



Worcester Northern District	Democratic Primary					Republican Primary			State Election						
	James F. Connors of Fitchburg	Kathleen Reynolds Daigneault of Leominster	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	John A. Bowen of Westminster	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	John A. Bowen of Westminster, Republican	Kathleen Reynolds Daigneault of Leominster, Democratic	George E. Watts of Fitchburg, Unenrolled	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Ashburnham.....	299	332	3	84	718	63	2	16	81	937	961	284	-	194	2,376
FITCHBURG.....	2,446	1,910	27	463	4,846	227	3	93	323	2,390	4,758	2,809	18	441	10,416
LEOMINSTER.....	1,140	3,190	12	321	4,663	211	5	92	308	3,077	8,119	1,639	16	645	13,496
Lunenburg.....	409	589	-	213	1,211	112	-	38	150	1,601	1,836	638	-	225	4,300
Westminster.....	347	418	11	125	901	113	1	17	131	1,819	948	277	2	174	3,220
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>4,641</b>	<b>6,439</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>1,206</b>	<b>12,339</b>	<b>726</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>993</b>	<b>9,824</b>	<b>16,622</b>	<b>5,647</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1,679</b>	<b>33,808</b>



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	Thomas Paul Bernardo of Chatham	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	William Doherty of Harwich	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	William Doherty of Harwich, Republican	Thomas Paul Bernardo of Chatham, Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
<b>Barnstable County</b>													
Barnstable .....	3,813	13	2,515	6,341	1,392	4	399	1,795	10,766	7,390	7	1,759	19,922
Bourne .....	1,588	-	967	2,555	300	-	73	373	3,888	3,037	-	833	7,758
Brewster .....	1,054	3	639	1,696	306	-	66	372	2,792	2,040	-	461	5,293
Chatham .....	731	9	421	1,161	449	3	161	613	1,987	1,723	11	215	3,936
Dennis .....	1,790	-	1,067	2,857	575	-	133	708	4,294	3,025	2	639	7,960
Eastham .....	768	-	465	1,233	283	-	58	341	1,546	1,265	-	257	3,068
Falmouth .....	3,697	14	2,572	6,283	579	-	143	722	7,229	6,579	9	1,511	15,328
Harwich .....	1,327	8	791	2,126	765	1	195	961	4,054	2,071	2	430	6,557
Mashpee .....	1,374	5	810	2,189	314	1	68	383	3,091	2,227	-	835	6,153
Orleans .....	764	4	449	1,217	425	2	130	557	2,115	1,381	1	313	3,810
Provincetown .....	729	-	425	1,154	33	-	8	41	357	1,331	-	268	1,956
Sandwich .....	1,651	5	1,119	2,775	467	-	143	610	4,893	3,620	2	934	9,449
Truro .....	383	1	209	593	40	-	7	47	467	628	-	129	1,224
Wellfleet .....	473	-	290	763	78	-	25	103	662	868	2	169	1,701
Yarmouth .....	2,703	3	1,548	4,254	1,240	1	362	1,603	6,051	4,273	3	947	11,274
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>22,845</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>14,287</b>	<b>37,197</b>	<b>7,246</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1,971</b>	<b>9,229</b>	<b>54,192</b>	<b>41,458</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>9,700</b>	<b>105,389</b>

	Democratic Primary				Republican Primary				State Election					
	Maria F. Lopes of Taunton	Gregory DeMelo of Dartmouth	Perry C. Long of Westport	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	No Nominations	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Maria F. Lopes of Taunton, Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
<b>Bristol County</b>														
Acushnet .....	608	744	285	-	200	1,837	-	1	110	111	3,127	12	861	4,000
ATTLEBORO .....	1,753	477	423	-	609	3,262	-	-	691	691	9,430	145	3,424	12,999
Berkley .....	290	99	88	-	101	578	-	-	70	70	1,528	-	640	2,168
Dartmouth .....	1,025	2,766	566	4	690	5,061	-	43	407	450	8,039	54	3,002	11,095

Easton.....	1,398	540	223	2	688	2,851	-	284	284	5,512	23	3,343	8,878
Fairhaven.....	811	1,018	472	-	389	2,690	-	205	205	4,575	28	1,505	6,108
FALL RIVER.....	3,357	3,554	4,131	-	1,683	12,725	-	673	673	13,699	-	8,039	21,738
Freetown.....	456	339	232	1	157	1,185	-	118	120	2,364	38	869	3,271
Mansfield.....	1,188	526	292	-	579	2,585	-	658	658	5,589	-	2,719	8,308
NEW BEDFORD.....	4,973	5,129	1,906	26	1,952	13,986	-	714	760	17,593	163	6,344	24,100
North Attleborough.....	940	359	227	3	367	1,896	-	386	400	6,624	91	2,742	9,457
Norton.....	972	267	174	-	352	1,765	-	244	244	4,112	5	1,976	6,093
Raynham.....	842	318	109	-	232	1,501	-	148	148	3,192	1	1,560	4,753
Rehoboth.....	361	84	72	-	133	650	-	222	222	2,939	-	1,198	4,137
Seekonk.....	792	304	240	1	321	1,658	-	332	348	3,986	-	1,327	5,313
Somerset.....	1,210	835	780	-	353	3,178	-	206	212	5,612	1	1,745	7,358
Swansea.....	813	525	706	3	359	2,406	-	229	246	4,326	36	1,437	5,799
TAUNTON.....	3,799	1,735	481	8	725	6,748	-	341	364	10,481	507	4,472	15,460
Westport.....	336	340	1,587	-	229	2,492	-	201	203	4,204	6	1,707	5,917
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>26,325</b>	<b>20,164</b>	<b>13,056</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>10,165</b>	<b>69,758</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>6,316</b>	<b>118,641</b>	<b>1,126</b>	<b>49,578</b>	<b>169,345</b>

