

# MASSACHUSETTS Election Statistics

# 1978



Department of the State Secretary  
Michael Joseph Connolly, Secretary

County Treasurer

Cities and Towns	Kent T. Besse of Yarmouth Republican	James Rodgers of Falmouth Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Barnstable.....	7,319	3,568	—	1,257	12,144
Bourne.....	1,900	1,863	—	642	4,405
Brewster.....	1,483	514	—	203	2,200
Chatham.....	2,319	631	—	276	3,226
Dennis.....	3,517	1,397	3	565	5,482
Eastham.....	1,069	407	—	161	1,637
Falmouth.....	3,406	4,772	—	964	9,142
Harwich.....	2,554	1,089	—	298	3,941
Mashpee.....	616	605	—	199	1,420
Orleans.....	1,790	505	—	312	2,607
Provincetown.....	459	582	1	269	1,311
Sandwich.....	1,838	1,092	1	349	3,280
Truro.....	325	186	—	109	620
Wellfleet.....	595	322	—	149	1,066
Yarmouth.....	5,468	2,061	—	697	8,226
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>34,658</b>	<b>19,594</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6,450</b>	<b>60,707</b>

Cities and Towns	Alma Arlos of Pittsfield Democratic	Anthony R. Izzo of Pittsfield Independent	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Cheshire.....	533	594	—	56	1,183
Clarksburg.....	323	242	—	52	617
Dalton.....	1,070	1,453	1	90	2,614
Egremont.....	226	168	1	47	442
Florida.....	114	82	—	8	204
Gt. Barrington.....	1,202	836	—	185	2,223
Hancock.....	85	97	—	23	205
Hinsdale.....	189	259	—	23	471
Lanesborough.....	370	612	—	35	1,017
Lee.....	1,052	757	—	112	1,921
Lenox.....	951	1,135	—	133	2,219
Monterey.....	141	113	—	34	288
Mt. Washington.....	28	16	—	5	49
New Ashford.....	28	38	—	3	69
New Marlborough.....	174	144	—	34	352
<b>NORTH ADAMS.....</b>	<b>3,448</b>	<b>2,146</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>5,964</b>
Otis.....	111	106	—	51	268
Peru.....	59	122	—	10	191
<b>PITTSFIELD.....</b>	<b>6,914</b>	<b>11,550</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>19,067</b>
Richmond.....	223	394	—	27	644
Sandisfield.....	89	60	—	20	169
Savoy.....	85	51	—	16	152
Sheffield.....	429	417	—	97	943
Stockbridge.....	560	427	—	70	1,057
Tyringham.....	61	67	—	7	135
Washington.....	70	108	—	15	193
West Stockbridge.....	250	237	—	35	522
Williamstown.....	1,315	1,093	—	172	2,580
Windsor.....	86	124	—	13	223
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>22,924</b>	<b>25,372</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2,631</b>	<b>50,929</b>

BARNSTABLE COUNTY

BERKSHIRE COUNTY — Continued

Cities and Towns	Alma Arlos of Pittsfield Democratic	Anthony R. Izzo of Pittsfield Independent	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Adams.....	2,518	1,734	—	255	4,507
Alford.....	98	44	—	10	152
Becket.....	122	146	—	20	288

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Cities and Towns	Frank Vieira of New Bedford Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
<b>BRISTOL COUNTY</b>				
Acushnet .....	2,607	—	797	3,404
ATTLEBORO .....	6,000	2	2,836	8,838
Berkley .....	488	—	251	739
Dartmouth .....	4,856	—	2,380	7,236
Dighton .....	1,147	—	533	1,680
Easton .....	3,536	—	2,001	5,537
Fairhaven .....	3,959	—	1,521	5,480
FALL RIVER .....	21,101	—	9,554	30,655
Freetown .....	1,353	1	514	1,868
Mansfield .....	2,566	—	1,187	3,753
NEW BEDFORD .....	23,273	21	7,349	30,643
N. Attleborough .....	4,095	1	1,766	5,862
Norton .....	2,113	2	1,025	3,140
Raynham .....	1,986	1	1,060	3,047
Rehoboth .....	1,485	—	736	2,221
Seekonk .....	2,617	1	852	3,470
Somerset .....	5,456	—	2,142	7,598
Swansea .....	3,754	—	1,357	5,111
TAUNTON .....	8,734	—	5,190	13,924
Westport .....	3,128	—	1,438	4,566
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>104,254</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>44,489</b>	<b>148,772</b>

Cities and Towns	Margaret S. O'Neill of Edgartown Republican	James J. Gillis of Tisbury Democratic	Edward W. Vincent, Jr. of Edgartown Independent	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
<b>DUKES COUNTY</b>						
Chilmark .....	153	117	19	1	15	305
Edgartown .....	744	272	76	—	23	1,115
Gay Head .....	44	48	4	—	16	112
Gosnold .....	30	9	7	—	2	48
Oak Bluffs .....	466	403	37	—	48	954
Tisbury .....	568	575	45	—	41	1,229
W. Tisbury .....	219	187	22	—	25	453
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>2,224</b>	<b>1,611</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>4,216</b>

Cities and Towns	Robert C. Hagopian of Hamilton Republican	Katherine B. O'Leary of Salem Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
<b>ESSEX COUNTY</b>					
Amesbury .....	1,223	2,349	—	638	4,210
Andover .....	4,832	4,888	—	1,356	11,076
BEVERLY .....	5,647	8,259	—	1,995	15,901
Boxford .....	1,199	826	—	169	2,194
Danvers .....	3,616	5,669	—	852	10,137
Essex .....	637	463	—	141	1,241
Georgetown .....	979	1,095	—	278	2,352

