

MASSACHUSETTS Election Statistics

1978



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Saugus					
Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4,					
6, 7, 8, 10.....	833	900	469	236	2,438
TOTALS	12,174	15,658	4,435	3,586	35,853

Suffolk and Middlesex District					
Michael Lopresti Jr. of Boston					
All Others					
Blanks					
Total Votes Cast					

BOSTON					
Ward 1					
Ward 3 Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5					
Ward 5 Precinct 5	6,607			6,832	13,439
CAMBRIDGE					
Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	5,639			3,152	8,791
Winthrop	3,468			1,610	5,078
TOTALS	15,714			11,594	27,308

First Suffolk and Norfolk District					
Arthur Joseph Lewis, Jr. of Boston					
George E. Corcoran of Boston					
Joseph F. Sullivan of Boston					
Jack Walsh of Boston					
All Others					
Blanks					
Total Votes Cast					

BOSTON					
Ward 10, Precinct 9, Ward 11, Precincts 6, 7, 8, 9, 10.....	10,257	647	907	4,899	3,138
Wards 19, 20	2,933	345	274	843	507
Dedham	1,318	175	211	736	349
Walpole	1,092	109	129	440	266
Westwood	15,600	1,276	1,521	6,918	4,260
TOTALS					29,575

Second Plymouth District					
Robert E. McCarthy of East Bridgewater					
All Others					
Blanks					
Total Votes Cast					

Bridgewater	804			243	1,047
Carver	306			84	392
East Bridgewater.....	473		12	121	594
Halifax	374			108	482
Hanson	421			159	580
Kingston	402			123	525
Lakeville	242			85	327
Middleborough	681			198	879
Pembroke	755			266	1,021
Plymouth	1,311			803	2,114
Plympton	89			42	131
Rochester	100			30	130
Wareham	631			198	829
West Bridgewater	445			120	565
Whitman	1,125		1	293	1,419
TOTALS	8,159		13	2,873	11,045

First Suffolk District					
William M. Bulger of Boston					
All Others					
Blanks					
Total Votes Cast					

BOSTON					
Ward 3 Precincts 6, 7, 8 Ward 5 Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	10,191			6,357	16,548
Wards 6, 7					
Ward 8, Precincts 1, 2, 5, 6, 7					
Ward 13 Precincts 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10					
Ward 21 Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8	10,191			6,357	16,548
TOTALS					

Democratic State Senator

Sterling	15	364	379
Townsend	6	364	370
Westminster	63	639	639
TOTALS	84	16,920	16,983

	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
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Worcester and Norfolk District

Auburn	1,492	780	2,272
Bellingham	1,554	520	2,074
Blackstone	712	211	923
Charlton	431	161	597
Douglas	222	115	337
Dudley	877	470	1,347
Mendon	286	108	394
Milford	4,833	1,144	5,978
Milville	318	127	445
Northbridge	371	163	534
Oxford	751	455	1,206
Southbridge	1,596	1,388	2,984
Sutton	357	182	539
Uxbridge	1,211	364	1,575
Webster	1,763	886	2,649
TOTALS	16,774	7,074	23,854

	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
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Worcester Franklin, Hampden and Hampshire District

Althol	1,028	317	1,345
Barre	299	56	355
Belchertown	347	134	481
Bernardston	33	25	58
Brimfield	149	42	191
Brookfield	144	27	171
E. Brookfield	161	44	205
E. Longmeadow	678	441	1,119
Erving	50	26	76
Gill	49	31	80
Hampden	195	69	264
Hardwick	322	70	392
Holland	61	25	86
Hubbardston	140	31	171
Monson	785	211	996
New Braintree	35	14	49
New Salem	40	12	52
No. Brookfield	366	88	454
Northfield	65	28	93
Oakham	85	29	114
Orange	238	54	292
Palmer	1,442	418	1,860
Paxton	231	89	320
Petersham	85	19	104
Phillipston	44	14	58
Royalston	37	17	54
Rutland	330	94	424
Spencer	1,003	319	1,322
Sturbridge	443	162	605
Templeton	385	47	432
Wales	99	28	127
Ware	1,410	469	1,879
Warren	305	82	387
Warwick	32	17	49
Wendell	36	35	71
W. Brookfield	191	51	242
Winchendon	327	52	379
TOTALS	11,670	3,687	15,357