Dukes County	Democratic Primary					Republican Primary					State Election											
	Robert M. Sawyer of Tisbury	Paul A. Strauss of Oak Bluffs	Carlene J. Gating of Edgartown	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Woodrow W. Williams of Tisbury	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Leslie H. Leland of West Tisbury, Unenrolled	Robert Sawyer of Tisbury, Democratic	Paul A. Strauss of Oak Bluffs, Democratic	Carlene J. Gating of Edgartown, Democratic	Woodrow W. Williams of Tisbury, Republican	Peter R. Helfer of Tisbury, Unenrolled	Tristian R. Israel of Tisbury, Unenrolled	Jessie B. Law of Oak Bluffs, Unenrolled	Richard S. Lee of Aquinnah, Independent/Unenrolled	James T. Morse of Tisbury, Independent	Total Votes Cast	
Aquinnah.....	41	39	39	8	181	308	1	-	3	4	73	82	70	82	82	30	16	114	29	99	27	622
Chilmark.....	117	110	117	3	561	908	10	-	62	72	220	213	196	264	264	110	97	293	102	206	83	1,784
Edgartown.....	204	186	242	-	1,228	1,860	43	-	197	240	659	614	558	850	493	493	211	674	412	286	317	5,074
Gosnold.....	9	9	8	15	19	60	3	12	1	16	26	29	27	19	17	3	3	6	8	14	19	168
Oak Bluffs.....	234	345	218	20	1,623	2,440	46	-	226	272	728	653	901	706	431	235	726	763	264	264	361	5,768
Tisbury.....	282	265	265	27	1,281	2,120	48	3	205	256	780	628	558	630	450	293	944	443	296	380	5,402	
West Tisbury.....	200	206	210	28	1,368	2,012	32	-	160	192	567	490	488	597	259	199	737	296	385	268	4,286	
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>1,087</b>	<b>1,160</b>	<b>1,099</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>6,261</b>	<b>9,708</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>854</b>	<b>1,052</b>	<b>3,053</b>	<b>2,709</b>	<b>2,798</b>	<b>3,148</b>	<b>1,790</b>	<b>1,054</b>	<b>3,494</b>	<b>2,053</b>	<b>1,550</b>	<b>1,455</b>	<b>8,560</b>	

Norfolk County	Democratic Primary				Republican Primary				State Election				
	Peter H. Collins of Milton	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Thomas F. Gorman of Dedham	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Peter H. Collins of Milton, Democratic	Thomas F. Gorman of Dedham, Republican	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Avon .....	562	-	221	783	30	-	17	47	1,101	485	2	259	1,847
Bellingham .....	1,295	-	460	1,755	113	-	42	155	3,254	1,847	5	816	5,922
Braintree .....	4,433	16	2,519	6,968	352	1	195	548	3,942	3,942	16	2,348	14,438
Brookline .....	5,550	4	4,744	10,298	174	-	109	283	13,362	3,045	12	3,737	20,156
Canton .....	2,510	1	1,257	3,768	172	-	70	242	5,033	2,560	2	1,408	9,003
Cohasset .....	688	-	432	1,120	111	-	48	159	1,591	1,301	-	734	3,626
Dedham .....	3,088	11	1,797	4,896	192	1	81	274	5,047	3,545	7	1,444	10,043
Dover .....	461	2	361	824	116	-	28	144	955	1,262	3	529	2,749
Foxborough .....	1,693	1	654	2,348	240	-	76	316	3,527	2,509	2	920	6,958
Franklin .....	2,070	-	948	3,018	205	-	92	297	5,915	4,041	-	1,592	11,548
Holbrook .....	1,253	1	467	1,721	114	-	46	160	2,465	1,176	-	499	4,140
Medfield .....	1,194	-	643	1,837	127	-	44	171	2,841	2,223	-	937	6,001
Medway .....	1,020	4	460	1,484	79	-	45	124	2,628	1,931	6	651	5,216
Millis .....	838	1	368	1,207	105	-	45	150	1,731	1,239	3	598	3,571
Milton .....	4,914	608	2,443	7,965	250	2	143	395	8,232	2,170	9	2,426	12,837
Needham .....	3,605	10	2,706	6,321	284	4	150	438	7,100	3,796	6	2,981	13,883
Norfolk .....	782	3	467	1,252	120	1	60	181	1,721	1,705	3	603	4,032
Norwood .....	3,692	12	1,774	5,478	254	3	123	380	6,106	3,480	5	1,648	11,239
Plainville .....	555	-	205	760	91	-	33	124	1,561	1,188	-	281	2,980
QUINCY .....	9,946	55	4,260	14,261	713	17	410	1,140	17,400	6,431	45	5,395	29,271
Randolph .....	3,568	16	1,846	5,430	141	1	68	210	6,931	1,872	13	1,653	10,469
Sharon .....	2,209	3	1,220	3,432	95	-	49	144	4,713	1,720	8	1,377	7,818
Stoughton .....	2,992	8	1,392	4,392	220	-	100	320	6,048	2,602	1	1,560	10,211
Walpole .....	2,609	4	1,269	3,882	294	-	124	418	5,117	3,759	10	1,336	10,222
Wellesley .....	2,589	-	2,020	4,609	272	-	154	426	5,646	3,707	1	2,087	11,441
Westwood .....	1,688	12	1,005	2,705	179	-	86	265	3,014	2,611	-	1,271	6,896
Weymouth .....	6,336	22	2,747	9,105	620	1	287	908	12,571	5,921	20	2,424	20,936
Wrentham .....	752	-	391	1,143	126	1	41	168	2,033	1,793	5	710	4,541
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>72,892</b>	<b>794</b>	<b>39,076</b>	<b>112,762</b>	<b>5,789</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>2,766</b>	<b>8,587</b>	<b>145,775</b>	<b>73,811</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>42,224</b>	<b>261,994</b>