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Cities and Towns	Robert C. Hagopian of Hamilton Republican	Katherine B. O'Leary of Salem Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
<b>ESSEX COUNTY — Continued</b>					
GLOUCESTER.....	3,398	4,753	—	1,349	9,500
Groveland.....	798	1,112	—	206	2,116
Hamilton.....	1,245	1,503	—	219	2,967
HAVERHILL.....	4,519	9,896	—	2,386	16,801
Ipswich.....	2,001	2,272	—	583	4,856
LAWRENCE.....	4,103	14,825	2	2,495	21,425
LYNN.....	6,714	18,187	—	3,532	28,433
Lynnfield.....	2,611	2,287	1	661	5,560
Manchester.....	1,346	914	—	378	2,638
Marblehead.....	4,648	4,590	—	1,470	10,708
Merrimac.....	591	768	—	178	1,537
Methuen.....	3,904	9,250	—	1,656	14,810
Middleton.....	556	843	—	125	1,524
Nahant.....	638	1,081	—	236	1,955
Newbury.....	905	788	—	238	1,931
NEWBURYPORT.....	1,916	3,114	—	868	5,898
North Andover.....	2,731	4,150	—	810	7,691
PEABODY.....	4,417	13,499	—	2,510	20,426
Rockport.....	1,479	1,195	—	371	3,045
Rowley.....	649	578	—	145	1,372
SALEM.....	3,011	12,157	—	1,498	16,666
Salisbury.....	639	1,020	—	247	1,906
Saugus.....	3,614	5,482	12	949	10,057
Swampscott.....	2,252	3,280	—	1,135	6,667
Topsfield.....	1,374	1,012	—	235	2,621
Wenham.....	678	837	—	169	1,684
W. Newbury.....	560	441	—	162	1,163
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>79,430</b>	<b>143,383</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>30,240</b>	<b>253,068</b>

Cities and Towns	William J. Powers of Montague Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
<b>FRANKLIN COUNTY</b>				
Ashfield.....	371	—	163	534
Bernardston.....	517	1	134	652
Buckland.....	498	1	204	703
Charlemont.....	260	—	97	357
Colrain.....	464	—	135	599
Conway.....	351	—	146	497
Deerfield.....	1,270	—	397	1,667
Erving.....	415	2	101	518
Gill.....	384	—	103	487
Greenfield.....	4,632	1	2,077	6,710
Hawley.....	61	—	25	86
Heath.....	112	—	42	154
Leverett.....	352	—	167	519
Leyden.....	128	—	50	178
Monroe.....	51	—	14	65
Montague.....	2,598	—	696	3,294
New Salem.....	188	1	73	262
Northfield.....	723	—	219	942
Orange.....	1,439	—	427	1,866
Rowe.....	99	—	48	147

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Total Votes Cast	691	174	691	Total Votes Cast
Blanks	—	157	6,138	Blanks
All Others	—	—	6	All Others
William J. Powers of Montague Democratic	517	364	16,820	Rocco J. Antonelli of Winchester Democratic
Cities and Towns	—	—	—	Cities and Towns
S. Lester Ralph of Somerville Independent	—	—	—	S. Lester Ralph of Somerville Independent
Total Votes Cast	691	174	691	Total Votes Cast

FRANKLIN COUNTY — Continued

Shelburne.....	517	174	691
Shutesbury.....	205	119	324
Sunderland.....	513	226	739
Warwick.....	162	64	226
Wendell.....	146	80	226
Whately.....	364	157	521
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>16,820</b>	<b>6,138</b>	<b>22,964</b>

Total Votes Cast	7,752	2,556	7,752	Total Votes Cast
Blanks	—	241	363	Blanks
All Others	—	793	793	All Others
Daniel M. Keyes of Springfield Democratic	5,196	218	307	Daniel M. Keyes of Springfield Democratic
Cities and Towns	—	4,783	20,095	Cities and Towns
E. Longmeadow	3,072	1,677	4,749	E. Longmeadow
Granville.....	297	139	436	Granville.....
Hampden.....	1,116	375	1,491	Hampden.....
Holland.....	330	123	453	Holland.....
HOLYOKE.....	9,534	4,996	14,534	HOLYOKE.....
Longmeadow.....	4,521	2,278	6,799	Longmeadow.....
Ludlow.....	4,995	1,445	6,448	Ludlow.....

HAMPDEN COUNTY

Agawam.....	5,196	2,556	7,752
Blandford.....	122	241	363
Brimfield.....	579	214	793
Chester.....	218	89	307
CHICOPEE.....	15,271	4,783	20,095
E. Longmeadow.....	3,072	1,677	4,749
Granville.....	297	139	436
Hampden.....	1,116	375	1,491
Holland.....	330	123	453
HOLYOKE.....	9,534	4,996	14,534
Longmeadow.....	4,521	2,278	6,799
Ludlow.....	4,995	1,445	6,448

