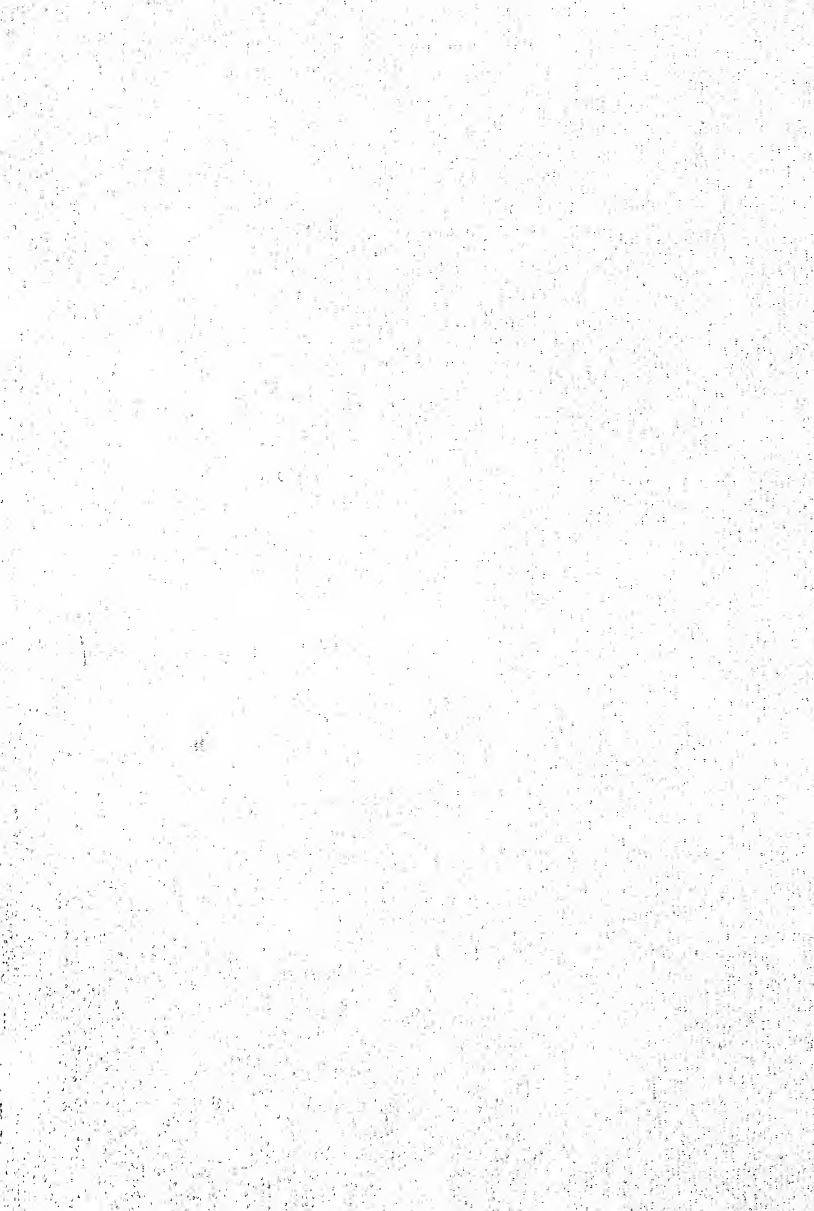




QUESTION 8

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

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	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	Natick	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
TOTALS	1,991	739	265	2,995
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

