



**OFFICIAL ELECTION RETURNS  
AND  
REGISTRATION FIGURES  
FOR  
SOUTH DAKOTA**

**PRIMARY ELECTION  
JUNE 1, 1976**

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**PRESIDENTIAL DELEGATES AND ALTERNATES  
FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT — DEMOCRATIC**

COUNTY	Group #1 Harris	Group #2 McCormack	Group #3 No. Pref.	Group #4 Jackson	Group #5 Udall	Group #6 Carter	Group #7 Wallace
Brookings	7	192	138	12	607	453	20
Brown	90	299	520	41	1687	1932	66
Clark	2	26	98	5	217	246	15
Clay	11	50	66	10	422	320	14
Codington	10	143	239	6	421	537	30
Day	6	107	135	9	321	501	21
Deuel	8	27	77	4	176	214	10
Grant	2	94	56	6	151	257	12
Hamlin	9	20	75	4	146	225	12
Hutchinson	8	51	54	2	206	240	15
Kingsbury	4	32	158	1	205	206	10
Lake	10	47	128	5	403	366	12
Lincoln	1	39	89	8	378	386	13
McCook	4	104	71	2	226	269	8
Marshall	3	73	111	5	177	392	6
Minnehaha	61	374	512	70	3066	2610	95
Moody	7	89	65	7	266	260	20
Roberts	11	111	170	9	350	579	52
Turner	4	19	60	6	237	268	12
Union	5	58	125	14	241	325	22
Yankton	17	238	203	17	497	670	48
1st District Total	280	2,193	3,150	243	10,400	11,256	513
State Total	573	4,561	7,871	558	19,510	24,186	1,412

**REGISTERED VOTERS — Compiled May 17, 1976**

COUNTY	Precincts	Democrat	Republican	Other	Total
Aurora	12	1508	984	190	2682
Beadle	53	7007	4773	1264	13044
Bennett	8	933	784	112	1829
Bon Homme	12	2527	2825	409	5761
*Brookings	26	4817	6149	2038	13004
*Brown	38	11371	8836	2016	22223
Brule	17	2189	1139	207	3535
Buffalo	5	517	311	39	867
Butte	21	1476	3053	250	4779
Campbell	8	313	1486	41	1840
Charles Mix	33	3642	1861	299	5802
*Clark	36	1432	2034	206	3672
*Clay	22	2913	2582	906	6401
*Codington	41	5721	4897	1755	12373
Corson	24	1163	1189	147	2499
Custer	10	1248	1567	302	3117
Davison	33	5222	3993	1100	10315
*Day	31	3054	2377	309	5740
*Deuel	22	1323	1674	374	3371
Dewey	12	997	1117	165	2279
Douglas	11	798	1950	130	2878
Edmunds	15	1828	1804	205	3837
Fall River	16	1852	2828	370	5050
Faulk	17	1143	1146	128	2417
*Grant	21	2375	2621	601	5597
Gregory	17	2189	1826	176	4191
Haakon	15	576	999	79	1654
*Hamlin	14	1417	2103	244	3764
Hand	18	1700	1911	244	3855
Hanson	9	1041	868	165	2074
Harding	15	376	782	52	1210
Hughes	19	3057	4613	792	8462
*Hutchinson	35	1616	4630	105	6351
Hyde	10	745	770	58	1573
Jackson	4	295	631	21	947
Jerauld	11	964	1082	107	2153
Jones	6	434	383	29	846
*Kingsbury	18	1632	2927	277	4836
*Lake	27	3286	3348	538	7172
Lawrence	27	3450	5924	702	10076
*Lincoln	30	2749	3978	750	7477
Lyman	9	908	1416	59	2383
*McCook	24	1908	2091	510	4509
McPherson	17	520	2504	96	3120
*Marshall	24	2029	1572	190	3791
Meade	26	3114	3723	465	7302
Mellette	12	572	688	87	1347
Miner	12	1497	998	203	2698
*Minnehaha	47	28975	28322	5647	62944
*Moody	23	2208	1681	782	4671
Pennington	33	14099	15779	3618	33496
Perkins	35	1274	1767	164	3205
Potter	14	999	1621	107	2727
*Roberts	43	3670	2032	520	6222
Sanborn	20	1101	1159	220	2480
Spink	28	3031	2454	450	5935
Stanley	9	778	735	173	1686
Sully	8	594	881	508	1983
Tripp	27	2425	2347	448	5220
*Turner	28	1751	3901	588	6240
*Union	24	2843	2688	772	6303
Walworth	15	1659	2901	271	4831
*Yankton	19	4510	5318	828	10656
Ziebach	9	532	533	58	1123
UNORGANIZED COUNTIES					
Shannon	7	1518	450	185	2153
Todd	10	1682	808	233	2723
Washabaugh	6	366	273	38	677
STATE TOTAL	1,348	177,459	189,397	35,122	401,987
1st DISTRICT TOTAL	593	91,600	95,761	19,956	207,317
2nd DISTRICT TOTAL	755	85,859	93,636	15,166	194,661