MIDDLESEX COUNTY

Action.....	2,702	2,613	5,315
Arlington.....	12,100	8,038	20,138
Ashby.....	349	142	491
Ashland.....	1,683	1,118	2,801
Ayer.....	881	489	1,370
Bedford.....	1,769	2,280	4,049
Belmont.....	5,895	5,230	11,125
Billerica.....	5,985	4,160	10,145
Boxborough.....	353	305	658
Burlington.....	4,463	2,968	7,431
CAMBRIDGE.....	14,836	10,251	25,087
Carlisle.....	443	756	1,199
Chelmsford.....	5,827	4,912	10,739
Concord.....	2,255	3,530	5,785
Dracut.....	5,057	2,386	7,443
Dunstable.....	227	246	473
EVERETT.....	8,543	4,374	12,917
Frammingham.....	10,772	7,535	18,307
Groton.....	868	840	1,708
Holliston.....	1,984	1,918	3,902
Hopkinton.....	1,123	992	2,115
Hudson.....	2,595	1,449	4,044
Lexington.....	4,737	6,833	11,570
Lincoln.....	582	1,292	1,874
Littleton.....	1,148	977	2,125
LOWELL.....	17,458	8,436	25,894
MALDEN.....	11,498	5,719	17,217
MARLBOROUGH.....	5,743	2,658	8,401
Maynard.....	1,888	1,049	2,937
MEDFORD.....	14,582	7,141	21,723
MELROSE.....	4,995	5,329	10,324

Total Votes Cast	6,505	1,190	6,505	Total Votes Cast
Blanks	—	2,876	23,014	Blanks
All Others	—	142	773	All Others
Rocco J. Antonelli of Winchester Democratic	3,265	464	3,729	Rocco J. Antonelli of Winchester Democratic
Cities and Towns	—	258	1,628	Cities and Towns
S. Lester Ralph of Somerville Independent	—	845	4,894	S. Lester Ralph of Somerville Independent
Total Votes Cast	6,505	1,190	6,505	Total Votes Cast

Natick	4,847	4,396	—	2,087	11,330
NEWTON	14,062	14,654	—	8,575	37,291
North Reading	2,115	1,652	—	647	4,414
Pepperell	1,118	776	—	392	2,286
Reading	4,224	4,343	—	1,322	9,889
Sherborn	528	861	—	484	1,873
Shirley	570	395	—	168	1,133
SOMERVILLE	14,062	9,195	—	2,138	25,395
Stoneham	4,296	3,080	—	905	8,281
Stow	736	753	—	361	1,850
Sudbury	1,736	2,906	—	1,327	5,969
Tewksbury	4,281	3,353	—	655	8,289
Townsend	902	627	—	309	1,838
Tyngsborough	981	576	—	224	1,781
Wakefield	5,497	3,913	—	1,422	10,832
WALTHAM	7,483	6,496	—	3,650	17,629
Watertown	8,276	4,210	5	2,226	14,717
Wayland	1,889	2,711	—	1,209	5,809
Westford	2,606	1,887	—	673	5,166
Weston	1,431	2,591	—	1,253	5,275
Wilmington	3,233	2,088	—	822	6,143
Winchester	4,427	3,543	—	1,173	9,143
WOBURN	7,702	4,409	—	1,643	13,754
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>250,343</b>	<b>185,521</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>82,525</b>	<b>518,401</b>

Monson	1,612	508	—	2,120
Montgomery	186	58	—	244
Palmer	3,120	1,014	—	4,134
Russell	328	116	2	446
Southwick	1,574	421	—	1,995
SPRINGFIELD	24,159	14,800	3	38,962
Tolland	76	24	—	100
Wales	268	82	—	350
W Springfield	6,306	3,134	—	9,440
WESTFIELD	8,392	3,008	50	11,450
Wibraham	3,324	1,650	—	4,974
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>94,715</b>	<b>43,612</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>138,435</b>

  

William F O'Connor	—	—	—	—
Democratic	—	—	—	—
Northampton	—	—	—	—
Blanks	—	—	—	—
All Others	—	—	—	—
<b>TOTAL VOTES CAST</b>	—	—	—	—

**Cities and Towns**

**HAMPSHIRE COUNTY**

Amherst	3,837	2,882	—	6,719
Belchertown	1,519	505	—	2,024
Chesterfield	208	70	—	278
Cummington	231	65	—	296
Easthampton	4,780	1,242	4	6,026
Goshen	165	38	—	203
Granby	1,137	548	—	1,685
Hadley	1,346	521	—	1,867
Hatfield	1,055	231	—	1,286
Huntington	379	143	—	522
Middlefield	81	28	—	109
NORTHAMPTON	7,648	2,254	—	9,902
Pelham	295	152	—	447
Pianfield	98	36	—	134
So. Hadley	4,692	1,682	1	6,375
Southampton	1,053	296	1	1,350
Ware	2,377	904	—	3,281
Westhampton	309	82	—	391
Williamsburg	638	222	—	860
Worthington	218	94	—	312
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>32,066</b>	<b>11,995</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>44,067</b>