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	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots		Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Plymouth County									
Abrington	4,026	1,302	540	5,868	GARDNER	4,337	1,654	560	6,551
Bridgewater	1,979	1,500	661	7,140	Grafton	3,957	1,089	298	5,344
BROCKTON	15,311	5,633	2,946	23,890	Harvard	711	525	51	999
Carver	1,521	917	152	4,110	Holden	1,898	525	94	2,517
Duxbury	5,138	1,400	303	6,841	Hopedale	5,310	1,368	539	7,217
East Bridgewater	3,081	930	344	4,355	Hubbardston	1,640	595	211	2,446
Hallifax	1,931	613	169	2,713	Lancaster	968	241	33	1,242
Hanover	3,978	1,261	406	5,645	Leicester	1,659	486	96	2,241
Hanson	2,848	727	175	3,750	LEOMINSTER	2,916	922	260	4,098
Hingham	7,027	2,430	676	10,133	Lunenburg	8,601	3,229	1,279	13,109
Hull	2,744	1,078	515	4,337	Mendon	2,520	813	280	3,613
Kingston	2,894	828	238	3,960	Millbury	1,342	399	95	1,836
Lakeville	2,617	740	138	3,495	Millville	5,773	2,407	797	8,977
Marion	1,489	522	87	2,108	North Brantree	3,379	1,049	356	4,784
Marshfield	7,068	2,227	462	9,757	North Brookfield	519	144	26	689
Mattapoisett	2,207	557	211	2,975	Northbridge	1,856	519	144	2,519
Middleborough	4,160	1,385	343	5,888	Oakham	1,520	419	75	2,014
Norwell	3,411	1,052	252	4,715	Paxton	428	144	27	599
Pembroke	4,487	1,419	233	6,139	Petersham	339	124	23	486
Plymouth	10,977	3,892	2,076	16,945	Phillipston	1,220	250	61	1,531
Plympton	822	263	48	1,133	Princeton	292	84	31	407
Rochester	1,310	370	87	1,767	Royalston	1,445	439	148	2,032
Rockland	4,408	1,523	412	6,343	Rutland	8,917	2,306	581	11,804
Schuette	6,317	1,871	556	8,744	Shrewsbury	2,586	808	182	3,576
Wareham	4,643	1,852	400	6,895	Southbridge	3,189	1,406	799	5,394
West Bridgewater	2,320	583	166	3,069	Spencer	2,742	971	225	3,938
Whitman	3,761	1,120	215	5,096	Sterling	2,293	596	78	2,967
TOTALS	117,005	37,995	12,811	167,811	Sturbridge	2,155	734	400	3,289
					Sutton	2,212	613	209	3,034
					Templeton	1,558	580	85	2,223
					Upton	1,775	630	110	2,515
					Uxbridge	2,815	919	222	3,956
					Warren	1,061	404	100	1,565
					Webster	3,305	1,344	602	5,251
					West Boylston	2,398	580	115	3,093
					West Brookfield	960	309	65	1,334
					Westborough	4,899	255	255	5,409
					Westminster	1,954	525	141	2,620
					Winchendon	1,556	552	209	2,317
Suffolk County									
BOSTON	79,337	37,504	28,614	145,455					
CHELSEA	3,125	1,781	1,572	6,478					
REVERE	8,827	2,275	1,322	15,322					
Winthrop	5,104	1,769	555	7,428					
TOTALS	96,393	45,274	33,016	174,683					
Worcester County									
Ashburnham	1,396	437	133	1,966					
Attol	2,386	808	198	3,394					
Auburn	4,924	1,311	382	6,617					
Barre	1,436	351	118	1,905					
Berlin	777	237	35	1,049					
Blackstone	1,761	719	288	2,768					
Bolton	1,260	356	46	1,662					
Boylston	1,416	375	77	1,868					

Worcester County (continued)

Brookfield	836	242	44	1,122	WORCESTER	32,245	10,530	4,145	46,920
Charlton	2,521	753	119	3,393	TOTALS	174,489	57,216	18,669	250,374
Clinton	3,517	1,296	390	5,203					
Douglas	1,570	515	96	2,181					
Dudley	2,167	808	347	3,322					
East Brookfield	548	161	50	759					
FITCHBURG	6,999	2,502	1,110	10,611					

QUESTION 9

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 prohibit rent control for most privately owned housing units in Massachusetts, and would nullify certain existing rent control laws, except that cities and towns would be authorized to adopt a restricted form of rent control for a six month period, after which compliance by property owners would be voluntary.

The proposed law would prohibit any city or town from enacting, maintaining or enforcing any law that requires below-market rents for residential properties. It would also prohibit the regulation of occupancy, services, evictions, condominium conversion, or the removal of the unit from rent control, if such

regulation was part of a system requiring below-market rents. Existing state and local rent control laws would be nullified. The proposed law would not affect publicly owned or subsidized housing, federally assisted housing, or mobile homes.

Cities and towns would be authorized to adopt rent control for a six-month period on housing units that have a fair market rent of \$400 or less and that are owned by a person or entity owning ten or more rental units. Such rent control could not include the regulation of occupancy, services, evictions, condominium conversion, or the removal of the unit from rent control. The city or town would have to pay the owners of rent-controlled units the difference between the controlled rent and the fair market rent. After six months, owners of rent-controlled units would not be required to comply with the rent control regulation or with any other such regulation that the city or town might adopt in the future.

