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STATE OF MAINE
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REFERENDUM ELECTION - NOVEMBER 5, 1985

SUMMARY OF STATEWIDE VOTE
BY COUNTY

MAR 2 1987

STATE OF MAINE

REFERENDUM ELECTION - NOVEMBER 5, 1985

ITEM NO. 1

COUNTY	YES A	YES B	NO C	TOTAL	%Y A	%Y B	%N C
Androscoggin	8098	4435	3071	15604	51.9	28.4	19.7
Aroostook	4213	2656	1898	8767	48.1	30.3	21.6
Cumberland	16263	8472	11036	35771	45.5	23.7	30.9
Franklin	2455	1256	774	4485	54.7	28.0	17.3
Hancock	4086	2208	1428	7722	52.9	28.6	18.5
Kennebec	9410	5682	3854	18946	49.7	30.0	20.3
Knox	2678	1585	1575	5838	45.9	27.1	27.0
Lincoln	3004	1228	1564	5796	51.8	21.2	27.0
Oxford	4332	1792	1372	7496	57.8	23.9	18.3
Penobscot	9147	5686	3691	18524	49.4	30.7	19.9
Piscataquis	2066	742	391	3199	64.6	23.2	12.2
Sagadahoc	2559	1123	1060	4742	54.0	23.7	22.4
Somerset	3228	1532	968	5728	56.4	26.7	16.9
Waldo	2790	1179	756	4725	59.0	25.0	16.0
Washington	1863	1137	796	3796	49.1	30.0	21.0
York	10486	5207	5659	21352	49.1	24.4	26.5
STATEWIDE:	86678	45920	39893	172491	50.3	26.6	23.1

1
YES
INITIATED BILL

A

Do you want the right to vote for or against any plan for the storage or disposal of low-level radioactive waste?

YES
LEGISLATIVE BILL

B

Do you want to vote on any Maine site for disposal of low-level radioactive waste if it is not disposed of safely outside of Maine or at the Maine Yankee site?

NO
BOTH BILLS

C

Against both measures.

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ITEM NO. 2

COUNTY	YES	NO	TOTAL	%YES	%NO
Androscoggin	12071	6040	18111	66.7	33.3
Arcoostook	6165	3708	9873	62.4	37.6
Cumberland	28593	10247	38840	73.6	26.4
Franklin	3152	1806	4958	63.6	36.4
Hancock	5745	2589	8334	68.9	31.1
Kennebec	14091	5479	19570	72.0	28.0
Knox	4714	1573	6287	75.0	25.0
Lincoln	4220	1858	6078	69.4	30.6
Oxford	5537	2674	8211	67.4	32.6
Penobscot	13272	6444	19716	67.3	32.7
Piscataquis	2221	1232	3453	64.3	35.7
Sagadahoc	3608	1373	4981	72.4	27.6
Somerset	4135	2342	6477	63.8	36.2
Waldo	3478	1788	5266	66.0	34.0
Washington	2710	1584	4294	63.1	36.9
York	17002	7340	24342	69.8	30.2
STATEWIDE:	130714	58077	188791	69.2	30.8

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YES NO

BOND ISSUE

“Do you favor a \$15,000,000 bond issue for construction of sewage treatment and water quality improvement facilities and for the cleanup and restoration of oil contaminated ground water and well water in communities throughout the State?”

Total Estimated Debt Service of \$28,387,500 of which Principal is \$15,000,000, Estimated Interest at 8.50% over 20 years is \$13,387,500.00.

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ITEM NO. 3

COUNTY	YES	NO	TOTAL	%YES	%NO
Androscoggin	8400	9451	17851	47.1	52.9
Aroostook	4924	4822	9746	50.5	49.5
Cumberland	18197	20240	38437	47.3	52.7
Franklin	2221	2678	4899	45.3	54.7
Hancock	3836	4500	8336	46.0	54.0
Kennebec	9950	9366	19316	51.5	48.5
Knox	2951	3304	6255	47.2	52.8
Lincoln	2589	3521	6110	42.4	57.6
Oxford	3694	4454	8148	45.3	54.7
Penobscot	10104	9661	19765	51.1	48.9
Piscataquis	1491	1902	3393	43.9	56.1
Sagadahoc	1933	3034	4967	38.9	61.1
Somerset	2837	3617	6454	44.0	56.0
Waldo	2320	2870	5190	44.7	55.3
Washington	1897	2348	4245	44.7	55.3
York	10767	13625	24392	44.1	55.9
STATEWIDE:	88111	99393	187504	47.0	53.0

3

YES NO

BOND ISSUE

"Do you favor a \$4,300,000 bond issue to build and equip centers for advanced technology that support the growth of new and existing business and industry?"