County Treasurer

Cities and Towns		James M Collins or Milton Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Cities and Towns		Michael J. Donoghue of Worcester Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
<b>NORFOLK COUNTY</b>											
Avon	1,560	—	481	2,041	Ashburnham	927	—	377	1,304		
Bellingham	4,062	4	1,308	5,374	Athol	2,773	—	917	3,690		
Braintree	11,196	3	3,970	15,169	Auburn	4,444	2	1,532	5,976		
Brookline	11,860	—	10,730	22,590	Barre	1,084	—	435	1,521		
Canton	5,660	—	2,125	7,785	Berlin	606	—	281	887		
Cohasset	2,125	1	1,307	3,433	Blackstone	1,627	—	441	2,068		
Dedham	8,317	—	3,182	11,499	Bolton	606	—	425	1,031		
Dover	1,348	—	991	2,345	Boylston	965	4	385	1,354		
Foxborough	3,323	6	1,285	4,611	Brookfield	531	—	224	755		
Franklin	4,100	3	1,717	5,817	Charlton	1,351	2	506	1,859		
Holbrook	3,290	—	1,194	4,484	Clinton	3,745	—	1,308	5,053		
Medfield	2,724	—	1,378	4,102	Douglas	893	—	380	1,273		
Medway	2,296	1	840	3,137	Dudley	2,148	—	974	3,122		
Mills	1,720	—	848	2,568	East Brookfield	494	—	212	706		
Milton	9,668	2	3,863	13,533	FITCHBURG	8,678	—	3,663	12,341		
Needham	9,426	—	4,735	14,161	GARDNER	4,476	—	1,990	6,466		
Norfolk	1,289	—	597	1,886	Grafton	2,984	—	1,095	4,079		
Norwood	9,240	2	2,891	12,133	Hardwick	574	1	222	797		
Plainville	1,505	—	533	1,838	Harvard	952	—	783	1,735		
QUINCY	27,546	—	9,224	36,770	Holden	3,917	—	1,988	5,905		
Randolph	8,408	—	3,034	11,442	Hopedale	1,202	—	538	1,740		
Sharon	3,865	—	2,136	6,001	Hubbardston	424	—	220	644		
Stoughton	5,833	—	3,042	8,875	Lancaster	1,136	—	620	1,796		
Walpole	5,473	1	1,861	7,335	Leverett	2,591	—	746	3,337		
Wellesley	7,448	—	4,988	12,436	LEOMINSTER	7,593	—	3,276	10,869		
Westwood	4,552	1	1,914	6,467	Lunenburg	1,936	—	980	2,916		
Weymouth	15,229	1	5,808	21,038	Mendon	762	—	388	1,150		
Wrentham	1,541	—	636	2,177	Milford	6,580	2	3,325	9,907		
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>174,404</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>76,618</b>	<b>251,047</b>	Millbury	3,346	1	1,127	4,474		
					Millville	475	—	133	608		
					New Braintree	158	—	84	242		

Cities and Towns	John F. McLehan of Abington Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
<b>PLYMOUTH COUNTY</b>				
Abington	3,743	—	1,112	4,855
Bridgewater	3,511	—	1,318	4,829
<b>BROCKTON</b>	19,779	1	6,493	26,273
Carver	1,247	1	439	1,687
Duxbury	2,968	6	1,666	4,640
E. Bridgewater	2,138	—	848	2,986
Halifax	1,397	2	561	1,960
Hanover	2,862	—	1,307	4,169
Hanson	1,860	—	644	2,504
Hingham	5,907	—	3,005	8,912
Hull	2,509	—	1,162	3,671
Kingston	1,813	1	720	2,534
Lakeville	1,318	—	554	1,872
Marion	1,004	—	542	1,546
Marshfield	5,108	1	2,100	7,209
Mattapoisett	1,397	1	710	2,108
Middleborough	3,291	2	1,275	4,568
Norwell	2,424	—	1,173	3,597
Pembroke	2,982	—	1,139	4,121
Plymouth	7,223	—	3,165	10,388
Plympton	450	—	203	653
Rochester	644	—	225	869
Rockland	3,750	—	1,110	4,860
Scituate	4,741	—	2,317	7,058
Wareham	3,645	—	1,223	4,868
W. Bridgewater	1,752	2	781	2,535
Whitman	3,463	2	1,087	4,552
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>92,926</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>36,879</b>	<b>129,824</b>

N. Brookfield	1,127	—	438	1,565
Northborough	2,631	—	1,070	3,701
Northbridge	3,024	—	1,159	4,183
Oakham	269	—	137	406
Oxford	2,300	—	865	3,165
Paxton	1,142	—	412	1,554
Petersham	317	—	158	475
Phillipston	230	—	85	315
Princeton	590	—	322	912
Royalston	224	—	79	303
Rutland	1,109	—	380	1,489
Shrewsbury	6,505	—	2,259	8,764
Southborough	1,650	2	873	2,525
Southbridge	3,574	—	2,175	5,749
Spencer	2,761	2	945	3,708
Sterling	1,317	—	558	1,875
Sturbridge	1,403	—	617	2,020
Sutton	1,273	—	608	1,881
Templeton	1,420	—	392	1,812
Upton	1,025	—	562	1,587
Uxbridge	2,242	—	734	2,976
Warren	877	—	385	1,262
Webster	3,524	—	1,483	5,007
W. Boylston	1,954	—	677	2,631
W. Brookfield	696	1	306	1,003
Westborough	3,500	—	1,652	5,152
Westminster	1,327	—	643	1,970
Winchendon	1,413	—	390	1,803
WORCESTER	38,288	—	15,545	53,833
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>157,670</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>65,484</b>	<b>223,171</b>





Tisbury.....	989	1	239	1,229
W Tisbury.....	328		125	453
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>3,194</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1,017</b>	<b>4,216</b>

**Cities and Towns**

Edward H Cahill  
Democratic

All Others

Blanks

Total Votes Cast

**ESSEX COUNTY**

Amesbury.....	2,784		1,426	4,210
Andover.....	7,651		3,425	11,076
BEVERLY.....	10,583		5,318	15,901
Boxford.....	1,339		865	2,194
Danvers.....	7,208		2,929	10,137
Essex.....	763		478	1,241
Georgetown.....	1,529	1	822	2,352
GLOUCESTER.....	6,479		3,021	9,500
Groveland.....	1,482		634	2,116
Hamilton.....	1,833		1,134	2,967
HAVERHILL.....	11,699		5,102	16,801
Ipswich.....	3,101		1,755	4,856
LAWRENCE.....	16,742	3	4,680	21,425
LYNN.....	21,286	1	7,146	28,433
Lynnfield.....	3,636		1,924	5,560
Manchester.....	1,481		1,157	2,638
Marblehead.....	6,501		4,207	10,708
Merrimac.....	1,071		466	1,537
Methuen.....	11,094		3,716	14,810
Middleton.....	1,013		511	1,524
Nahant.....	1,338		617	1,955
Newbury.....	1,168	1	762	1,931
NEWBURYPORT.....	3,573		2,325	5,898
North Andover.....	5,649		2,042	7,691
PEABODY.....	14,351		6,075	20,426
Rockport.....	1,837		1,208	3,045
Rowley.....	886		486	1,372
SALEM.....	12,083		4,583	16,666
Salisbury.....	1,259		647	1,906
Saugus.....	7,373		2,684	10,057
Swampscott.....	4,296		2,371	6,667
Topsfield.....	1,651		970	2,621