The proposed law would take effect on January 1, 1995. 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.....	42,705	45.48%	44,213	47.09%	6,981	7.43%	93,899
Berkshire.....	17,281	34.58%	26,120	52.27%	6,566	13.14%	49,967
Bristol.....	69,273	41.76%	74,594	44.97%	21,999	13.26%	165,866
Dukes.....	2,317	38.55%	3,025	50.33%	668	11.11%	6,010
Essex.....	123,649	47.22%	110,855	42.34%	27,340	10.44%	261,844
Franklin.....	12,776	46.68%	12,356	45.14%	2,238	8.18%	27,370
Hampden.....	59,394	39.25%	73,168	48.35%	18,769	12.40%	151,331
Hampshire.....	19,049	34.85%	30,943	56.62%	4,661	8.53%	54,653
Middlesex.....	280,810	50.54%	232,126	41.78%	42,631	7.67%	555,568
Nantucket.....	1,271	42.44%	1,376	45.94%	348	11.62%	2,995
Norfolk.....	133,749	49.57%	116,487	43.17%	19,599	7.26%	269,835
Plymouth.....	83,494	49.75%	68,981	41.11%	15,336	9.14%	167,811
Suffolk.....	71,429	40.89%	76,255	43.65%	26,999	15.46%	174,683
Worcester.....	117,402	46.89%	110,237	44.03%	22,735	9.08%	250,374
TOTALS.....	1,034,599	46.35%	980,736	43.94%	216,870	9.72%	2,232,206

Berkshire County (continued)

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Washington.....	92	125	16	233
West Stockbridge.....	229	334	69	632
Williamstown.....	951	1,582	348	2,981
Windsor.....	129	197	37	363
TOTALS	17,281	26,120	6,566	49,967

Bristol County

Acushnet.....	1,618	1,672	485	3,775
Attleboro.....	4,529	6,111	919	11,559
Berkley.....	739	746	136	1,621
Dartmouth.....	4,310	4,096	1,485	9,891
Dighton.....	874	1,131	210	2,215
Easton.....	4,583	3,179	530	8,292
Fairhaven.....	2,548	2,468	878	5,894
Fall River.....	9,223	10,625	5,719	25,567
Freetown.....	1,398	1,463	213	3,074
Mansfield.....	3,607	3,025	455	7,087
TOTALS	69,273	74,594	21,999	165,866

Dukes County

Chilmark.....	148	225	48	421
Edgartown.....	602	670	164	1,436
Gay Head.....	36	81	20	137
Gosnold.....	27	37	7	71
Oak Bluffs.....	587	703	170	1,460
Tisbury.....	530	771	156	1,457
West Tisbury.....	387	538	103	1,028
TOTALS	2,317	3,025	668	6,010

Essex County

Amesbury.....	2,318	2,468	508	5,294
Andover.....	7,852	5,307	795	13,954
Beverly.....	7,074	7,256	1,589	15,919
Boxford.....	2,123	1,057	227	3,407
Danvers.....	4,924	4,839	983	10,746
Essex.....	812	672	97	1,581

Barnstable County

Barnstable.....	9,253	8,761	1,276	19,290
Bourne.....	2,782	2,925	799	6,506
Brewster.....	2,109	2,176	315	4,600
Chatham.....	1,869	1,754	270	3,893
Dennis.....	3,310	3,524	468	7,302
Eastham.....	1,150	1,385	139	2,674
Falmouth.....	5,840	6,524	1,235	13,599
Harwich.....	2,310	2,799	577	5,686
Mashpee.....	1,889	1,879	221	3,989
Orleans.....	1,691	1,547	302	3,540
Provincetown.....	599	1,031	151	1,781
Sandwich.....	3,798	3,493	450	7,741
Taunton.....	347	531	38	916
Wareham.....	597	779	89	1,465
Yarmouth.....	5,161	5,105	651	10,917
TOTALS	42,705	44,213	6,981	93,899

