

MASSACHUSETTS Election Statistics

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Second Bristol District	Stephen J. Karol of Attleboro	Gordon N. Larson of Attleboro	Robert A. Scott of Attleboro	All Others	Blanks
ATTLEBORO.....	965	893	250	—	79
TOTALS	965	893	250	—	79
	2,187	2,187			
Total Votes Cast					
Third Bristol District	Theodore J. Alexo, Jr. of Taunton				
TAUNTON					
Ward 1					
Ward 2 Precinct A					
Ward 3					
Ward 4 Precincts B, C					
Ward 5 Precincts B, C					
Wards 6, 7, 8.....	3,759				
TOTALS	3,759				
	4,793				
Total Votes Cast					
Fourth Bristol District	Antone S. Aguilar, Jr. of Swansea				
Rehoboth.....	95				
Seekonk.....	131				
Swansea.....	958				
TOTALS	1,184				
	372				
Total Votes Cast					
Eighth Bristol District	John J. Long of Westport				
FALL RIVER					
Ward 4, Precincts A, B, F					
Wards 5, 6.....	2,242				
Westport.....	863				
TOTALS	3,105				
	579				
Total Votes Cast					
Ninth Bristol District	Raymond S. Peck of Dartmouth				
Berkley.....	117				
Dartmouth.....	2,144				
Freetown.....	370				
Lakeville.....	250				
TOTALS	2,881				
	2				
Total Votes Cast					
Tenth Bristol District	William Q. MacLean, Jr. of Fairhaven				
Acushnet.....	762				
Fairhaven.....	1,768				
Marion.....	148				
TOTALS	2,678				
	2				
Total Votes Cast					
Eleventh Bristol District					
Acushnet.....	986				
Fairhaven.....	2,317				
Marion.....	69				
TOTALS	3,372				
	1				
Total Votes Cast					

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Mattapoissett	258		1	97	356
Rochester	104		—	26	130
TOTALS	3,040		4	963	4,007

Eleventh Bristol District

Roger R. Goyette of New Bedford	3,069		3	387	6,226
Leonard J. Abreu of New Bedford	1,962		805	3	387
John McCarthy of New Bedford	805		3	3	6,226
TOTALS	3,069		3	387	6,226

NEW BEDFORD Ward 1 D. E. F. G. I. J

Edward P. Coury of New Bedford	2,981		9	266	5,517
J. Mark Treadup of New Bedford	2,261		2,261	9	266
TOTALS	2,981		9	266	5,517

Twelfth Bristol District

Edward P. Coury of New Bedford	2,981		9	266	5,517
J. Mark Treadup of New Bedford	2,261		2,261	9	266
TOTALS	2,981		9	266	5,517

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

Manuel Raposa, Jr. of Somerset	164		232		427
Joan M. Menard of Somerset	232		—	31	427
TOTALS	164		232	31	427

Fifth Bristol District

Dighton	164		232		427
FALL RIVER Ward 3					
Precincts C, D, E	794		732	147	1,673
Somerset	1,725		2,000	67	3,792
TOTALS	2,683		2,964	245	5,892

Sixth Bristol District

FALL RIVER Wards 7, 8, 9	4,603		1,229	5,838	5,838
TOTALS	4,603		6	1,229	5,838

Seventh Bristol District

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

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Thirteenth Bristol District	Daniel F. Hayes of New Bedford	Denis Lawrence of New Bedford	William Saltzman of New Bedford	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
NEW BEDFORD						
Ward 4, Precinct D.	1,096	2,146	1,590	4	275	5,111
Wards 5, 6	1,096	2,146	1,590	4	275	5,111
TOTALS						

Fourth Essex District — Continued	Kevin D. McElhinney, Jr. of Ipswich	Carotta R. Tyler of Topsheld	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Middleton	113	256	—	60	429
Topsheld	98	451	—	32	581
Wenham	66	168	—	41	275
TOTALS	1,248	2,028	1	379	3,656

Fourteenth Bristol District	James K. Madden of Plainville	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Foxborough	777	7	301	1,085
No. Attleborough	509	—	228	737
Plainville	232	—	62	294
TOTALS	1,518	7	591	2,116

Fifth Essex District	Chester S. Stone, Jr. of Gloucester	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
GLOUCESTER	771	—	1,001	1,772
Manchester	298	—	210	508
Rockport	294	—	258	552
TOTALS	1,363	—	1,469	2,832