Clarksburg.....	277	293	—	47	617
Dalton.....	1,978	582	1	53	2,614
Egremont.....	273	130	442	39	442
Florida.....	111	86		7	204
Gt. Barrington.....	1,087	882		254	2,223
Hancock.....	122	68		15	205
Hinsdale.....	298	153	20	471	471
Lanesborough.....	590	375	52	1,017	1,017
Lee.....	870	893		158	1,921
Lenox.....	951	1,135		133	2,219
Monterey.....	153	108		27	288
Mt. Washington.....	37	8	4	49	49
New Ashford.....	41	24	4	69	69
New Marlborough.....	227	99	26	352	352
NORTH ADAMS.....	1,958	3,563	1	442	5,964
Otis.....	154	82	32	268	268
Peru.....	132	50	8	191	191
PITTSFIELD.....	9,302	8,927	838	19,667	19,667
Richmond.....	423	196	25	644	644
Sandisfield.....	93	61	15	169	169
Savoy.....	77	65	10	152	152
Sheffield.....	570	281	92	943	943
Stockbridge.....	604	340	113	1,057	1,057
Tyringham.....	83	43	9	135	135
Washington.....	119	67	7	193	193
West Stockbridge.....	237	245	40	522	522
Williamstown.....	1,420	971	1	188	2,580
Windsor.....	160	54	9	223	223
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>24,525</b>	<b>23,218</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3,081</b>	<b>50,929</b>

**Cities and Towns**

M. Earle Gaudette  
Of Fall River  
Democratic

All Others

Blanks

Total Votes Cast

**BRISTOL COUNTY**

Acushnet.....	2,563	1	850	3,404
ATTLEBORO.....	5,934	2	2,902	8,838
Berkley.....	488		251	739
Dartmouth.....	4,221	1	3,014	7,236
Dighton.....	1,139		541	1,680
Easton.....	3,512		2,025	5,537

County Commissioner

Cities and Towns	Edward H. Cahill of Lynn Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Cities and Towns	David B. Musante, Jr. of Northampton Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
<b>ESSEX COUNTY — Continued</b>									
Wenham.....	1,014	—	670	1,684	Amherst.....	4,049	—	2,670	6,719
W. Newbury.....	647	—	516	1,163	Beichertown.....	1,521	—	503	2,024
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>176,400</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>76,662</b>	<b>253,068</b>	Chesterfield.....	209	—	69	278
Cities and Towns					Cumington.....	231	1	64	296
					Easthampton.....	4,812	6	1,208	6,026
					Goshen.....	171	—	32	203
					Granby.....	1,202	—	483	1,685
					Hadley.....	1,385	—	482	1,867
					Hatfield.....	1,067	—	219	1,286
					Huntington.....	375	—	147	522
					Middlefield.....	78	—	31	109
					NORTHAMPTON.....	7,743	—	2,159	9,902
					Pelham.....	287	—	160	447
					Plainfield.....	98	—	36	134
					So. Hadley.....	4,638	1	1,736	6,375
					Southampton.....	1,059	3	288	1,350
					Ware.....	2,365	1	915	3,281
					Westhampton.....	307	—	84	391
					Williamsburg.....	651	—	209	860
					Worthington.....	217	—	95	312
					<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>32,465</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>11,590</b>	<b>44,067</b>
<b>FRANKLIN COUNTY</b>									
Ashtfield.....	399	—	135	534					
Barnardston.....	543	1	108	652					
Buckland.....	532	3	168	703					
Charlemont.....	79	—	357	436					
Colrain.....	493	—	106	599					
Conway.....	370	—	127	497					
Deerfield.....	1,292	—	375	1,667					
Erving.....	425	2	91	518					
Gill.....	387	—	100	487					
Greenfield.....	4,990	—	1,720	6,710					
Hawley.....	64	1	21	86					
Hcath.....	125	—	31	154					
Leverett.....	53	—	66	119					
Leyden.....	137	—	41	178					
Monroe.....	49	—	16	65					
Montague.....	2,583	—	711	3,294					
New Salem.....	195	1	66	262					

John L. Danehy of Cambridge Democratic

MIDDLESEX COUNTY

Northfield.....	719	223	942
Orange.....	1,471	395	1,866
Rowe.....	104	42	147
Shelburne.....	554	137	691
Shutesbury.....	217	106	324
Sunderland.....	528	211	739
Warwick.....	167	59	226
Wendell.....	145	81	226
Whately.....	370	151	521
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>17,488</b>	<b>5,466</b>	<b>22,964</b>

Cities and Towns	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes/Cast
Leonard J. Collamore			
of Springfield			
Democratic			