\* Indicates 1st Congressional District

**PRESIDENTIAL DELEGATES AND ALTERNATES  
FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT — REPUBLICAN**

COUNTY	Group #1 Ford	Group #2 Reagan	Group #3 No Preference
Brookings .....	1456	813	120
Brown .....	1692	1811	122
Clark .....	431	511	32
Clay .....	549	414	37
Codington .....	893	641	65
Day .....	430	599	36
Deuel .....	402	320	51
Grant .....	527	399	76
Hamlin .....	500	444	53
Hutchinson .....	876	1035	128
Kingsbury .....	636	626	78
Lake .....	840	602	70
Lincoln .....	869	836	80
McCook .....	402	420	51
Marshall .....	339	325	33
Minnehaha .....	6441	5138	555
Moody .....	333	323	28
Roberts .....	410	419	53
Turner .....	759	786	62
Union .....	498	408	31
Yankton .....	1037	1137	130
<b>1st District Total .....</b>	<b>20,320</b>	<b>18,007</b>	<b>1,891</b>
<b>State Total .....</b>	<b>36,976</b>	<b>43,068</b>	<b>4,033</b>

## STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS

### District 12 (Republican) Two to be elected

	Lincoln	Turner	Union	TOTAL
*O. L. (Larry) Anderson .....	1230	492	354	2076
*Marvin Skie .....	1290	404	232	1926
A. Stene .....	623	282	112	1017

### District 13 (Democratic) Two to be elected

	Clay	Union	TOTAL
*Richard Bottolfson .....	572	188	760
Leonard E. Smith .....	261	282	543
*Michael Curran .....	616	353	969

### District 15 (Democratic) Two to be elected

	Yankton	TOTAL
Andy G. Thompson .....	329	329
*Jerome D. Radack .....	924	924
*Ann Kessler .....	1017	1017
Alvin Hacecky .....	729	729

### District 16 (Democratic) Two to be elected

	Bon Homme	Charles Mix	Douglas	TOTAL
Isla M. Kreiner .....	394	387	8	789
Fred Zephier, Sr. ....	75	109	6	190
Joe Abdo, Sr. ....	47	95	8	150
*Abert J. Kocer .....	578	1206	27	1811
*Ralph Nachtigal .....	242	1241	56	1539

### District 17 (Democratic) Two to be elected

	Aurora	Davison	TOTAL
*John R. McNary .....	69	1020	1089
*Glen L. Youngstrom .....	172	1062	1234
Marion Miller .....	191	737	928

### District 18 (Democratic) Two to be elected

	Aurora	Brule	Buffalo	Hand	Jerauld	TOTAL
*James A. Burg .....	352	513	70	440	324	1699
*Donn Wright .....	401	539	39	251	167	1397
Donald Bickner .....	262	571	63	355	141	1392

### District 19 (Democratic) Two to be elected

	Dewey	Edmunds	Faulk	Hyde	Potter	TOTAL
James L. Claymore ..	217	98	207	173	206	901
*A. J. "Andy" Barondeau	115	295	469	139	197	1215
*Gene Robbenolt ...	202	196	353	253	311	1315