Democratic State Representative

Democratic State Representative

First Barnstable District					
James F. Connors of Harwich	79	72	324		Total Votes Cast
Frank Wlasek of Harwich	220	160	959		Blanks
	210	67	743		All Others
	776	201	1,318		
TOTALS	1,989	500	3,344		
Second Barnstable District					
Thomas K. Lynch of Barnstable					Total Votes Cast
	1,810	315	2,125		Blanks
	485	104	589		All Others
TOTALS	2,295	419	2,714		
Third Barnstable District					
Jeremiah F. Cahr of Bourne					Total Votes Cast
	744	164	908		Blanks
	1,348	453	1,801		All Others
	203	77	280		
TOTALS	2,295	694	2,989		
Second Berkshire District					
Thomas R. Lussier of Pittsfield	472				Total Votes Cast
K. Erik Andersen of Dalton	296				Blanks
John T. Courtney of Williamstown	68				All Others
	14				
	224				
	7				
PITTSFIELD					
Wards 1, 2					
Ward 7 Precinct C	2,020				
Williamstown	307				
TOTALS	3,044				
	900				
	129				
	183				
	600				
TOTALS	1,432				
	226				
	50				
	327				
	669				
	5,403				
Third Berkshire District					
Joseph S. Scelsi of Pittsfield					Total Votes Cast
	4,716				Blanks
	4,716				All Others
PITTSFIELD					
Wards 3, 4, 5, 6,					
Ward 7, Precincts					
A, B					
TOTALS	4,716				
	2,194				
	2,194				
	6,910				
	6,910				

Democratic State Representative

Cape and Islands District		William G. Litchfield of Chatham	John Miles McSweney of Edgartown	Cyrl J. Patrick of Provincetown	Laura L. Underhill of Eastham	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Chatham.....	454	9	20	85	—	—	15	583
Chilmark.....	29	11	4	13	—	—	2	59
Eastham.....	110	10	39	183	—	—	7	349
Edgartown.....	50	84	5	69	—	—	13	221
Gay Head.....	7	9	1	3	—	—	2	22
Gosnold.....	2	8	1	—	—	—	—	11
Nantucket.....	65	24	43	74	—	—	23	229
Oak Bluffs.....	66	44	8	61	—	—	13	192
Oriens.....	149	10	45	161	—	—	3	381
Provincetown.....	83	13	219	146	—	—	14	520
Tisbury.....	69	60	14	106	—	—	2	265
Truro.....	45	12	42	39	—	—	7	145
Wellfleet.....	59	9	42	109	—	—	3	222
West Tisbury.....	43	18	3	38	—	—	3	105
TOTALS	1,231	321	486	1,087	50	129	3,304	

First Berkshire District		Frank J. Matrango of North Adams	Anthony McBride	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Adams.....	841	230	5	290	1,366	
Cheshire.....	288	11	—	89	388	
Clarksburg.....	104	—	—	19	123	
Florida.....	41	—	—	10	51	
NORTH ADAMS	1,871	8	1	405	2,285	
Savoy.....	18	—	—	8	26	
Windsor.....	38	—	—	11	49	
TOTALS	3,201	249	6	832	4,288	

Fourth Berkshire District		Dennis J. Duffin of Lenox	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Alford.....	18	—	—	12	31
Becket.....	37	—	—	31	68
Egremont.....	42	—	—	22	64
Gt. Barrington.....	378	—	—	300	680
Hinsdale.....	116	—	—	38	154
Lee.....	495	—	—	199	694
Lenox.....	706	—	—	192	898
Monterey.....	49	—	—	17	66
Mt. Washington.....	9	—	—	1	10
New Marlborough.....	38	—	—	14	53
Otis.....	15	—	—	20	35
Peru.....	27	—	—	10	38
Richmond.....	122	—	—	42	164
Sandisfield.....	20	—	—	7	27
Sheffield.....	73	—	—	30	103
Stockbridge.....	210	—	—	93	312
Tyringham.....	22	—	—	7	30
Washington.....	40	—	—	15	55
W. Stockbridge.....	144	—	—	98	242
TOTALS	2,561	15	1,148	3,724	

First Bristol District		Robert J. Kane of Easton	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Easton.....	826	—	—	352	1,179
Mansfield.....	509	—	—	219	728
Norton.....	333	—	—	215	548
TOTALS	1,668	1	786	2,455	

Democratic State Representative

Mattapoisett	258		97	356	
Rochester	104	—	26	130	
TOTALS	3,040	4	963	4,007	

Eleventh Bristol District					
Roger R. Goyette of New Bedford	3,069				
Leonard J. Abreu of New Bedford	1,962	805	3	387	6,226
John McCarthy of New Bedford	805	805	3	387	6,226
All Others	3	3	3	387	6,226
Blanks	387	387	387	387	387
Total Votes Cast	3,069	3,069	3,069	3,069	3,069