HAMPDEN COUNTY

Agawam.....	5,346	2,406	7,752
Blandford.....	248	115	363
Brimfield.....	579	214	793
Chester.....	226	81	307
CHICOPEE.....	15,700	4,395	20,095
E. Longmeadow.....	3,305	1,444	4,749
Granville.....	298	138	436
Hampden.....	1,162	329	1,491
Holland.....	325	128	453
HOLYOKE.....	10,113	4,421	14,534
Longmeadow.....	4,996	1,803	6,799
Ludlow.....	5,012	1,436	6,448
Monson.....	1,634	486	2,120
Montgomery.....	181	63	244
Palmer.....	3,074	1,060	4,134
Russell.....	329	117	446
Southwick.....	1,572	423	1,995
SPRINGFIELD.....	26,159	12,803	38,962
Tolland.....	76	24	100
Wales.....	265	85	350
W. Springfield.....	6,490	2,950	9,440
WESTFIELD.....	8,429	3,021	11,450
Wilbraham.....	3,464	1,510	4,974
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>98,983</b>	<b>39,452</b>	<b>138,435</b>

Acton.....	4,012	2,493	6,505
Arlington.....	15,882	7,132	23,014
Ashby.....	512	261	773
Ashland.....	1,014	2,251	3,265
Ayer.....	1,130	498	1,628
Bedford.....	2,945	1,949	4,894
Belmont.....	8,244	5,249	13,493
Billerica.....	7,995	3,048	11,045
Boxborough.....	504	344	849
Burlington.....	5,889	2,533	8,422
CAMBRIDGE.....	19,690	12,083	31,814
Carlisle.....	805	716	1,521
Chelmsford.....	8,414	3,869	12,292
Concord.....	4,120	3,024	7,144
Dracut.....	6,093	2,316	8,409
Dunstable.....	354	224	578
EVERETT.....	9,226	6,958	16,184
Frammingham.....	13,891	8,553	22,424
Groton.....	1,305	787	2,092
Holliston.....	2,997	1,786	4,783
Hopkinton.....	1,669	910	2,579
Hudson.....	3,341	1,429	4,771
Lexington.....	7,587	6,893	14,480
Lincoln.....	1,096	1,337	2,434
Littleton.....	1,694	814	2,508
LOWELL.....	21,270	8,520	29,790
MALDEN.....	13,441	7,080	20,521
MARLBOROUGH.....	6,973	2,951	9,924
Maynard.....	2,268	1,233	3,501
MEDFORD.....	16,897	7,391	24,288
MELROSE.....	7,445	4,944	12,389
Natick.....	7,072	4,258	11,330
NEWTON.....	19,190	18,101	37,291
North Reading.....	3,057	1,357	4,414
Pepperell.....	1,549	737	2,286
Reading.....	6,586	3,303	9,889
Sherborn.....	948	925	1,873
Shirley.....	766	367	1,133
SOMERVILLE.....	18,499	6,896	25,395
Stoneham.....	5,732	2,547	8,281
Stow.....	1,058	792	1,850
Sudbury.....	3,170	2,798	5,969
Tewksbury.....	6,176	2,113	8,289
Townsend.....	1,281	557	1,838
Tyngsborough.....	1,289	492	1,781

County Commissioner

Cities and Towns	John L. Danehy of Cambridge Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Gerard F. Burke of Brockton Democratic	Matthew C. Striggles of Bridgewater Republican	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
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MIDDLESEX COUNTY — Continued

Wakefield.....	7,504	—	3,328	10,832	342	225	—	86	653
WALTHAM.....	9,886	—	7,743	17,629	424	358	—	87	869
Watertown.....	10,011	5	4,701	14,717	3,308	1,057	—	495	4,860
Wayland.....	3,122	—	2,687	5,809	3,748	2,252	—	1,058	7,058
Westford.....	3,476	—	1,690	5,166	2,743	1,550	—	575	4,868
Weston.....	2,506	—	2,769	5,275	1,093	1,231	1	210	2,535
Wilmington.....	4,056	—	2,087	6,143	2,802	1,342	—	408	4,552
Winchester.....	5,345	—	3,798	9,143	74,330	40,252	4	15,238	129,824
WOBURN.....	9,617	—	4,137	13,754	—	—	—	—	—
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>331,836</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>186,502</b>	<b>518,401</b>	<b>74,330</b>	<b>40,252</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>15,238</b>	<b>129,824</b>

Cities and Towns	David C. Ahearn of Norwood Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast	Leonard P. Flynn of Shrewsbury Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
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PLYMOUTH COUNTY — Continued

Plympton.....	342	225	—	86	653
Rochester.....	424	358	—	87	869
Rockland.....	3,308	1,057	—	495	4,860
Scituate.....	3,748	2,252	—	1,058	7,058
Wareham.....	2,743	1,550	—	575	4,868
West Bridgewater.....	1,093	1,231	1	210	2,535
Whitman.....	2,802	1,342	—	408	4,552
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>74,330</b>	<b>40,252</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>15,238</b>	<b>129,824</b>

Cities and Towns	Leonard P. Flynn of Shrewsbury Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
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WORCESTER COUNTY

Ashburnham.....	921	—	383	1,304
Athol.....	2,760	1	929	3,690
Auburn.....	4,332	—	1,644	5,976
Barre.....	1,063	1	457	1,521
Berlin.....	590	—	297	887
Blackstone.....	1,616	—	452	2,068
Bolton.....	606	—	425	1,031
Boylston.....	955	—	399	1,354
Brookfield.....	532	—	223	755
Charlton.....	1,347	—	512	1,859
Clinton.....	3,707	—	1,346	5,053
Douglas.....	889	—	384	1,273
Dudley.....	2,118	—	1,004	3,122