\* *Indicates winners*

**PRESIDENTIAL DELEGATES AND ALTERNATES  
SECOND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT — DEMOCRATIC**

COUNTY	Group #1 Harris	Group #2 McCormack	Group #3 No. Pref.	Group #4 Jackson	Group #5 Udall	Group #6 Carter	Group #7 Wallace
Aurora	8	64	115	12	262	415	18
Beadle	41	121	1156	26	447	689	39
Bennett	1	16	33	2	44	142	8
Bon Homme	8	43	114	3	276	311	18
Brule	9	162	111	11	282	348	25
Buffalo	1	6	18	2	37	41	3
Butte	2	14	47	3	124	274	17
Campbell	0	6	7	1	41	63	1
Charles Mix	24	200	283	14	439	714	56
Corson	3	51	47	5	111	226	33
Custer	2	18	60	6	166	201	16
Davison	11	105	178	11	673	607	17
Dewey	4	36	59	10	81	152	18
Douglas	3	13	25	3	97	153	8
Edmunds	7	59	79	4	166	359	17
Fall River	9	28	82	14	195	313	22
Faulk	7	63	128	5	154	287	18
Gregory	7	84	89	3	262	349	23
Haakon	0	47	37	2	62	115	16
Hand	3	61	118	5	178	269	12
Hanson	2	59	46	0	136	133	5
Harding	3	11	17	2	52	72	10
Hughes	7	62	174	12	306	443	24
Hyde	2	43	62	2	120	103	10
Jackson	0	5	13	3	49	59	14
Jerauld	2	10	69	5	123	150	13
Jones	2	9	21	2	54	96	13
Lawrence	9	53	136	22	404	557	40
Lyman	1	72	31	2	91	158	10
McPherson	0	41	19	0	46	119	3
Meade	4	124	72	7	281	507	62
Mellette	4	10	35	3	56	102	12
Miner	5	72	96	2	212	228	10
Pennington	40	233	304	54	1425	1772	99
Perkins	6	19	67	7	162	233	22
Potter	5	35	45	3	128	176	19
Sanborn	1	88	76	2	134	146	10
Spink	4	73	317	10	367	522	12
Stanley	3	22	34	5	56	111	17
Sully	0	16	23	1	64	124	11
Tripp	6	48	95	11	325	424	26
Walworth	2	23	93	9	202	253	22
Ziebach	6	12	20	3	38	60	8
Unorganized Counties							
Shannon	7	6	11	0	61	138	10
Todd	19	19	49	5	106	174	25
Washabaugh	3	6	10	1	15	42	7
<b>2nd District Total</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>2,368</b>	<b>4,721</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>9,110</b>	<b>12,930</b>	<b>899</b>
<b>State Total</b>	<b>573</b>	<b>4,561</b>	<b>7,871</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>19,510</b>	<b>24,186</b>	<b>1,412</b>

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### District 20 (Republican) Two to be elected

	Campbell	Edmunds	McPherson	Walworth	TOTAL
*James L. Stoick .....	534	311	911	1311	3067
*Eugene H. Wiest .....	671	172	783	769	2395
Alfred Fischer .....	157	229	672	541	1599

### District 22 (Republican) Two to be elected

	Haakon	Hughes	Stanley	Sully	TOTAL
*Benny J. Gross .....	330	1822	240	319	2711
*Neil Clarke .....	384	1783	271	240	2678
Ruth Karim .....	270	693	85	183	1231

### District 23 (Republican) Two to be elected

	Bennett	Jackson	Jones	Lyman	Mellette
*Guy Edwards .....	230	241	197	375	158
*Marvis T. Hogen .....	165	246	200	444	191
Patricia Adrian .....	206	193	187	297	183
	Shannon	Todd	Washabaugh	TOTAL	
*Guy Edwards .....	19	18	107	1345	
*Marvis T. Hogen .....	17	19	77	1359	
Patricia Adrian .....	11	24	107	1208	

### District 25 (Democratic) Two to be elected

	Custer	Fall River	Shannon	TOTAL
*Violet Biever .....	335	549	50	934
Ellis Brings Him Back .....	53	58	90	201
Dr. Jim Wilson .....	178	206	106	490
*Marshall J. