

OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE CANVASSING COMMITTEE  
UNITED STATES AND STATEWIDE OFFICES  
NOVEMBER 3, 1998

In accordance with the provisions of 17 V.S.A. § 2592, we have met and canvassed the return of votes for United States Senator, United States Representative to Congress and State officers cast at the November 3, 1998 General Election as filed in the Office of the Secretary of State.

**VOTING STATISTICS**

1.	Registered Voters	402,603	
2.	Total votes counted (including absentee)	220,991	54.9%
3.	Absentee votes counted	23,681	10.7%
I.	For United States Senator		
1.	Hugh Douglas, Libertarian	4,199	1.9%
2.	Patrick Leahy, Democratic	154,567	72.2%
3.	Jerry Levy, Liberty Union	1,238	
	0.5%		
4.	Bob (Dr. Bob) Melamede, Vermont Grassroots	2,459	1.1%
5.	Barry Nelson, Independent	2,893	1.3%
6.	Fred H. Tuttle, Republican	48,051	22.4%
7.	Write-in votes	629	0.2%
8.	Total votes counted	214,036	
II.	For United States Representative		
1.	Mark Candon, Republican	70,740	32.8%
2.	Pete Diamondstone, Liberty Union	2,153	1.0%
3.	Robert Maynard, Libertarian	2,097	.9%
4.	Matthew Mulligan, Vermont Grassroots	3,464	1.6%
5.	Bernie Sanders, Independent	136,403	63.4%
6.	Write-in votes	276	.1%
7.	Total votes counted	215,133	
III.	For Governor		
1.	Amy Berkey, Libertarian	2,141	.9%
2.	Howard Dean, Democratic	121,425	55.6%
3.	Ruth Dwyer, Republican	89,726	41.1%
4.	Richard Gottlieb, Liberty Union	1,177	0.5%
5.	Joel W. Williams, Vermont Grassroots	3,305	1.5%
6.	Write-in votes	346	0.1%
7.	Total votes counted	218,120	

IV. For Lieutenant Governor

1.	Bill Coleman, Vermont Grassroots	3,913	1.8%
2.	Jane Newton, Liberty Union	1,721	0.7%
3.	Douglas A. Racine, Democratic	105,480	48.6%
4.	Faeterri Silver, Libertarian	1,310	0.6%
5.	Barbara W. Snelling, Republican	104,351	48.1%
6.	Write-in votes	155	0.0%
7.	Total votes counted	216,930	

V. For State Treasurer

1.	Peter Baker, Libertarian	7,501	3.6%
2.	Randy P. Bushey, Vermont Grassroots	12,312	6.0%
3.	James H. Douglas, Republican/Democratic	175,026	85.4%
4.	Susan Linskey, Liberty Union	9,810	4.7%
5.	Write-in votes	208	0.1%
6.	Total votes counted	204,857	

VI. For Secretary of State

1.	Dennis "Denny" Lane, Vermont Grassroots	8,347	3.9%
2.	Deb Markowitz, Democratic	100,152	47.8%
3.	Jim Milne, Republican	94,635	45.2%
4.	Patricia K. Richmond, Libertarian	6,125	2.9%
5.	Write-in votes	93	0.0%
6.	Total votes counted	209,352	

VII. For Auditor of Accounts

1.	David A. Baker, Libertarian	5,893	2.8%
2.	James Dwinell, Republican	80,249	38.9%
3.	Edward Flanagan, Democratic	107,715	52.2%
4.	Christine T. Jackowski, Liberty Union	5,973	2.9%
5.	Steven Saetta, Vermont Grassroots	6,345	3.0%
6.	Write-in votes	88	0.0%
7.	Total votes counted	206,263	

VIII. For Attorney General

1.	Christopher D. Costanzo, Libertarian	9,122	4.5%
2.	Robert M. Fisher, Liberty Union	5,214	2.5%
3.	William H. Sorrell, Democratic/Republican	169,239	83.8%
4.	Sandy "Wells" Ward, Vermont Grassroots	17,954	8.8%
5.	Write-in votes	344	0.1%
6.	Total votes counted	201,873	

