	3,100	1,077	268	4,445
Medfield.....	4,028	1,173	199	5,400
Medway.....	3,241	960	258	4,459
Mills.....	2,546	697	122	3,365
Milton.....	8,655	3,162	764	12,581
Needham.....	10,495	3,491	718	14,704
Norfolk.....	2,723	813	175	3,711
Norwood.....	8,398	2,848	1,193	12,439
Plainville.....	1,960	520	105	2,585
QUINCY.....	21,261	8,167	2,977	32,405
Randolph.....	7,505	2,576	800	10,881
Sharon.....	6,036	1,559	306	7,901
Stoughton.....	7,260	2,298	860	10,418
Walpole.....	6,587	2,189	1,014	9,790
Wellesley.....	8,414	3,039	1,157	12,610
Westwood.....	5,171	1,608	404	7,183
Weymouth.....	15,514	5,397	1,737	22,648
Wrentham.....	2,768	839	209	3,816
TOTALS.....	186,884	62,851	20,100	269,835
Rowe.....	125	37	9	171
Shelburne.....	624	134	51	809
Shutesbury.....	543	194	40	777
Sunderland.....	840	238	74	1,152
Warwick.....	219	54	25	298
Wendell.....	253	74	20	347
Whately.....	621	167	41	829
TOTALS.....	20,435	5,353	1,582	27,370
Hampden County				
Agawam.....	8,086	2,370	1,010	11,466
Blandford.....	376	108	21	505
Brimfield.....	902	329	39	1,270
Chester.....	373	91	21	485
CHICOPEE.....	13,115	4,743	1,615	19,473
East Longmeadow.....	4,604	1,352	429	6,385
Granville.....	403	140	25	568
Hampden.....	1,563	499	94	2,156
Holyoke.....	556	232	28	816
HOLYOKE.....	6,869	3,027	1,908	11,804
Longmeadow.....	5,654	1,578	477	7,709
Ludlow.....	4,324	1,842	882	7,048
Monson.....	2,072	710	256	3,038
Montgomery.....	259	83	14	356
Palmer.....	3,038	1,194	358	4,590
Russell.....	369	143	19	531
Southwick.....	2,014	716	211	2,941
SPRINGFIELD.....	23,398	9,128	6,714	39,240
Tolland.....	105	35	9	149
Wales.....	402	150	21	573
West Springfield.....	6,703	2,385	1,106	10,194
WESTFIELD.....	9,342	3,367	1,031	13,740
Wilbraham.....	4,516	1,233	545	6,294
TOTALS.....	99,043	35,455	16,833	151,331
Hampshire County				
Amherst.....	5,235	1,859	684	7,778
Belchertown.....	2,904	937	319	4,160
Chesterfield.....	335	95	15	445
Cummington.....	286	82	8	376
Easthampton.....	4,684	1,354	253	6,301
Goshen.....	239	80	16	335
Granby.....	1,595	535	159	2,289
Hadley.....	1,624	534	95	2,253
Hatfield.....	1,191	368	76	1,635
Huntington.....	527	173	17	717
Middlefield.....	141	39	6	186
NORTHAMPTON.....	8,428	2,610	787	11,825
Pelham.....	519	149	18	686
Plainfield.....	188	57	8	253
South Hadley.....	4,783	1,729	759	7,271