Berkshire County

Adams.....	1,199	2,154	414	3,767
Alford.....	102	24	184	510
Becket.....	228	285	47	560
Cheshire.....	496	790	139	1,425
Clarksburg.....	181	480	72	713
Dalton.....	1,004	1,337	255	2,596
Egremont.....	212	283	61	556
Florida.....	92	170	22	284
Great Barrington.....	776	1,363	413	2,552
Hancock.....	90	133	37	260
Hinsdale.....	241	336	57	634
Lanesborough.....	414	550	130	1,094
Lee.....	820	1,081	445	2,346
Lenox.....	927	1,160	335	2,422
Monterey.....	110	220	28	358
Mt. Washington.....	16	41	6	63
New Ashford.....	34	47	10	91
New Marlborough.....	189	231	51	471
NORTH ADAMS.....	1,308	2,795	551	4,654
Otis.....	152	247	50	449
Peru.....	105	139	19	263
PITTSFIELD.....	5,805	7,855	2,593	16,253
Richmond.....	308	401	63	772
Sandisfield.....	98	142	18	258
Savoy.....	68	141	21	230
Sheffield.....	455	664	104	1,223
Stockbridge.....	414	577	108	1,099
Tyringham.....	80	78	23	181

QUESTION 9

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Essex County (continued)				
Georgetown	1,392	1,236	325	2,953
GLOUCESTER	4,837	5,074	1,383	11,294
Groveland	1,179	1,047	173	2,399
Hamilton	1,740	1,326	323	3,389
HAVERHILL	7,740	7,829	2,059	17,628
Ipswich	2,869	2,626	466	5,961
LAWRENCE	4,785	5,365	1,875	12,015
LYNN	11,600	10,658	3,521	25,779
Lynnfield	3,207	1,040	1,731	5,978
Manchester	1,400	1,089	219	2,708
Marblehead	5,523	4,073	854	10,450
Merrimac	950	1,021	147	2,118
Methuen	7,072	6,406	2,011	15,489
Middleton	1,177	935	230	2,342
Nahant	1,054	779	175	2,008
Newbury	1,508	1,328	229	3,065
NEWBURYPORT	3,523	3,588	744	7,855
North Andover	5,699	3,777	754	10,230
PEABODY	9,041	9,364	1,541	19,946
Rockport	1,727	1,736	277	3,740
Rowley	1,058	911	150	2,119
SALEM	5,948	6,973	1,531	14,452
Salisbury	1,187	1,288	148	2,603
Saugus	5,431	4,586	1,229	11,246
Swampscott	3,466	2,606	615	6,687
Topsfield	1,618	1,080	187	2,885
Wenham	912	742	110	1,764
West Newbury	923	783	134	1,840
TOTALS	123,649	110,855	27,340	261,844
Franklin County				
Ashfield	323	397	71	791
Barnardston	410	365	67	842
Buckland	374	359	63	796
Charlemont	206	190	28	424
Colrain	294	294	46	634
Conway	303	415	66	784
Deerfield	1,052	967	130	2,149
Erving	287	250	39	576
Gill	291	269	47	607
Greenfield	3,296	2,621	642	6,559
Hawley	60	41	12	113
Heath	139	124	18	281
Leverett	336	476	62	874
Leyden	143	143	30	316
Monroe	13	28	4	45
Hampshire County (continued)				
Middlefield	66	107	13	186
NORTHAMPTON	3,666	7,242	917	11,825
Pelham	225	416	45	686
Plainfield	86	145	22	253
South Hadley	2,695	3,734	842	7,271
Southampton	812	1,168	147	2,127
Ware	1,448	1,874	359	3,681
Westhampton	282	340	61	683
Williamsburg	373	667	80	1,120
Worthington	200	297	35	532
TOTALS	19,049	30,943	4,661	54,653
Middlesex County				
Acton	4,457	3,741	450	8,648
Arlington	11,675	8,695	1,324	21,694
Ashby	546	496	71	1,113
Ashland	2,615	2,255	474	5,344
Ayer	823	915	131	1,869
Bedford	2,877	2,370	341	5,588
Belmont	7,832	4,304	920	13,056
Billerica	6,906	6,077	671	13,654
Boxborough	875	793	97	1,765
Burlington	5,435	3,842	577	9,854
CAMBRIDGE	13,309	18,631	1,604	33,544
Carlisle	1,408	858	103	2,369
Cheimsford	7,290	6,120	887	14,297
Concord	4,120	3,466	606	8,192
Dracut	4,634	4,787	1,108	10,529
Dunstable	563	424	63	1,050
EVERETT	5,690	4,768	1,664	12,122
Frammingham	11,232	10,264	1,771	23,267
Groton	1,892	1,479	233	3,604
Holliston	3,090	2,707	501	6,298
Hopkinton	2,463	1,929	273	4,665
Hudson	3,123	2,991	507	6,621
Lexington	8,037	6,302	1,134	15,473
Lincoln	1,488	1,077	188	2,753
Littletton	1,843	1,283	221	3,347
LOWELL	10,392	10,278	3,109	23,779
MALDEN	8,499	6,758	1,979	17,236
MARLBOROUGH	5,749	5,139	1,042	11,930
Maynard	2,030	2,059	327	4,416
MEDFORD	11,967	11,683	1,683	22,125
MELROSE	7,181	5,073	748	13,002
Natick	6,518	6,018	1,238	13,774