NEW BEDFORD					
Ward 1	3,069	3,069	3,069	3,069	3,069
Ward 2 Precincts A, B, C, D, E, F, G, I, J	1,962	805	3	387	6,226
TOTALS	3,069	1,962	805	3	387

Twelfth Bristol District					
Edward P. Coury of New Bedford	2,981				
J. Mark Treadup of New Bedford	2,261	2,261	2,261	2,261	2,261
All Others	9	9	9	9	9
Blanks	266	266	266	266	266
Total Votes Cast	2,981	2,981	2,981	2,981	2,981

NEW BEDFORD					
Ward 2, Precinct H, Ward 3	2,981	2,981	2,981	2,981	2,981
Ward 4 Precincts A, B, C, E, F, G, H, I, ..	2,261	2,261	2,261	2,261	2,261
TOTALS	2,981	2,981	2,981	2,981	2,981

Manuel Raposa, Jr. of Somerset	164				
Joan M. Menard of Somerset	232	—	—	—	—
All Others	31	—	—	—	—
Blanks	427	427	427	427	427
Total Votes Cast	164	164	164	164	164

Fifth Bristol District					
Dighton	164	164	164	164	164
FALL RIVER	427	427	427	427	427
Ward 3	164	164	164	164	164
Ward 4	427	427	427	427	427
Precincts C, D, E	794	732	147	1,673	1,673
Somerset	1,725	2,000	67	3,792	3,792
TOTALS	2,683	2,964	245	5,892	5,892

Thomas C. Norton of Fall River	4,603				
All Others	6	6	6	6	6
Blanks	1,229	1,229	1,229	1,229	1,229
Total Votes Cast	4,603	4,603	4,603	4,603	4,603

FALL RIVER					
Wards 7, 8, 9	4,603	4,603	4,603	4,603	4,603
TOTALS	4,603	4,603	4,603	4,603	4,603

Robert Correa of Fall River	3,783				
Charles J. Szlewski of Fall River	2,232	2,232	2,232	2,232	2,232
All Others	486	—	—	—	—
Blanks	6,501	6,501	6,501	6,501	6,501
Total Votes Cast	3,783	3,783	3,783	3,783	3,783

Seventh Bristol District					
FALL RIVER	6,501	6,501	6,501	6,501	6,501
Wards 1, 2	3,783	2,232	486	6,501	6,501
TOTALS	3,783	2,232	486	6,501	6,501

Democratic State Representative

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Thirteenth Bristol District		Fourth Essex District — Continued		Total Votes Cast	
NEW BEDFORD					
Ward 4, Precinct D,					
Wards 5, 6	1,096	1,590	4	275	5,111
TOTALS	1,096	1,590	4	275	5,111
	Daniel F. Hayes of New Bedford	Denis Lawrence of New Bedford	William Saltzman of New Bedford	All Others	Blanks
	Kevin D. McElhinney, Jr. of Ipswich	Carotta R. Tyler of Topsheld	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
	113	256	—	60	429
	98	451	—	32	581
	66	168	—	41	275
	1,248	2,028	1	379	3,656
	Middleton	Topsheld	Topsheld	Wenham	TOTALS

Fourteenth Bristol District		Fifth Essex District		Total Votes Cast	
Foxborough	777	771	—	1,001	1,772
No. Attleborough	509	298	—	210	508
Plainville	232	294	—	258	552
TOTALS	1,518	1,363	—	1,469	2,832
	James K. Madden of Plainville	Chester S. Stone, Jr. of Gloucester	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
	301	771	—	1,001	1,772
	228	298	—	210	508
	62	294	—	258	552
	591	1,363	—	1,469	2,832
	GLOUCESTER	Manchester	Rockport	TOTALS	

First Essex District		Sixth Essex District		Total Votes Cast	
Amesbury	752	65	83	85	1,728
NEWBURYPORT	390	351	663	188	2,040
Salisbury	184	216	62	169	55
TOTALS	1,326	632	808	442	4,506
	Nicholas J. Costello of Amesbury	Harold F. Humphrey of Salisbury	William H. Melanson of Newburyport	Gerald A. Sewell of Salisbury	Eric Hume Thomson of Amesbury
	62	681	254	194	62
	—	—	—	—	194
	—	—	—	—	55
	311	987	808	442	4,506
	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast		
	Thomas J. Alexander of Beverly	Frederick J. Jack Monahan of Beverly	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
	2,419	3,527	1	215	6,162
	2,419	3,527	1	215	6,162
	TOTALS	TOTALS	TOTALS	TOTALS	TOTALS

Democratic State Representative

Seventh Essex District	Bruce J. McLaughlin of Salem	J. Michael Ruane of Salem	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
SALEM	3,851	5,802	—	527	10,180
TOTALS	3,851	5,802	—	527	10,180

Eighth Essex District	Lawrence R. Alexander of Marblehead	John J. Hassett of Marblehead	Peter D. Waldvogel of Swampscott	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Marblehead	1,933	824	470	—	229	3,456
Swampscott	1,024	415	1,569	—	227	3,235
TOTALS	2,957	1,239	2,039	—	456	6,691

Ninth Essex District	Steven V. Angelo of Saugus	Michael J. Serrno of Saugus	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
LYNN Ward 1,	597	862	—	614	2,073
Precincts 1, 2, 3,	1,910	1,308	—	346	3,564
Saugus	2,507	2,170	—	960	5,637
TOTALS	2,507	2,170	—	960	5,637

Second Essex District	David J. Swartz of Haverhill	William G. Burns, Jr. of Haverhill	Donald A. Peterson of Georgetown	Paul T. Rice, Jr. of Haverhill	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Georgetown	166	27	324	35	—	38	590
Groveland	337	71	83	150	—	48	689
HAVERTHILL Ward 3	888	89	28	571	—	78	1,654
Merrimac	225	22	28	44	—	19	338
Newbury	112	60	109	44	—	65	390
Rowley	73	23	98	19	—	49	262
W. Newbury	115	26	47	25	1	37	251
TOTALS	1,916	318	717	888	1	334	4,174

Third Essex District	Francis Bevilacqua of Haverhill	Frank Emilio of Haverhill	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
HAVERTHILL Wards 1, 2, 4	3,606	3,293	1	236	7,136
TOTALS	3,606	2,293	1	236	7,136

Fourth Essex District	Kevin D. McElhinney, Jr. of Ipswich	Carotta R. Tyler of Topsfield	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Boxford	62	223	1	51	337
Essex	73	67	—	27	167
Hamilton	215	296	—	81	592
Ipswich	621	567	—	87	1,275

Democratic State Representative

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Tenth Essex District	Eleventh Essex District	Twelfth Essex District	Danvers
Timothy A Bassett of Lynn	Thomas W McGee of Lynn	Paul F. Barrett of Peabody	Paul F. Barrett of Peabody
Ward 1, Precinct 4 Wards 2, 3, 4	LYNN Wards 5, 6, 7 Nahant	Ward 1, Precinct 4 Wards 2, 3, 4	Ward 1, Precinct 1, 3 Wards 1, 2, 3 Ward 4 Precincts 1, 3
5,245 5,245	5,650 727 6,377	5,245 5,245	93 1,370 1,463
—	1	—	34
All Others	All Others	All Others	442
Blanks	Blanks	Blanks	1,349
1,316 1,316	1,547 273 1,820	1,316 1,316	1,386
Total Votes Cast	Total Votes Cast	Total Votes Cast	476
6,561 6,561	7,198 1,000 8,198	6,561 6,561	476
Edward J. Dullea, Jr. of Peabody	Matthew J. Funchion of Peabody	Edward J. Dullea, Jr. of Peabody	Walter J. Birmingham, Jr. of Peabody
41	60	41	34
Margaret E. McGreen of Peabody	Charles C. O'Donnell of Peabody	Margaret E. McGreen of Peabody	Louis A. Cersosimo of Peabody
151	172	151	37
1,485	1,451	1,485	162
1,636 1,636	1,623 1,623	1,636 1,636	162
1,075	1,075	1,075	476
2,406 2,406	2,406 2,406	2,406 2,406	476
—	—	—	476
130	130	130	476
8,782	8,782	8,782	476
10,839	10,839	10,839	10,839

Democratic State Representative

Sixteenth Essex District		Arthur M. Khoury of Lawrence	Kevin Blanchette of Lawrence	J. Kevin McCarthy of Lawrence	Stephen N. Zanni of Lawrence	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
LAWRENCE								
Wards 1, 2, 3, 4,								
Ward 5, Precincts 1, 3,								
6, 7								
		2,554	1,449	1,070	1,974	1	317	7,365
TOTALS		2,554	1,449	1,070	1,974	1	317	7,365