NORFOLK COUNTY

Avon.....	1,000	—	1,041	2,041
Bellingham.....	4,062	6	1,306	5,374
Braintree.....	11,142	4	4,023	15,169
Brookline.....	11,541	—	11,049	22,590
Canton.....	5,654	—	2,131	7,785
Cohasset.....	2,086	1	1,346	3,433
Dedham.....	8,353	—	3,146	11,499
Dover.....	1,345	5	995	2,345
Foxborough.....	3,375	5	1,231	4,611
Franklin.....	4,082	—	1,735	5,817
Holbrook.....	3,235	—	1,249	4,484
Medfield.....	2,724	—	1,378	4,102

Medway.....	2,289	2	846	3,137	483	223	706
Mills.....	1,724	—	844	2,568	8,669	3,672	12,341
Milton.....	9,304	1	4,228	13,533	4,438	2,028	6,466
Needham.....	9,371	1	4,789	14,161	3,011	1,067	4,079
Norfolk.....	1,295	—	591	1,886	976	221	797
Norwood.....	9,175	6	2,952	12,133	936	798	1,735
Plainville.....	1,306	—	532	1,838	3,267	2,638	5,905
QUINCY.....	27,316	—	9,454	36,770	1,203	537	1,740
Randolph.....	8,304	—	3,138	11,442	419	225	644
Sharon.....	3,940	—	2,061	6,001	1,136	620	1,756
Stoughton.....	6,040	—	2,835	8,875	2,570	767	3,337
Walpole.....	5,670	2	1,663	7,335	7,561	3,308	10,869
Wellesley.....	7,416	—	5,020	12,436	1,946	970	2,916
Westwood.....	4,589	5	1,873	6,467	759	391	1,150
Weymouth.....	15,115	1	5,922	21,038	6,553	3,352	9,907
Wrentham.....	1,566	—	611	2,177	3,315	1,159	4,474
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>173,019</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>77,989</b>	<b>251,047</b>	<b>471</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>608</b>

**Cities and Towns**

	Gerard F. Burke of Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
Matthew C. Striggles of Republican	—	—	—	—
of Bridgewater	—	—	—	—

**PLYMOUTH COUNTY**

Abington.....	3,017	—	494	4,589	80	303
Bridgewater.....	1,966	—	286	4,829	1,095	1,489
Brockton.....	18,673	—	2,434	26,273	6,681	2,083
Carver.....	963	2	182	1,687	1,657	867
Duxbury.....	1,917	—	619	4,640	3,378	2,370
East Bridgewater.....	1,414	—	293	2,986	2,732	976
Halifax.....	1,009	1	203	1,960	1,302	573
Hanover.....	2,311	—	535	4,169	1,366	654
Hanson.....	1,360	—	246	2,504	1,273	608
Hingham.....	4,403	—	1,226	8,912	1,420	392
Hull.....	2,371	—	680	3,671	1,021	566
Kingston.....	1,453	—	334	2,534	2,223	753
Lakeville.....	889	—	200	1,872	859	383
Marion.....	563	—	191	1,546	3,483	1,524
Marshfield.....	4,264	—	996	7,209	1,951	680
Mattapoisett.....	896	—	274	2,108	693	309
Middleborough.....	2,290	—	471	4,568	3,484	1,668
Norwell.....	1,736	—	529	3,597	1,315	655
Pembroke.....	2,453	—	477	4,121	1,418	385
Plymouth.....	5,922	—	1,649	10,388	37,562	16,271
<b>TOTALS</b> .....	<b>155,374</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>67,783</b>	<b>223,171</b>		

**County Sheriff (to fill vacancy)**

Cities and Towns	Robert J. Carmody of Colrain Republican	Donald J. McQuade of Greenfield Democratic	Michele Cascone of Rowe	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
<b>FRANKLIN COUNTY</b>						
Ashfield .....	220	274	12	—	28	534
Bernardston .....	233	366	31	—	22	652
Buckland .....	172	488	25	—	18	703
Charlmont .....	116	203	26	—	12	357
Colrain .....	269	307	15	—	8	599
Conway .....	182	264	20	—	31	497
Deerfield .....	533	1,011	51	—	72	1,667
Erving .....	164	301	39	—	14	518
Gill .....	152	258	51	—	26	487
Greenfield .....	2,321	4,096	139	—	154	6,710
Hawley .....	29	42	11	—	4	86
Heath .....	61	73	14	—	6	154
Leverett .....	213	216	24	—	66	519
Leyden .....	66	93	14	—	5	178
Monroe .....	15	38	8	—	4	65
Montague .....	918	2,143	102	—	131	3,294
New Salem .....	111	119	8	—	24	262
Northfield .....	445	374	74	—	49	942
Orange .....	732	985	58	—	91	1,866
Rowe .....	37	76	28	—	6	147
Shelburne .....	197	452	24	—	18	691
Shutesbury .....	118	139	12	—	55	324
Sunderland .....	250	388	31	—	70	739
Warwick .....	87	98	23	—	18	226
Wendell .....	101	79	25	—	21	226
Whately .....	190	273	17	—	41	521
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>7,932</b>	<b>13,156</b>	<b>882</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>994</b>	<b>22,964</b>

Cities and Towns	Dennis J. Kearney of Boston Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
<b>SUFFOLK COUNTY</b>				
BOSTON .....	103,737	5	56,642	160,384
CHELSEA .....	7,215	1	2,380	9,596
REVERE .....	13,417	—	4,569	17,986
Winthrop .....	6,353	—	2,317	8,670
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>130,722</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>65,908</b>	<b>196,636</b>