State Election

Republican Primary

Democratic Primary

Plymouth County	Democratic Primary				Republican Primary				State Election							
	Timothy J. McMullen of Pembroke	Lisa C. Clark of Rockland	Robert Sullivan of Plymouth	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Oly deMacedo of Kingston*	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Timothy J. McMullen of Pembroke, Democratic	John R. Caffery of Hingham, Republican	Thomas Jones of Brockton, Unenrolled	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Abington.....	834	868	236	2	309	2,249	137	-	70	207	3,388	1,699	309	4	547	5,947
Bridgewater.....	1,025	584	381	4	530	2,524	115	1	67	183	4,316	2,494	559	5	1,103	8,477
BROCKTON.....	4,061	2,698	1,432	3	1,515	9,709	506	289	289	797	14,056	3,827	2,529	-	2,217	22,630
Carver.....	412	291	405	-	182	1,290	150	2	27	179	2,409	1,418	226	-	392	4,445
Duxbury.....	765	366	329	7	588	2,055	257	1	65	323	3,113	3,062	163	4	848	7,190
East Bridgewater.....	670	392	189	1	268	1,520	141	-	54	195	2,603	1,566	337	2	571	5,079
Halifax.....	446	212	145	1	136	940	137	2	44	183	1,635	888	171	3	337	3,034
Hanover.....	920	609	230	4	459	2,222	165	2	81	248	3,138	2,242	189	5	684	6,258
Hanson.....	608	251	122	-	186	1,167	134	1	58	193	2,323	1,307	153	-	321	4,104
Hingham.....	1,130	962	411	-	1,091	3,594	250	-	104	354	3,545	4,842	230	-	1,634	10,251
Hull.....	671	518	219	-	412	1,820	56	-	43	99	2,553	1,227	150	6	570	4,506
Kingston.....	735	201	314	6	276	1,532	379	5	200	584	2,760	1,683	163	-	463	5,069
Lakeville.....	387	237	246	-	249	1,119	112	-	46	158	1,839	1,530	267	-	450	4,086
Marion.....	226	182	187	1	211	807	129	1	63	193	1,165	902	104	1	293	2,465
Marshfield.....	1,907	710	468	3	650	3,738	219	-	83	302	5,953	3,435	359	5	1,022	10,774
Mattapoisett.....	336	207	274	2	226	1,045	96	-	46	142	1,541	996	142	-	478	3,157
Middleborough.....	821	442	599	1	350	2,213	253	1	68	322	3,785	2,503	536	1	815	7,640
Norwell.....	648	384	131	1	425	1,589	103	1	39	143	2,199	1,997	131	3	591	4,921
Pembroke.....	1,515	212	151	1	255	2,134	183	2	53	238	4,425	2,001	187	4	541	7,158
Plymouth.....	3,029	1,081	5,034	10	2,319	11,473	3,056	22	947	4,025	10,986	6,624	777	14	2,830	21,231
Plympton.....	172	80	64	-	72	388	79	-	37	116	715	447	48	-	123	1,333
Rochester.....	164	106	180	-	138	588	69	-	26	95	1,001	741	128	-	400	2,270
Rockland.....	531	1,421	186	1	248	2,387	134	7	64	205	3,700	1,796	323	7	829	6,655
Scituate.....	1,157	682	402	-	791	3,032	238	-	120	358	4,110	3,180	274	7	1,065	8,636
Wareham.....	760	466	921	3	414	2,564	242	1	109	352	4,454	2,217	428	8	640	7,747
West Bridgewater.....	359	203	130	2	146	840	124	-	67	191	1,351	957	255	2	300	2,865
Whitman.....	846	578	262	-	220	1,906	184	3	57	244	2,950	1,539	339	2	406	5,236
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>25,135</b>	<b>14,943</b>	<b>13,648</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>12,666</b>	<b>66,445</b>	<b>7,648</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>2,927</b>	<b>10,629</b>	<b>96,013</b>	<b>57,120</b>	<b>9,477</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>20,470</b>	<b>183,164</b>

\*As a result of the nominee withdrawing, a caucus was held to fill the vacancy pursuant to General Laws chapter 53, section 14, and that person chosen at the caucus appeared on the General Election ballot.

COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Franklin County	State Election				Total Votes Cast
	Bill Perman	All Others	Blanks		
Ashfield.....	122	14	750		886
Barnardston.....	0	50	867		917
Buckland.....	21	70	732		823
Charlmont.....	10	10	478		498
Colrain.....	3	10	618		631
Conway.....	13	17	941		971
Deerfield.....	0	167	2,194		2,361
Erving.....	0	29	507		536
Gill.....	5	6	657		668
Greenfield.....	4	80	6,382		6,466
Hawley.....	0	4	129		133
Heath.....	14	9	315		338
Leverett.....	0	14	932		946
Leyden.....	7	8	337		352
Monroe.....	0	1	41		42
Montague.....	10	76	3,098		3,184
New Salem.....	5	12	458		475
Northfield.....	5	21	1,277		1,303
Orange.....	0	16	2,313		2,329
Rowe.....	0	5	187		192
Shelburne.....	19	61	837		917
Shutesbury.....	4	22	947		973
Sunderland.....	0	31	1,286		1,317
Warwick.....	8	12	304		324
Wendell.....	0	0	422		422
Whately.....	3	13	782		798
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>758</b>	<b>27,791</b>		<b>28,802</b>





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 3, 2006?