First Essex District	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	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Amesbury	752	65	83	85	681	—	62	1,728
NEWBURYPORT	390	351	663	188	254	—	194	2,040
Salisbury	184	216	62	169	52	—	55	738
TOTALS	1,326	632	808	442	987	—	311	4,506

Sixth Essex District	Thomas J. Alexander of Beverly	Frederick J. Jack Monahan of Beverly	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
BEVERLY	2,419	3,527	1	215	6,162
TOTALS	2,419	3,527	1	215	6,162

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Seventh Essex District		Bruce J. McLaughlin of Salem	J. Michael Ruane of Salem	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
SALEM	3,851	5,802	5,802	—	527	10,180
TOTALS	3,851	5,802	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	862	—	614	2,073
Precincts 1, 2, 3,	1,910	1,308	1,308	—	346	3,564
Saugus	1,910	1,308	1,308	—	346	3,564
TOTALS	2,507	2,170	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	—	—	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	

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Tenth Essex District	Timothy A Bassett of Lynn	—	—	—	—
	All Others	—	—	—	—
	Blanks	1,316	1,316	6,561	6,561
	Total Votes Cast	5,245	5,245	6,561	6,561
LYNN					
Ward 1, Precinct 4					
Wards 2, 3, 4					
TOTALS	5,245	5,245	1,316	6,561	6,561
Eleventh Essex District	Thomas W McGee of Lynn	—	—	—	—
	All Others	—	—	—	—
	Blanks	1,820	1,820	7,198	7,198
	Total Votes Cast	6,377	6,377	8,198	8,198
LYNN					
Wards 5, 6, 7					
Nahant					
TOTALS	6,377	6,377	1,820	8,198	8,198
Twelfth Essex District	Paul F. Barrett of Peabody	476	442	1,370	1,463
	Walter J. Birmingham, Jr. of Peabody	34	442	1,370	1,463
	Louis A. Cersosimo of Peabody	37	1,349	1,349	1,386
	William R. Discipio of Peabody	8	154	162	162
Edward J. Dullea, Jr. of Peabody	41	534	575	575	
Matthew J. Funchion of Peabody	60	573	633	633	
Margaret E. McGreen of Peabody	151	1,485	1,636	1,636	
Charles C. O'Donnell of Peabody	172	1,451	1,623	1,623	
Theodore C. Speliotis of Danvers	1,331	1,075	2,406	2,406	
All Others	—	—	—	—	
Blanks	130	349	479	479	
Total Votes Cast	2,057	8,782	10,839	10,839	
Danvers					
Precincts 1, 2, 3					
PEABODY	93	442	1,370	1,463	1,463
Wards 1, 2, 3					
Ward 4 Precincts 1, 3					
TOTALS	1,463	4,476	13,886	13,886	13,886

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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	571	2,201	—	216	2,988
PEABODY					
Ward 4, Precinct 2 Wards 5, 6	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
Andover	2,792	—	718	3,510
LAWRENCE				
Ward 5 Precincts 2, 4, 5, 8 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

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	No Nomination	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
First Franklin District — Continued				
Colrain			103	103
Conway			114	114
Cumington			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
Total Votes Cast				
Blanks				
All Others				
William D. Benson of Leverett				
No Nomination				
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
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				

Joseph A. Della-Gustina Jr. of Agawam

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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 Ward 8 Precincts H, I Wilbraham	1,591	1,282	—	513	3,386
TOTALS	2,128	1,866	1	680	4,675

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Ward 2 Precinct 2							
Ward 5 Precinct 3							
Ward 6 Precincts 1, 4							
Ward 7							
Ward 8 Precincts 1, 2	258	1,084	3,349	1,203	—	485	6,379
TOTALS	258	1,084	3,349	1,203	—	485	6,379

**Twelfth
Middlesex
District**

David J. Moleson
of Newton

Blanks

Total Votes Cast

NEWTON							
Ward 2 Precinct 4							
Ward 3 Precinct 2							
Ward 4 Precincts 1, 2, 3							
Ward 5 Precincts 1, 2, 4							
Ward 6 Precincts 2, 3							
Ward 8 Precincts 3, 4	4,256				1,890	6,146	
TOTALS	4,256	—	—	—	1,890	6,146	6,146

**Thirteenth
Middlesex
District**

Dennis J. Berry
of Wayland

Blanks

Total Votes Cast

Lincoln							
Sudbury	478				322	800	
Wayland	753				559	1,312	
TOTALS	1,227	1	1	1	1,323	1,670	3,782