Montague	1,537	1,340	230	3,107	NEWTON	18,439	15,343	3,390	37,172
New Salem	187	164	29	380	North Reading	3,198	2,310	390	5,898
Norfield	654	527	121	1,302	Pepperell	1,928	1,658	244	3,830
Orange	1,101	1,144	162	2,407	Reading	6,265	4,156	523	10,944
Rose	75	81	15	171	Sherborn	1,284	810	153	2,247
Shelburne	411	325	73	809	Shirley	887	952	117	1,956
Shutesbury	236	468	73	777	SOMERVILLE	10,633	10,304	1,352	22,289
Sunderland	461	619	72	1,152	Stoneham	4,949	3,580	713	9,252
Warwick	130	134	34	298	Stow	1,505	1,183	152	2,840
Wendell	115	207	25	347	Sudbury	4,016	2,956	536	7,508
Whately	342	408	79	829	Tewksbury	5,818	4,563	548	10,929
TOTALS	12,776	12,356	2,238	27,370	Townsend	1,437	1,320	257	3,014
Hampden County	4,477	5,694	1,295	11,466	Tyngsborough	1,636	1,443	234	3,313
Agawam	204	272	29	505	Wakefield	6,004	4,678	899	11,581
Blandford	589	611	70	1,270	WALTHAM	9,620	7,095	1,920	18,635
Brimfield	193	255	37	485	Watertown	7,227	5,443	947	13,617
CHICOPEE	7,575	10,141	1,757	19,473	Wayland	3,491	2,598	418	6,507
East Longmeadow	2,726	3,112	547	6,385	Westford	4,067	3,317	604	7,988
Granville	243	262	63	568	Weston	3,322	1,798	320	5,441
Hampden	921	1,069	166	2,156	Wilmington	4,290	3,131	627	8,048
Holland	387	381	48	816	Winchester	6,539	3,482	657	10,678
HOLYOKE	4,287	5,569	1,948	11,804	WOBURN	7,696	5,622	1,493	14,903
Longmeadow	3,750	3,313	646	7,709	TOTALS	280,810	232,126	42,631	555,568
Ludlow	2,560	3,557	931	7,048	Nantucket County	1,271	1,376	348	2,995
Monson	1,193	1,532	313	3,038	Nantucket	1,271	1,376	348	2,995
Montgomery	135	199	22	356	Norfolk County	1,046	938	177	2,161
Palmer	1,670	2,492	428	4,590	Avon	2,317	2,599	585	5,501
Russell	220	283	28	531	Bellingham	7,988	6,532	807	15,337
Southwick	1,233	1,463	245	2,941	Blandine	9,188	11,689	1,088	21,965
SPRINGFIELD	14,244	17,966	7,030	39,240	Brookline	4,843	3,697	796	9,336
Tolland	77	55	17	149	Canton	2,002	1,441	365	3,808
Wales	237	299	37	573	Cohasset	5,513	4,471	1,001	10,985
West Springfield	3,978	4,955	1,261	10,194	Dedham	1,670	934	180	2,784
WESTFIELD	5,673	6,860	1,207	13,740	Dover	3,472	2,951	363	6,786
Wilbraham	2,822	2,828	644	6,294	Foxborough	4,623	4,509	699	9,631
TOTALS	59,394	73,168	18,769	151,331	Franklin	2,059	2,068	318	4,445
Hampshire County	2,407	4,648	723	7,778	Holbrook	2,974	2,116	310	5,400
Amherst	1,495	2,273	392	4,160	Medfield	2,151	1,991	317	4,459
Belchertown	161	248	36	445	Medway	1,566	1,590	209	3,365
Chesterfield	112	237	27	376	Millic	7,027	4,846	708	12,581
Cummington	2,292	3,594	415	6,301	Milton	7,902	6,035	767	14,704
Easthampton	907	200	28	335	Needham	1,962	1,555	194	3,711
Goshen	107	192	190	2,289	Norfolk	5,945	5,277	1,217	12,439
Granby	828	1,260	165	2,253	Norwood	1,115	1,321	149	2,585
Hadley	594	911	130	1,635	Plainville	15,656	13,919	2,830	32,405
Hatfield	293	390	34	717	QUINCY				

QUESTION 9

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots		Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Norfolk County (continued)									
Randolph	5,031	5,013	837	10,881	Worcester County (continued)	520	520	82	1,122
Sharon	4,030	3,553	318	7,901	Brookfield	1,693	1,505	195	3,393
Stoughton	5,097	4,362	959	10,418	Clinton	2,224	2,424	555	5,203
Walpole	5,018	3,956	816	9,790	Douglas	986	1,044	151	2,181
Wellesley	6,830	4,690	1,090	12,610	Dudley	1,488	1,481	353	3,322
Westwood	4,017	4,024	482	7,183	East Brookfield	343	331	85	759
Weymouth	10,879	10,011	1,758	22,648	FITCHBURG	4,696	4,702	1,213	10,611
Wrentham	1,818	1,719	279	3,816	GARDNER	2,698	3,147	706	6,551
TOTALS	133,749	116,487	19,599	269,835	Grafton	2,641	2,373	330	5,344
Plymouth County									
Arlington	2,910	2,411	547	5,868	Hardwick	411	510	78	999
Bridgewater	3,614	2,772	754	7,140	Harvard	1,370	998	149	2,517
BROCKTON	11,478	9,456	2,956	23,890	Holden	3,768	2,775	674	7,217
Carver	1,892	1,984	277	4,110	Hopedale	1,102	1,078	266	2,446
Duxbury	3,841	2,623	374	6,841	Hubbardston	581	571	90	1,242
East Bridgewater	2,250	1,670	435	4,355	Lancaster	1,130	962	149	2,241
Halifax	1,346	1,144	223	2,713	Leicester	1,904	1,865	329	4,098
Hanover	2,955	2,207	483	5,645	LEOMINSTER	5,758	5,827	1,524	13,109
Hanson	1,976	1,546	228	3,750	Lunenburg	1,678	1,558	377	3,613
Hingham	5,592	3,772	769	10,133	Mendon	881	120	1,836	81
Hull	2,041	1,774	522	4,337	Millford	3,858	4,213	906	8,977
Kingston	1,848	1,788	324	3,960	Millbury	2,213	2,172	399	4,784
Lakeville	1,771	1,445	279	3,495	Millville	381	395	67	843
Marion	1,094	840	174	2,108	New Braintree	165	177	36	378
Marshfield	4,906	4,100	751	9,757	North Brookfield	777	771	175	1,723
Mattapoisett	1,598	1,112	265	2,975	Northborough	2,950	2,333	322	5,605
Middleborough	2,865	2,546	477	5,888	Northbridge	2,201	2,106	450	4,757
Norwell	2,593	1,798	324	4,715	Oakham	309	326	54	689
Pembroke	3,066	2,647	426	6,139	Oxford	1,856	1,940	562	4,358
Plymouth	7,497	7,105	2,343	16,945	Paxton	1,072	794	148	2,014
Plympton	607	443	83	1,133	Petersham	279	266	54	599
Rochester	878	740	149	1,767	Phillipston	214	226	46	486
Rockland	2,906	2,966	471	6,343	Princeton	874	541	116	1,531
Rockland	3,906	3,500	596	8,744	Royalston	173	186	49	407
Scituate	3,013	3,252	630	6,895	Rutland	942	908	181	2,032
Wareham	1,628	1,230	211	3,069	Shrewsbury	6,237	4,872	695	11,804
West Bridgewater	2,721	2,110	265	5,096	Southborough	1,853	1,480	243	3,576
Whitman	83,494	69,981	15,336	167,811	Southbridge	2,291	2,240	863	5,394
TOTALS	83,494	69,981	15,336	167,811	Spencer	1,852	1,804	282	3,938
Suffolk County									
BOSTON	57,308	65,195	22,952	145,455	Sterling	1,532	1,247	188	2,967
CHELSEA	2,632	2,313	1,533	6,478	Sturbridge	1,499	1,308	329	3,289
REVERE	7,294	6,025	2,003	15,322	Sutton	1,524	1,260	250	3,034
Winthrop	4,195	2,722	511	7,428	Templeton	963	1,108	152	2,223
TOTALS	71,429	76,255	26,999	174,683	Upton	1,257	1,087	171	2,515
					Uxbridge	1,833	1,854	269	3,956
					Warren	587	825	153	1,565

QUESTION 10

Shall the town of Ashland be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay for the bond issued in order to finance architectural design and engineering plans for expansion and construction of school facilities?

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Ashland	2,686	2,075	583	5,344

QUESTION 10

Shall the town of Barnstable withdraw from the Cape Cod commission?
in the town of Barnstable.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Barnstable	7,792	10,302	1,196	19,290

QUESTION 10

Shall the town of Belmont be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay for the bond issued in order to construct, equip and furnish a replacement of the Chenery Middle School?

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Belmont	7,357	4,649	1,050	13,056

in the town of Belmont.

QUESTION 10

Do you approve of the following loan order which was adopted by the city council on June twenty-first, nineteen hundred and ninety four by a vote of eight yeas and one nay and approved by the mayor on June twenty-second, nineteen hundred and ninety-four?

ORDERED. That the sum of \$9,113,000 be and hereby is appropriated for constructing, originally equipping and furnishing a new police station, including site acquisition and other costs incidental and related thereto, and that to meet this appropriation, the City Treasurer, with the approval of the Mayor, is hereby authorized to borrow at one time or from time to time a sum not exceeding \$9,113,000 under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 7 (3), of the General Laws, as amended and supplemented, or any other enabling authority, and to issue and sell bonds or notes of the City thereof?

in the city of Fall River.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
FALL RIVER	12,850	9,138	3,579	25,567

QUESTION 10

Shall the town of Holliston be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay for the bond to be issued in order to finance the construction of public ways or the extension or widening thereof, including land damages and the cost of pavement and sidewalks laid at the time of said construction, or for the construction of stone, block, brick, cement concrete, bituminous concrete, bituminous macadam or other pavement of similar lasting character, or for macadam pavement or other road material?

in the town of Holliston.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Holliston	2,325	2,752	1,221	6,298

QUESTION 10

Shall the city of Gardner be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay for the bond issued in order to construct, renovate and furnish new and existing public schools in the city of Gardner, and all other costs associated therewith?

in the city of Gardner.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
GARDNER	2,065	3,802	684	6,551

QUESTION 10

Shall the town of Holland be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay for the bond issued in order to design the Mashapaug/Brimfield Road reconstruction?

in the town of Holland.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Holland	366	386	64	816

QUESTION 10

Shall the town of Lee be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay for the bond issued in order to design, develop, construct and equip a municipal golf course, including land acquisition, clubhouse and related structures?

in the town of Lee.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Lee	933	1,027	386	2,346

QUESTION 10

Shall the town of Berkley be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay for the bonds to be issued in order to construct a solid waste and recycling facility and transfer center?

in the town of Berkley.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Berkley	691	784	146	1,621

QUESTION 10

Shall a restaurant license be granted in the town of Bolton to Rich House, Inc., for the sale of all alcoholic beverages, to be consumed on the premises?

in the town of Bolton.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Bolton	1,055	524	83	1,662

QUESTION 11

Shall the town of Lee be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay for the bond issued in order to construct a water treatment plant and related appurtenances and for the purchase and installation of water meters?

in the town of Lee.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Lee	447	1,471	428	2,346

QUESTION 10

Shall an act passed by the general court in the year nineteen hundred and ninety-four entitled "An Act amending the Charter of the City of Lowell" be accepted? in the city of Lowell.

SUMMARY OF ACT TO AMEND CHARTER OF THE CITY OF LOWELL

This proposed law provides for changes in the Charter of the City of Lowell. The Charter would be amended to vest the Chief Executive power of the City of Lowell in a Mayor elected by and from the qualified voters of the City. The Mayor would also have veto power over ordinances, resolutions, orders and votes adopted or passed by the City Council. The Mayor's veto may be overridden by a two-thirds vote of the City Council. If the Mayor does not return a vote, order, resolution or ordinance to the City Council with his/her written objection to it within ten (10) days after it is presented to him/her, it shall take effect. The Mayor would receive the same salary as was paid to the City Manager under the Plan E Charter. If a vacancy occurs in the office of Mayor during the first twelve months of his/her term, the City Council will order a special election to fill the vacancy. If a vacancy occurs in the office of the Mayor during the last twelve months of his/her term, the chairperson of the City Council will perform the duties of Mayor for the remainder of the term, except that s/he would not be able to make permanent appointments to city departments.

The government of the City of Lowell would continue to be vested in nine (9) City Councilors elected at large for two (2) year terms. The City Council member who received the highest number of votes at the general municipal election would

QUESTION 11

Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and ninety-four entitled "An Act amending the charter of the city of Lowell to impose limitations on the terms of office of all city of Lowell elected public officials" be accepted? in the city of Lowell.

SUMMARY OF ACT AMENDING CHARTER OF THE CITY OF LOWELL TO IMPOSE TERM LIMITATIONS ON ALL CITY OF LOWELL ELECTED PUBLIC OFFICIALS

Under this proposed law, no individual would be able to serve as a member of the School Committee of the City of Lowell, as a member of the City Council of the City of Lowell, or as Mayor elected by the registered voters of the City of Lowell for more than a total of four (4), consecutive or non-consecutive, two (2)-year terms.

If accepted by the voters of the City of Lowell, this proposed law would take effect on the first Monday in January, 1996.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
LOWELL	12,160	7,914	3,705	23,779

QUESTION 12

Do you approve of the expenditure of public funds by the city of Lowell for the purpose of participating in the construction and/or development of the proposed multi-purpose sports arena in the city of Lowell for use by the University of Massachusetts at Lowell, the city and other public and private users? in the city of Lowell.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
LOWELL	10,647	9,763	3,369	23,779

QUESTION 10

Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and ninety-four, entitled "An Act providing that the Mayor the city of Melrose be a voting member of the school committee, the school committee be reduced from nine to seven, and that each of the other six members be elected for four years on a staggered basis, three members every two years", be accepted?
in the city of Melrose.

SUMMARY

This proposed law would amend the Charter of the City of Melrose, causing three specific changes to the current election process. (1) The person serving as Mayor of Melrose would become a full member of the School Committee. (2) The total number of School Committee members would be reduced from nine to seven. Six members would be elected and one member would be the Mayor. (3) In the city election of 1995, the six elected members of the School Committee will be those receiving the highest number of votes. The three elected members receiving the most votes in that election shall serve terms of four years. The three elected members receiving the fewest votes shall serve terms of two years. In regular city elections in 1997 (and every two years thereafter), there would be three vacancies on the School Committee caused by the expiration of the terms of its members.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
MELROSE	5,734	5,741	1,527	13,002

QUESTION 10

Shall the city of Northampton be allowed to exempt from the provisions of proposition two and one-half, so-called, the amounts required to pay for the principal and interest on the bond and bond anticipation notes in order to expand and renovate the John F. Kennedy Middle School, with a swimming pool?
in the city of Northampton.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
NORTHAMPTON ...	6,238	4,780	807	11,825

serve as Chairperson of the City Council and the Council member who received the second highest number of votes at the general municipal election would serve as Vice-Chairperson of the Lowell City Council. The Chairperson of the City Council would receive the same salary as was paid to the Mayor under the Plan E Charter.

The School Committee would consist of seven (7) members elected at large for two (2) year terms. The School Committee member who received the highest number of votes at the general municipal election would serve as the Chairperson of the School Committee. The member who received the second highest number of votes at the general municipal election would serve as the Vice-Chairperson of the School Committee. The Chairperson of the School Committee would receive the same salary as the other members of the School Committee. The general management and conduct of the public schools of the City of Lowell is vested in the School Committee.

A vacancy in the City Council or School Committee would be filled by whichever of the defeated candidates received the highest number of votes in the last regular municipal election, and is eligible and willing to fill the vacancy.

If accepted by the voters of the City of Lowell, this proposed law would take effect for the October 10, 1995 preliminary election for nominations, the November 7, 1995 regular city elections, and, for all other purposes, on the first Monday in January, 1996.

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
LOWELL	9,283	10,736	3,760	23,779