Total Estimated Debt Service of \$6,132,875 of which Principal is \$4,300,000, Estimated Interest at 7.75% over 10 years is \$1,832,875.00.

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ITEM NO. 4

COUNTY	YES	NO	TOTAL	%YES	%NO
Androscoggin	12837	5360	18197	70.5	29.5
Aroostook	7242	2664	9906	73.1	26.9
Cumberland	28824	9952	38776	74.3	25.7
Franklin	3446	1539	4985	69.1	30.9
Hancock	6169	2291	8460	72.9	27.1
Kennebec	14706	4931	19637	74.9	25.1
Knox	4929	1523	6452	76.4	23.6
Lincoln	4353	1757	6110	71.2	28.8
Oxford	5982	2307	8289	72.2	27.8
Penobscot	14671	5535	20206	72.6	27.4
Piscataquis	2352	1137	3489	67.4	32.6
Sagadahoc	3686	1381	5067	72.7	27.3
Somerset	4522	2032	6554	69.0	31.0
Waldo	3693	1585	5278	70.0	30.0
Washington	3014	1312	4326	69.7	30.3
York	17134	7613	24747	69.2	30.8
STATEWIDE:	137560	52919	190479	72.2	27.8

YES NO

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BOND ISSUE

"Do you favor a \$20,000,000 bond issue for highway, bridge and airport improvements?"

Total Estimated Debt Service of \$37,850,000 of which Principal is \$20,000,000, Estimated Interest at 8.50% over 20 years is \$17,850,000.00.

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ITEM NO. 5

COUNTY	YES	NO	TOTAL	%YES	%NO
Androscoggin	8574	9352	17926	47.8	52.2
Aroostook	4162	5654	9816	42.4	57.6
Cumberland	20395	18310	38695	52.7	47.3
Franklin	2484	2471	4955	50.1	49.9
Hancock	4842	3549	8391	57.7	42.3
Kennebec	10113	9338	19451	52.0	48.0
Knox	4246	2146	6392	66.4	33.6
Lincoln	3409	2677	6086	56.0	44.0
Oxford	3979	4252	8231	48.3	51.7
Penobscot	9772	10248	20020	48.8	51.2
Piscataquis	1700	1764	3464	49.1	50.9
Sagadahoc	2711	2308	5019	54.0	46.0
Somerset	2988	3518	6506	45.9	54.1
Waldo	2772	2478	5250	52.8	47.2
Washington	2258	2058	4316	52.3	47.7
York	12627	11902	24529	51.5	48.5
STATEWIDE:	97022	92025	189047	51.3	48.7

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YES NO

BOND ISSUE

“Do you favor an \$850,000 bond issue for the acquisition, lease or rehabilitation of certain rail lines in Maine?”

Total Estimated Debt Service of \$993,437 of which Principal is \$850,000, Estimated Interest at 6.75% over 5 years is \$143,437.00.

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ITEM NO. 6

COUNTY	YES	NO	TOTAL	%YES	%NO
Androscoggin	8608	9357	17965	47.9	52.1
Aroostook	4260	5557	9817	43.4	56.6
Cumberland	22807	16098	38905	58.6	41.4
Franklin	2311	2636	4947	46.7	53.3
Hancock	4616	3763	8379	55.1	44.9
Kennebec	10678	8826	19504	54.7	45.3
Knox	3705	2644	6349	58.4	41.6
Lincoln	3394	2695	6089	55.7	44.3
Oxford	4091	4144	8235	49.7	50.3
Penobscot	9944	10150	20094	49.5	50.5
Piscataquis	1539	1898	3437	44.8	55.2
Sagadahoc	2635	2354	4989	52.8	47.2
Somerset	3149	3367	6516	48.3	51.7
Waldo	2747	2511	5258	52.2	47.8
Washington	1975	2330	4305	45.9	54.1
York	12404	12210	24614	50.4	49.6
STATEWIDE:	98863	90540	189403	52.2	47.8

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YES	NO
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BOND ISSUE

"Do you favor a \$2,000,000 bond issue for the restoration and preservation of historic buildings?"

Total Estimated Debt Service of \$2,337,500 of which Principal is \$2,000,000, Estimated Interest at 6.75% over 5 years is \$337,500.00.

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ITEM NO. 7

COUNTY	YES	NO	TOTAL	%YES	%NO
Androscoggin	11684	6415	18099	64.6	35.4
Aroostook	6642	3144	9786	67.9	32.1
Cumberland	27943	11057	39000	71.6	28.4
Franklin	3000	1932	4932	60.8	39.2
Hancock	5154	3207	8361	61.6	38.4
Kennebec	13107	6510	19617	66.8	33.2
Knox	4217	2055	6272	67.2	32.8
Lincoln	3904	2177	6081	64.2	35.8
Oxford	5162	3056	8218	62.8	37.2
Penobscot	12565	7547	20112	62.5	37.5
Piscataquis	1954	1443	3397	57.5	42.5
Sagadahoc	3147	1863	5010	62.8	37.2
Somerset	3839	2668	6507	59.0	41.0
Waldo	3268	1958	5226	62.5	37.5
Washington	2649	1670	4319	61.3	38.7
York	15794	8767	24561	64.3	35.7
STATEWIDE:	124029	65469	189498	65.5	34.5

7 YES NO

BOND ISSUE

"Do you favor a \$2,200,000 bond issue to purchase equipment and land for vocational-technical institutes?"

Total Estimated Debt Service of \$2,571,250 of which Principal is \$2,200,000, Estimated Interest at 6.75% over 5 years is \$371,250.00.

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ITEM NO. 8

COUNTY	YES	NO	TOTAL	%YES	%NO
Androscoggin	8906	8667	17573	50.7	49.3
Arcoostook	4972	4568	9540	52.1	47.9
Cumberland	19634	18223	37857	51.9	48.1
Franklin	2451	2376	4827	50.8	49.2
Hancock	4173	4020	8193	50.9	49.1
Kennebec	9835	9285	19120	51.4	48.6
Knox	3050	3120	6170	49.4	50.6
Lincoln	2899	3019	5918	49.0	51.0
Oxford	3836	4208	8044	47.7	52.3
Penobscot	9296	10643	19939	46.6	53.4
Piscataquis	1600	1775	3375	47.4	52.6
Sagadahoc	2362	2578	4940	47.8	52.2
Somerset	2908	3421	6329	45.9	54.1
Waldo	2265	2817	5082	44.6	55.4
Washington	1794	2395	4189	42.8	57.2
York	12281	11709	23990	51.2	48.8
STATEWIDE:	92262	92824	185086	49.8	50.2

8 YES NO

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

“Shall the Constitution of Maine be amended to allow qualified individuals in the Legislature to be appointed to civil office so long as they resign from the Legislature upon confirmation?”

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ITEM NO. 9

COUNTY	YES	NO	TOTAL	%YES	%NO
Androscoggin	10208	7965	18173	56.2	43.8
Aroostook	6447	3459	9906	65.1	34.9
Cumberland	22346	16336	38682	57.8	42.2
Franklin	2559	2412	4971	51.5	48.5
Hancock	5479	2958	8437	64.9	35.1
Kennebec	11116	8551	19667	56.5	43.5
Knox	4168	2188	6356	65.6	34.4
Lincoln	3493	2612	6105	57.2	42.8
Oxford	4074	4197	8271	49.3	50.7
Penobscot	12939	7303	20242	63.9	36.1
Piscataquis	2166	1345	3511	61.7	38.3
Sagadahoc	2976	2049	5025	59.2	40.8
Somerset	3267	3249	6516	50.1	49.9
Waldo	2841	2405	5246	54.2	45.8
Washington	2732	1606	4338	63.0	37.0
York	13269	11506	24775	53.6	46.4
STATEWIDE:	110080	80141	190221	57.9	42.1

YES NO

9

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

"Shall the Constitution of Maine be amended to extend the tenure for sheriffs from 2 years to 4 years?"