Sixth Middlesex District							
Frammingham Precincts 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10							
TOTALS	—	—	—	—	4,209	4,209	4,209

No Nomination

Blanks

Total Votes Cast

Seventh Middlesex District							
Ashland Precincts 1, 2							
Frammingham Precincts 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17	351				115	466	
TOTALS	2,156	—	—	—	763	2,919	3,385

Andrew J. Rogers, Jr.
of Frammingham

Blanks

Total Votes Cast

Eighth Middlesex District							
Ashland Precinct 3							
Holliston	225				88	313	
Hopkinton	632				170	802	
Medfield	315				122	437	
Sherborn	537				273	810	
TOTALS	1,355	—	—	—	116	2,511	2,613

James J. O'Connor
of Holliston

Blanks

Total Votes Cast

Holliston							
Hopkinton	225				88	313	
Medfield	632				170	802	
Sherborn	315				122	437	
TOTALS	537	—	—	—	273	810	2,613

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Fourteenth Middlesex District	Genevra R. Counihan of Concord	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	
	1,154	—	448	1,602	
	359	—	64	423	
	1,708	—	451	2,159	
	3,221	—	963	4,184	
Fifteenth Middlesex District	Stephen W. Doran of Lexington	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	
	3,896	—	1,754	5,650	
	3,896	—	1,754	5,650	
	Sixteenth Middlesex District				
	Chelmsford	No Nomination	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
—	—	54	4,249	4,303	
—	—	18	567	585	
TOTALS	—	72	4,816	4,888	
Nineteenth Middlesex District	Robert B. Kennedy of Lowell	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	
	3,407	—	318	7,316	
	3,407	—	318	7,316	
	LOWELL				
	Ward 2 Precinct 1	Paul H. Shea of Lowell	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
	Ward 3 Precincts 3, 5	—	—	—	—
	Ward 4 Precincts 1, 3, 4	—	—	—	—
	Ward 6 Precincts 1, 3, 5	—	—	—	—
	Ward 7	—	—	—	—
	Ward 8 Precincts 2, 3, 4	—	—	—	—
Ward 10 Precinct 2 ..	—	—	—	—	
TOTALS	3,407	—	318	7,316	
Twentieth Middlesex District	James R. Miceli of Wilmington	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	
	1,295	2	69	4,434	
	1,295	2	69	4,434	
	Paul Harold Sullivan of Tewksbury				
	Frank A. Antonelli of Tewksbury	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	
	1,636	2	78	2,729	
	1,636	2	78	2,729	
	Wilmington				
	Tewksbury	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	
	1,432	2	147	7,163	
1,432	2	147	7,163		
Wilmington Precincts 1, 2, 4, 5, 6					
2,214	190	247	1,826	1,679	
2,214	190	247	1,826	1,679	
TOTALS	3,509	1,826	1,679	7,163	

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Twenty-seventh Middlesex District	Charles F. Flaherty, Jr. of Cambridge	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
CAMBRIDGE				
Ward 6 Precinct 3	5,087	—	2,030	7,117
Wards 8, 9, 10, 11 ...	5,087	—	2,030	7,117
TOTALS				

Twenty-eighth Middlesex District	Saundra Graham of Cambridge	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
CAMBRIDGE				
Ward 3 Precincts 3, 4, 5				
Ward 4				
Ward 5 Precincts 3, 4, 5				
Ward 6 Precincts 2, 4, 5				
Ward 7	3,021	—	1,786	4,807
TOTALS	3,021	—	1,786	4,807

Twenty-ninth Middlesex District	Michael J. Lombardi of Cambridge	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
CAMBRIDGE				
Wards 1, 2				
Ward 3 Precincts 1, 2				
Ward 5 Precincts 1, 2				
Ward 6 Precinct 1	2,847	—	950	3,797

Twenty-ninth Middlesex District — Continued	Michael J. Lombardi of Cambridge	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
SOMERVILLE				
Ward 2 Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 6	1,023	—	349	1,372
TOTALS	3,870	—	1,299	5,169

Thirtieth Middlesex District	Vincent J. Pro of Somerville	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
SOMERVILLE				
Ward 4 Precincts 2, 3, 5, 6				
Ward 5 Precincts 1, 4, 5				
Ward 6 Precincts 1, 3, 4, 5				
Ward 7	5,366	—	1,598	6,964
TOTALS	5,366	—	1,598	6,964