Thirteenth Essex District		John E. Murphy, Jr. of Peabody	Kenneth G. Bellevue of Danvers	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Danvers						
Precincts 4, 5,						
6, 7, 8						
PEABODY						
Ward 4, Precinct 2						
		2,624	1,010	2	404	4,090
TOTALS		3,245	3,211	2	620	7,078

Seventeenth Essex District		Gerald M. Cohen of Andover	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
LAWRENCE					
Andover					
Ward 5 Precincts 2, 4,					
5, 8					
		2,792	—	718	3,510
LAWRENCE					
Ward 6 Precinct 6					
		1,505	1	420	1,926
TOTALS		4,297	1	1,138	5,436

Fourteenth Essex District		Joseph N. Hermann of North Andover	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
LAWRENCE					
Ward 6, Precincts 1, 2,					
3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10					
		3,765	2	1,049	4,816
No. Andover		2,874	1	528	3,403
TOTALS		6,639	3	1,577	8,219

First Franklin District		No Nomination	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Ashfield					
		—	1	101	102
Buckland					
		—	—	146	146
Charlmont					
		—	2	60	62
Chesterfield					
		—	—	68	68

Fifteenth Essex District		Wilfred P. Beauchesne of Methuen	Nicholas J. Buglione of Methuen	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Methuen						
		3,066	4,881	—	330	8,277
TOTALS		3,066	4,881	—	330	8,277

Democratic State Representative

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	No Nomination	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
First Franklin District — Continued				
Colrain			103	103
Conway			114	114
Cummington			47	48
Deerfield		1	300	300
Goshen			54	54
Hawley			13	13
Heath			19	19
Huntington			108	108
Middlefield		2	21	23
Monroe			16	16
Montague			592	592
Plainfield			29	29
Rowe		1	25	26
Shelburne			135	135
Sunderland		5	153	158
Whately			104	104
Williamsburg			254	254
Worthington		1	57	58
TOTALS		13	2,519	2,532
Second Franklin District				
Bernardston	41		17	58
Erving	53		23	76
Gill	55		25	80
William D. Benson of Leverett				
All Others				
Blanks				
Total Votes Cast				
Third Hampden District				
Agawam			933	2,250
Blandford			14	43
Chester			27	75
Granville			16	54
Montgomery			12	52
Russell		1	17	50
Southwick			102	456
Tolland			1	9
TOTALS		1	1,122	2,989
Joseph A. Della-Gustina Jr. of Agawam				
All Others				
Blanks				
Total Votes Cast				
Fourth Hampden District				
James M. Boardman of Westfield				
Gary A. Costa of Westfield				
Mathew W. Plazcek of Westfield				
All Others				
Blanks				
Total Votes Cast				
Fifth Hampden District				
Francis E. Rogers of Holyoke				
Robert J. Rohan of Holyoke				
All Other				
Blanks				
Total Votes Cast				
HOLYOKE				

Democratic State Representative

First Middlesex District	Bruce E. Wetherbee of Pepprell	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Ashby	116	—	27	143
Dunstable	118	—	34	152
Groton	316	—	86	402
Lunenburg	369	—	174	543
Pepprell	540	3	102	645
Shirley	221	—	59	280
Townsend	320	—	50	370
TOTALS	2,000	3	532	2,535

Eleventh Hampden District	Rudy Chmura of Springfield	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
SPRINGFIELD				
Ward 8 Precincts A, B, C, D, E, F, G, J, K, L, M	2,284	—	1,260	3,544
TOTALS	2,284	—	1,260	3,544

Second Middlesex District	Walter E. Bickford of Berlin	Gary D. Sullivan of Westford	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Ayer	421	419	—	18	858
Berlin	392	142	—	4	538
Bolton	294	52	—	6	352
Harvard	551	106	—	13	670
Littleton	496	466	—	22	984
Westford	1,082	1,996	—	28	3,106
TOTALS	3,236	3,180	—	91	6,508

Twelfth Hampden District	Raymond A. Jordan, Jr. of Springfield	Joseph B. Flynn, Jr. of Springfield	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
SPRINGFIELD					
Wards 4, 5, Ward 7, Precincts A, G, H, J	2,310	1,404	—	521	4,235
TOTALS	2,310	1,404	—	521	4,235

Thirteenth Hampden District	Richard P. Roche of Springfield	Gerald T. Teehan of Springfield	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
SPRINGFIELD					
Ward 7 Precincts D, E, F, I, K	1,591	1,282	—	513	3,386
Ward 8 Precincts H, I Wilbraham	537	584	1	167	1,289
TOTALS	2,128	1,866	1	680	4,675