SUMMARY

This proposed law would allow local licensing authorities to issue licenses for food stores to sell wine. The proposed law defines a "food store" as a retail vendor, such as a grocery store, supermarket, shop, club, outlet, or warehouse-type seller, that sells food to consumers to be eaten elsewhere (which must include meat, poultry, dairy products, eggs, fresh fruit and produce, and other specified items), and that may sell other items usually found in grocery stores. Holders of licenses to sell wine at food stores could sell wine either on its own or together with any other items they sell.

The licensing authorities in any city or town of up to 5000 residents could issue up to 5 licenses for food stores to sell wine. In cities or towns of over 5000 residents, one additional license could be issued for each additional 5000 residents (or fraction of 5000). No person or business could hold more than 10% of the total number of the licenses that could be issued under the

proposed law. Such licenses would not be counted when applying the laws that limit the number of other kinds of alcoholic beverage licenses that may be issued or held. Any applicant for a license would have to be approved by the state Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission, and any individual applicant would have to be at least 21 years old and not have been convicted of a felony.

In issuing any licenses for food stores to sell wine, local licensing authorities would have to use the same procedures that apply to other licenses for the retail sale of alcoholic beverages. Except where the proposed law has different terms, the same laws that apply to issuance, renewal, suspension and termination of licenses for retail sales of alcoholic beverages which are not to be consumed on the seller's premises, and that apply to the operations of holders of such licenses, would govern licenses to sell wine at food stores, and the operation of holders of such licenses. Local authorities could set fees for issuing and renewing such licenses.

A YES VOTE would create a new category of licenses for food stores to sell wine, and it would allow local licensing authorities to issue such licenses.

A NO VOTE would make no change in the laws concerning the sale of wine.

Aggregate of Votes

	Yes	%	No	%	Blanks	%	Total Ballots
BARNSTABLE .....	39,601	37.57%	61,077	57.95%	4,722	4.48%	105,400
BERKSHIRE .....	13,156	28.14%	30,292	64.80%	3,300	7.06%	46,748
BRISTOL.....	58,684	34.65%	97,863	57.48%	13,332	7.87%	169,379
DUKES .....	3,204	41.62%	3,894	50.58%	601	7.81%	7,699
ESSEX.....	112,368	43.14%	129,846	49.85%	18,274	7.02%	260,488
FRANKLIN .....	11,737	40.75%	15,462	53.68%	1,603	5.57%	28,802
HAMPDEN.....	55,370	40.40%	72,277	52.74%	9,398	6.86%	137,045
HAMPSHIRE.....	24,254	42.67%	30,026	52.83%	2,559	4.50%	56,839
MIDDLESEX .....	237,908	44.18%	269,534	50.06%	31,002	5.76%	538,444
NANTUCKET .....	1,450	35.96%	2,190	54.32%	392	9.72%	4,032
NORFOLK .....	104,793	40.05%	144,206	55.11%	12,647	4.83%	261,646
PLYMOUTH.....	66,719	36.42%	107,627	58.75%	8,861	4.84%	183,207
SUFFOLK .....	79,917	44.09%	83,515	46.07%	17,833	9.84%	181,265
WORCESTER.....	108,306	41.21%	138,405	52.66%	16,130	6.14%	262,841
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>917,467</b>	<b>40.89%</b>	<b>1,185,714</b>	<b>52.84%</b>	<b>140,654</b>	<b>6.27%</b>	<b>2,243,835</b>

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
<b>Berkshire County (cont.)</b>				
Peru.....	125	129	3	257
PITTSFIELD.....	3,585	9,592	1,190	14,367
Richmond.....	232	488	67	787
Sandisfield.....	103	157	13	273
Savoy.....	81	125	14	220
Sheffield.....	317	954	57	1,328
Stockbridge.....	229	680	79	988
Tyringham.....	45	143	8	196
Washington.....	107	139	9	255
West Stockbridge.....	160	487	34	681
Williamstown.....	962	1,758	140	2,860
Windsor.....	152	241	12	405
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>13,156</b>	<b>30,292</b>	<b>3,300</b>	<b>46,748</b>

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
<b>Bristol County</b>				
Acushnet.....	1,323	2,517	160	4,000
ATTLEBORO.....	4,623	7,613	776	13,012
Berkley.....	841	1,239	88	2,168
Dartmouth.....	4,195	6,241	659	11,095
Dighton.....	834	1,450	109	2,393
Easton.....	3,003	5,599	276	8,878
Fairhaven.....	2,045	3,588	475	6,108
FALL RIVER.....	6,516	11,355	3,867	21,738
Freetown.....	1,353	1,821	97	3,271
Mansfield.....	3,263	4,737	308	8,308
NEW BEDFORD.....	7,679	13,709	2,712	24,100
North Attleborough.....	3,394	5,792	271	9,457
Norton.....	2,464	3,475	154	6,093
Raynham.....	1,666	2,846	241	4,753
Rehoboth.....	1,456	2,387	294	4,137
Seekonk.....	1,862	3,102	368	5,332
Somerset.....	2,330	4,245	783	7,358
Swansea.....	1,992	3,468	339	5,799
TAUNTON.....	5,711	8,707	1,044	15,462
Westport.....	2,134	3,472	311	5,917
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>58,684</b>	<b>97,363</b>	<b>13,332</b>	<b>169,379</b>

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
<b>Barnstable County</b>				
Barnstable.....	7,756	11,271	895	19,922
Bourne.....	2,942	4,557	267	7,766
Brewster.....	1,835	3,126	332	5,293
Chatham.....	1,563	2,288	85	3,936
Dennis.....	2,877	4,778	308	7,963
Eastham.....	1,116	1,867	85	3,068
Falmouth.....	6,005	8,588	735	15,328
Harwich.....	2,308	3,829	420	6,557
Mashpee.....	2,511	3,150	492	6,153
Orleans.....	1,182	2,484	144	3,810
Provincetown.....	868	1,040	48	1,956
Sandwich.....	3,556	5,496	397	9,449
Truro.....	479	712	33	1,224
Wellfleet.....	642	1,019	40	1,701
Yarmouth.....	3,961	6,872	441	11,274
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>39,601</b>	<b>61,077</b>	<b>4,722</b>	<b>105,400</b>

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
<b>Berkshire County</b>				
Adams.....	853	1,725	208	2,786
Alford.....	61	184	11	256
Becket.....	261	298	29	588
Cheshire.....	425	854	39	1,318
Clarksburg.....	254	365	13	632
Dalton.....	625	1,654	144	2,423
Egremont.....	161	480	18	659
Florida.....	141	118	9	268
Great Barrington.....	562	1,932	360	2,854
Hancock.....	108	147	7	262
Hinsdale.....	235	430	23	688
Lanesborough.....	290	753	32	1,075
Lee.....	596	1,451	88	2,135
Lenox.....	560	1,681	184	2,425
Monterey.....	132	294	19	445
Mount Washington.....	22	50	7	79
New Ashford.....	39	54	2	95
New Marlborough.....	186	410	23	619
NORTH ADAMS.....	1,332	2,226	413	3,971
Otis.....	215	293	45	553

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	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots		Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots					
<b>Dukes County</b>														
Aquinnah.....	106	100	8	214	<b>Hampden County</b>									
Chilmark.....	253	293	44	590	Agawam.....	4,081	5,838	637	10,556					
Edgartown.....	719	923	108	1,750	Blandford.....	268	205	17	490					
Gosnold.....	27	32	-	59	Brimfield.....	669	776	25	1,470					
Oak Bluffs.....	737	1,026	188	1,951	Chester.....	234	225	7	466					
Tisbury.....	689	870	169	1,728	CHICOPEE.....	6,531	8,761	1,470	16,762					
West Tisbury.....	673	650	84	1,407	East Longmeadow.....	2,431	3,364	342	6,137					
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>3,204</b>	<b>3,894</b>	<b>601</b>	<b>7,699</b>	Granville.....	269	327	7	603					
<b>Essex County</b>														
Amesbury.....	3,014	2,669	316	5,999	Hampden.....	915	1,271	59	2,245					
Andover.....	6,160	6,876	449	13,485	Holland.....	418	390	64	872					
BEVERLY.....	6,957	7,665	992	15,614	HOLYOKE.....	3,860	5,830	796	10,486					
BEVERLY.....	2,079	1,573	174	3,826	Longmeadow.....	3,053	3,775	528	7,356					
Boxford.....	4,836	5,440	259	10,535	Ludlow.....	3,030	3,597	321	6,948					
Danvers.....					Monson.....	1,112	1,804	189	3,105					
Essex.....	753	956	27	1,736	Montgomery.....	172	186	3	361					
Georgetown.....	1,620	1,546	238	3,404	Palmer.....	1,795	2,327	156	4,278					
GLOUCESTER.....	4,874	6,200	977	12,051	Russell.....	251	296	11	558					
Groveland.....	1,364	1,344	206	2,914	Southwick.....	1,396	1,761	219	3,376					
Hamilton.....	1,593	1,839	155	3,587	SPRINGFIELD.....	13,308	16,825	2,513	32,646					
Haverhill.....	8,472	8,677	1,027	18,176	Tolland.....	80	78	30	188					
Ipswich.....	2,343	3,560	379	6,282	Wales.....	331	312	73	716					
LAWRENCE.....	3,539	5,454	3,774	12,767	West Springfield.....	3,290	4,665	562	8,517					
LYNN.....	7,466	11,480	1,718	20,664	WESTFIELD.....	4,853	6,482	1,074	12,409					
Lynnfield.....	2,197	2,786	389	5,372	Wilbraham.....	3,023	3,182	295	6,500					
Manchester-by-the-Sea.....	1,314	1,273	101	2,688	<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>55,370</b>	<b>72,277</b>	<b>9,398</b>	<b>137,045</b>					
Marblehead.....	4,120	5,193	550	9,863	<b>Hampshire County</b>									
Merrimac.....	1,399	1,196	68	2,663	Amherst.....	3,467	4,447	314	8,228					
Methuen.....	6,700	6,581	1,069	14,350	Belchertown.....	2,493	2,366	242	5,101					
Middleton.....	1,485	1,737	262	3,484	Chesterfield.....	192	281	13	486					
Nahant.....	937	838	99	1,874	Cummington.....	187	194	12	393					
Newbury.....	1,529	1,591	252	3,372	Easthampton.....	2,492	3,570	294	6,356					
NEWBURYPORT.....	3,859	3,842	494	8,195	Goshen.....	175	255	9	439					
North Andover.....	5,247	5,063	308	10,618	Granby.....	1,128	1,399	68	2,595					
PEABODY.....	8,145	10,900	1,413	20,458	Hadley.....	811	1,451	94	2,356					
Rockport.....	1,583	2,047	104	3,734	Hatfield.....	734	895	63	1,692					
Rowley.....	1,176	1,289	97	2,562	Huntington.....	357	376	17	750					

SAL.EM.....	6,363	1,173	13,866	105	106	5	216
Salisbury.....	1,334	200	2,911	4,831	6,499	726	12,056
Saugus.....	3,660	393	10,126	294	388	33	715
Swampscott.....	2,782	314	6,312	114	152	19	285
Topsfield.....	1,588	136	3,098	3,061	3,294	335	6,690
Wenham.....	796	63	1,796				
West Newbury.....	1,084	98	2,106				
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>112,368</b>	<b>18,274</b>	<b>260,488</b>	<b>24,254</b>	<b>30,026</b>	<b>2,559</b>	<b>56,839</b>

**Franklin County**

Ashfield.....	450	25	886				
Barnardston.....	285	219	917				
Buckland.....	324	90	823				
Charlemont.....	234	16	498				
Colrain.....	266	17	631				
Conway.....	433	34	971				
Deerfield.....	974	128	2,361				
Erving.....	236	31	536				
Gill.....	260	30	668				
Greenfield.....	2,502	413	6,466				
Hawley.....	66	6	133				
Heath.....	158	11	338				
Leverett.....	367	34	946				
Leyden.....	149	5	352				
Monroe.....	20	1	42				
Montague.....	1,293	94	3,184				
New Salem.....	195	10	475				
Northfield.....	535	69	1,303				
Orange.....	921	135	2,329				
Rowe.....	75	7	192				
Shelburne.....	346	103	917				
Shutesbury.....	421	29	973				
Sunderland.....	623	57	1,317				
Warwick.....	144	9	324				
Wendell.....	138	13	422				
Whately.....	322	17	798				
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>11,737</b>	<b>1,603</b>	<b>28,802</b>				

**Middlesex County**

Acton.....	4,048	4,211	452	8,711
Arlington.....	9,505	9,745	961	20,211
Ashby.....	638	677	31	1,346
Ashland.....	2,793	3,091	196	6,080
Ayer.....	1,168	1,112	115	2,395
Bedford.....	2,585	2,875	250	5,710
Belmont.....	5,057	5,400	582	11,039
Billerica.....	5,733	7,374	584	13,691
Boxborough.....	1,011	1,040	40	2,091
Burlington.....	3,694	5,616	170	9,480
<b>CAMBRIDGE.....</b>	<b>17,260</b>	<b>12,638</b>	<b>2,722</b>	<b>32,620</b>
Carlisle.....	1,444	1,140	45	2,629
Chelmsford.....	6,787	7,325	660	14,772
Concord.....	3,829	4,240	404	8,473
Dracut.....	4,731	5,066	566	10,363
Dunstable.....	739	596	27	1,362
EVERETT.....	3,323	5,017	1,474	9,814
Framingham.....	8,127	10,767	1,420	20,314
Groton.....	2,164	2,167	251	4,582
Holliston.....	2,689	3,582	207	6,478
Hopkinton.....	2,701	3,051	268	6,020
Hudson.....	3,302	3,490	181	6,973
Lexington.....	6,619	6,918	609	14,146
Lincoln.....	1,479	1,124	161	2,764
Littleton.....	1,864	1,920	98	3,882
<b>LOWELL.....</b>	<b>9,191</b>	<b>10,249</b>	<b>1,908</b>	<b>21,348</b>
MALDEN.....	5,333	7,572	1,234	14,139
MARLBOROUGH.....	5,226	5,880	756	11,862
Maynard.....	1,742	2,479	272	4,493
MEDFORD.....	7,690	10,440	1,554	19,684

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	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
<b>Middlesex County (cont.)</b>				
MELROSE .....	5,089	6,345	545	11,979
Natick .....	5,865	7,315	521	13,701
NEWTON .....	15,876	15,926	2,016	33,818
North Reading .....	2,823	3,164	224	6,211
Pepperell .....	2,285	2,050	194	4,529
Reading .....	3,646	6,220	382	10,248
Sherborn .....	1,057	1,087	78	2,222
Shirley .....	1,212	1,040	49	2,301
SOMERVILLE .....	10,762	9,639	1,929	22,330
Stoneham .....	3,400	5,353	398	9,151
Stow .....	1,461	1,498	158	3,117
Sudbury .....	3,640	3,878	312	7,830
Tewksbury .....	4,830	6,335	375	11,540
Townsend .....	1,469	1,770	151	3,390
Tyngsborough .....	2,232	1,809	304	4,345
Wakefield .....	4,169	6,618	301	11,088
WALTHAM .....	6,688	8,267	1,830	16,785
Watertown .....	5,282	6,052	805	12,139
Wayland .....	2,778	3,297	374	6,449
Westford .....	4,850	4,187	290	9,327
Weston .....	2,590	2,302	235	5,127
Wilmington .....	3,522	4,972	343	8,837
Winchester .....	4,669	5,079	313	10,061
WOBURN .....	5,241	8,529	677	14,447
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>237,908</b>	<b>269,534</b>	<b>31,002</b>	<b>538,444</b>
<b>Nantucket County</b>				
Nantucket.....	1,450	2,190	392	4,032
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>1,450</b>	<b>2,190</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>4,032</b>
<b>Norfolk County</b>				
Avon.....	690	1,028	129	1,847
Bellingham .....	2,624	3,069	231	5,924
Brantree .....	5,077	8,785	576	14,438
Brookline .....	10,498	8,949	709	20,156
<b>Plymouth County (cont.)</b>				
Norwell .....	2,086	2,658	177	4,921
Pembroke .....	2,479	4,426	253	7,158
Plymouth .....	7,726	12,945	560	21,231
Plympton .....	471	860	13	1,344
Rochester .....	857	1,288	125	2,270
Rockland .....	2,323	4,042	290	6,655
Scituate .....	3,138	5,144	384	8,666
Wareham .....	2,702	4,428	617	7,747
West Bridgewater.....	940	1,866	59	2,865
Whitman .....	1,854	3,074	308	5,236
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>66,719</b>	<b>107,627</b>	<b>8,861</b>	<b>183,207</b>
<b>Suffolk County</b>				
BOSTON .....	70,694	70,831	15,595	157,120
CHELSEA .....	2,006	2,523	576	5,105
REVERE .....	4,573	6,468	1,205	12,246
Winthrop .....	2,644	3,693	457	6,794
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>79,917</b>	<b>83,515</b>	<b>17,833</b>	<b>181,265</b>
<b>Worcester County</b>				
Ashburnham.....	1,066	1,183	127	2,376
Athol .....	1,245	1,847	179	3,271
Auburn .....	2,594	3,612	288	6,494
Barre.....	910	990	100	2,000
Berlin .....	689	575	12	1,276
Blackstone .....	1,347	1,498	137	2,982
Bolton.....	1,191	958	45	2,194
Boylston.....	933	1,005	45	1,983
Brookfield .....	556	639	124	1,319
Charlton.....	2,031	2,191	224	4,446
Clinton.....	1,936	2,326	301	4,563
Douglas .....	1,315	1,316	206	2,837
Dudley.....	1,467	1,857	112	3,436
East Brookfield .....	359	445	19	823
FITCHBURG.....	4,042	5,562	812	10,416