### County Sheriff (to fill vacancy)

Cities and Towns	Francis J. Deignan, Jr. of Worcester Democratic	All Others	Blanks	Total Votes Cast
<b>WORCESTER COUNTY</b>				
Ashburnham.....	916	—	388	1,304
Athol.....	2,761	—	929	3,690
Auburn.....	4,487	1	1,488	5,976
Barre.....	1,096	1	424	1,521
Berlin.....	611	—	276	887
Blackstone.....	1,644	—	424	2,068
Bolton.....	612	—	419	1,031
Boylston.....	987	—	367	1,354
Brookfield.....	533	1	221	755
Charlton.....	1,349	—	510	1,859
Clinton.....	3,753	—	1,300	5,053
Douglas.....	896	—	377	1,273
Dudley.....	2,138	—	984	3,122
East Brookfield.....	491	—	215	706
FITCHBURG.....	8,719	—	3,622	12,341
GARDNER.....	4,463	—	2,003	6,466
Grafton.....	2,978	—	1,101	4,079
Hardwick.....	576	2	219	797
Harvard.....	959	—	776	1,735
Holden.....	3,886	—	2,019	5,905
Hopedale.....	1,208	—	532	1,740
Hubbardston.....	429	—	215	644
Lancaster.....	1,141	—	615	1,756
Leicester.....	2,617	—	720	3,337
LEOMINSTER.....	7,626	—	3,243	10,869
Lunenburg.....	1,940	—	976	2,916
Mendon.....	760	—	390	1,150
Milford.....	6,597	8	3,302	9,907
Millbury.....	3,366	—	1,108	4,474
Millville.....	473	—	135	608
New Braintree.....	165	—	77	242
North Brookfield.....	1,135	—	430	1,565
Northborough.....	2,648	—	1,053	3,701
Northbridge.....	2,926	—	1,257	4,183
Oakham.....	268	—	138	406
Oxford.....	2,223	—	942	3,165
Paxton.....	1,150	—	404	1,554
Petersham.....	318	—	157	475
Phillipston.....	229	—	86	315
Princeton.....	596	—	316	912
Royalston.....	224	—	79	303
Rutland.....	1,103	—	386	1,489
Shrewsbury.....	6,579	6	2,179	8,764
Southborough.....	1,658	—	867	2,525
Southbridge.....	3,356	—	2,393	5,749
Spencer.....	2,786	1	921	3,708
Sterling.....	1,322	1	552	1,875
Sturbridge.....	1,373	—	647	2,020
Sutton.....	1,297	—	584	1,881
Templeton.....	1,426	—	386	1,812
Upton.....	1,025	—	562	1,587
Uxbridge.....	2,238	—	738	2,976
Warren.....	861	2	379	1,242
Webster.....	3,514	—	1,493	5,007
West Boylston.....	2,009	—	622	2,631
West Brookfield.....	697	1	305	1,003
Westborough.....	3,525	1	1,626	5,152
Westminster.....	1,330	—	640	1,970
Winchendon.....	1,416	1	386	1,803
WORCESTER.....	39,440	—	14,393	53,833
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>158,849</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>64,296</b>	<b>223,171</b>



**Question No. 1**

*Proposed Amendment to the Constitution*

*Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in joint sessions of the House of Representatives and Senate on May 28, 1975, by a vote of 220-53, and on September 7, 1977, by a vote of 243-20?*

**SUMMARY**

The proposed constitutional amendment would permit the legislature to establish as many as four different classes of real property for tax purposes. Property

in any one class would be required to be assessed, rated and taxed proportionately but property in different classes could be assessed, rated and taxed differently. The legislature could grant reasonable exemptions. The constitution presently requires all property (other than wild lands, forest lands and certain agricultural and horticultural lands) to be assessed and rated equally at full value for tax purposes.

**AGGREGATE OF VOTES**

Counties	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Barnstable.....	23,039	35,210	2,458	60,707
Berkshire.....	24,702	22,056	4,171	50,929
Bristol.....	100,740	38,983	9,049	148,772
Dukes.....	2,537	1,350	329	4,216
Essex.....	167,793	73,234	12,041	253,068
Franklin.....	11,502	10,287	1,175	22,964
Hampden.....	83,794	45,269	9,372	138,435
Hampshire.....	21,360	20,505	2,202	44,067
Middlesex.....	345,436	149,491	23,474	518,401
Nantucket.....	1,081	704	54	1,839
Norfolk.....	148,404	92,936	9,707	251,047
Plymouth.....	63,323	61,494	5,007	129,824
Suffolk.....	162,833	17,883	15,920	196,636
Worcester.....	129,321	79,998	13,852	223,171
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>1,285,865</b>	<b>649,400</b>	<b>108,811</b>	<b>2,044,076</b>

**BERKSHIRE COUNTY — Continued**

Cities and Towns	Yes	No	Blanks	Total Ballots
Sandusfield.....	71	79	19	169
Savoy.....	75	65	12	152
Sheffield.....	291	606	46	943
Stockbridge.....	394	606	57	1,057
Tyringham.....	42	90	3	135
Washington.....	95	89	9	193
West Stockbridge.....	150	345	27	522
Williamstown.....	1,237	1,238	105	2,580
Windsor.....	102	114	7	223
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>24,702</b>	<b>22,056</b>	<b>4,171</b>	<b>50,929</b>

**BRISTOL COUNTY**

Acushnet.....	2,442	811	151	3,404
ATTLEBORO.....	5,173	3,186	479	8,838
Berkley.....	459	257	23	739
Dartmouth.....	3,595	3,050	591	7,236
Dighton.....	1,054	568	58	1,680
Easton.....	2,280	3,145	112	5,537
Fairhaven.....	3,663	1,296	521	5,480