Canton .....	3,445	5,264	301	9,010	GARDNER.....	2,281	3,467	415	6,163
Cohasset .....	1,401	2,108	117	3,626	Grafton.....	2,777	3,347	195	6,319
Dedham .....	3,945	5,423	676	10,044	Hardwick .....	531	488	70	1,089
Dover .....	1,284	1,368	97	2,749	Harvard .....	1,437	1,172	241	2,850
Foxborough .....	2,564	4,198	196	6,958	Holden.....	3,228	4,420	416	8,064
Franklin .....	4,906	6,327	315	11,548	Hopedale.....	1,044	1,359	214	2,617
Holbrook .....	1,246	2,690	204	4,140	Hubbardston.....	750	1,028	145	1,923
Medfield .....	2,223	3,172	246	5,641	Lancaster .....	1,145	1,422	82	2,649
Medway .....	2,069	3,042	105	5,216	Leicester .....	1,521	2,287	236	4,044
Millis .....	1,300	2,102	169	3,571	LEOMINSTER.....	5,191	7,492	813	13,496
Milton .....	4,931	7,112	794	12,837	Lunenburg.....	1,772	2,068	460	4,300
Needham.....	6,501	6,890	492	13,883	Mendon .....	997	1,373	35	2,405
Norfolk .....	1,952	1,972	108	4,032	Milford .....	3,458	4,539	980	8,977
Norwood .....	3,929	6,718	592	11,239	Millbury .....	2,076	2,369	180	4,625
Plainville.....	1,209	1,721	50	2,980	Millville.....	448	495	35	978
QUINCY .....	10,275	16,377	2,619	29,271	New Braintree.....	213	204	19	436
Randolph .....	3,879	5,663	927	10,469	North Brookfield.....	814	901	80	1,795
Sharon .....	3,479	4,193	146	7,818	Northborough .....	2,509	3,339	323	6,171
Stoughton .....	3,730	5,933	548	10,211	Northbridge .....	2,134	2,965	133	5,232
Walpole .....	3,975	5,930	318	10,223	Oakham .....	380	425	14	819
Wellesley.....	5,959	5,088	394	11,441	Oxford .....	2,014	2,534	120	4,668
Westwood.....	2,722	3,716	458	6,896	Paxton .....	813	1,058	149	2,020
Weymouth.....	7,174	12,825	937	20,936	Petersham.....	283	348	22	653
Wrentham.....	1,806	2,543	193	4,542	Phillipston .....	301	371	19	691
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>104,793</b>	<b>144,206</b>	<b>12,647</b>	<b>261,646</b>	Princeton .....	889	739	99	1,727
<b>Plymouth County</b>					Royalston .....	237	227	13	477
Abington .....	1,996	3,769	182	5,947	Rutland .....	1,272	1,616	147	3,035
Bridgewater.....	3,316	4,774	387	8,477	Shrewsbury .....	5,611	6,877	671	13,159
BRACKTON .....	7,919	12,524	2,187	22,630	Southborough .....	1,996	2,251	118	4,365
Carver .....	1,492	2,781	173	4,446	Southbridge .....	2,116	2,672	355	5,143
Duxbury .....	2,642	4,302	247	7,191	Spencer .....	1,581	2,289	104	3,974
East Bridgewater .....	1,738	3,132	209	5,079	Sterling .....	1,472	1,747	174	3,393
Halifax .....	1,149	1,754	131	3,034	Sturbridge.....	1,700	1,894	139	3,733
Hanover .....	2,464	3,558	239	6,258	Sutton .....	1,717	1,941	187	3,845
Hanson .....	1,537	2,421	146	4,104	Templeton .....	1,073	1,529	109	2,711
Hingham .....	3,837	5,904	510	10,251	Upton .....	1,268	1,594	45	2,907
Hull .....	1,589	2,770	147	4,506	Uxbridge .....	2,013	2,854	168	5,035
Kingston .....	1,670	3,272	127	5,069	Warren .....	766	779	117	1,662
Lakeville .....	1,462	2,232	392	4,086	Webster .....	1,837	2,364	319	4,520
Marion .....	1,006	1,333	126	2,465	West Boylston.....	1,343	1,613	129	3,085
Marshfield .....	4,211	6,255	308	10,774	West Brookfield.....	689	742	38	1,469
Mattapoisett.....	1,262	1,821	74	3,157	Westborough .....	2,786	3,614	290	6,690
Middleborough .....	2,853	4,297	490	7,640	Westminster .....	1,284	1,818	118	3,220
					Winchendon .....	1,317	1,482	224	3,023
					WORCESTER.....	15,541	22,288	4,439	42,268
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>108,306</b>	<b>138,405</b>	<b>16,130</b>	<b>262,841</b>					

## 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 3, 2006?

## SUMMARY

This proposed law would allow candidates for public office to be nominated by more than one political party or political designation, to have their names appear on the ballot once for each nomination, and to have their votes counted separately for each nomination but then added together to determine the winner of the election.

The proposed law would repeal an existing requirement that in order to appear on the state primary ballot as a candidate for a political party's nomination for certain offices, a person cannot have been enrolled in any other party during the preceding year. The requirement applies to candidates for nomination for statewide office, representative in Congress, governor's councillor, member of the state Legislature, district attorney, clerk of court, register of probate, register of deeds, county commissioner, sheriff, and county treasurer. The proposed law would also allow any person to appear on the primary ballot as a candidate for a party's nomination for those offices if the party's state committee gave its written consent. The proposed law would also repeal the existing requirement that in order to be nominated to appear as an unenrolled candidate on the state election ballot, or on any city or town ballot following a primary, a person cannot have been enrolled in any political party during the 90 days before the deadline for filing nomination papers.

The proposed law would provide that if a candidate were nominated by more than one party or political designation, instead of the candidate's name being printed on the ballot once, with the candidate allowed to choose the order in which the party or political designation names appear after the candidate's name, the candidate's name would appear multiple times, once for each nomination received. The candidate would decide the order in which the party or political designation nominations would appear, except that all parties would be listed before all political designations. The ballot would

allow voters who vote for a candidate nominated by multiple parties or political designations to vote for that candidate under the party or political designation line of their choice.

If a voter voted for the same candidate for the same office on multiple party or political designation lines, the ballot would remain valid but would be counted as a single vote for the candidate on a line without a party or political designation. If voting technology allowed, voting machines would be required to prevent a voter from voting more than the number of times permitted for any one office.

The proposed law would provide that if a candidate received votes under more than one party or political designation, the votes would be combined for purposes of determining whether the candidate had won the election. The total number of votes each candidate received under each party or political designation would be recorded. Election officials would announce and record both the aggregate totals and the total by party or political designation.

The proposed law would allow a political party to obtain official recognition if its candidate had obtained at least 3% of the vote for any statewide office at either of the two most recent state elections, instead of at only the most recent state election as under current law.

The proposed law would allow a person nominated as a candidate for any state, city or town office to withdraw his name from nomination within six days after any party's primary election for that office, whether or not the person sought nomination or was nominated in that primary. Any candidate who withdrew from an election could not be listed on the ballot for that election, regardless of whether the candidate received multiple nominations.

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

**A YES VOTE** would allow a candidate for public office to be nominated for the same office by more than one political party or political designation at the same election.

**A NO VOTE** would make no change in the laws concerning nomination of candidates for public office.



Aggregate of Votes	Yes	%	No	%	Blanks	%	Total Ballots
BARNSTABLE .....	32,557	30.89%	62,679	59.47%	10,164	9.64%	105,400
BERKSHIRE .....	12,837	27.46%	28,136	60.19%	5,775	12.35%	46,748
BRISTOL .....	45,973	27.14%	102,224	60.35%	21,182	12.51%	169,379
DUKES .....	2,485	32.28%	4,091	53.14%	1,123	14.58%	7,699
ESSEX .....	76,544	29.38%	152,728	58.63%	31,216	11.99%	260,488
FRANKLIN .....	10,327	35.86%	15,280	53.05%	3,195	11.09%	28,802
HAMPDEN .....	38,720	28.25%	84,442	61.62%	13,883	10.13%	137,045
HAMPSHIRE .....	20,634	36.30%	30,967	54.48%	5,238	9.22%	56,839
MIDDLESEX .....	170,638	31.69%	304,844	56.62%	62,962	11.69%	538,444
NANTUCKET .....	1,350	33.48%	2,009	49.83%	673	16.69%	4,032
NORFOLK .....	78,741	30.09%	155,935	59.60%	26,970	10.31%	261,646
PLYMOUTH .....	53,594	29.25%	112,160	61.22%	17,453	9.53%	183,207
SUFFOLK .....	65,544	36.16%	90,845	50.12%	24,876	13.72%	181,265
WORCESTER .....	78,315	29.79%	155,859	59.30%	28,667	10.91%	262,841
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>688,259</b>	<b>30.67%</b>	<b>1,302,199</b>	<b>58.04%</b>	<b>253,377</b>	<b>11.29%</b>	<b>2,243,835</b>

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
<b>Barnstable County</b>				
Barnstable .....	6,094	11,936	1,892	19,922
Bourne .....	2,205	4,884	677	7,766
Brewster .....	1,776	2,922	595	5,293
Chatham .....	1,311	2,332	293	3,936
Dennis .....	2,474	4,799	690	7,963
Eastham .....	1,049	1,795	224	3,068
Falmouth .....	4,450	9,356	1,522	15,328
Harwich .....	2,009	3,841	707	6,557
Mashpee .....	1,737	3,619	797	6,153
Orleans .....	1,323	2,107	380	3,810
Provincetown .....	712	999	245	1,956
Sandwich .....	2,863	5,730	856	9,449
Truro .....	481	629	114	1,224
Wellfleet .....	627	929	145	1,701
Yarmouth .....	3,446	6,801	1,027	11,274
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>32,557</b>	<b>62,679</b>	<b>10,164</b>	<b>105,400</b>
<b>Berkshire County</b>				
Adams .....	674	1,832	280	2,786
Alford .....	93	120	43	256
Becket .....	198	343	47	588
Cheshire .....	330	855	133	1,318
Clarksburg .....	129	437	66	632
Dalton .....	560	1,588	275	2,423
Egremont .....	247	318	94	659
Florida .....	90	149	29	268
Great Barrington .....	928	1,372	554	2,854
Hancock .....	80	151	31	262
Hinsdale .....	177	427	84	688
Lanesborough .....	284	688	103	1,075
Lee .....	626	1,291	218	2,135
Lenox .....	661	1,429	335	2,425
Monterey .....	186	196	63	445
Mount Washington .....	27	36	16	79
New Ashford .....	29	57	9	95
New Marlborough .....	221	309	89	619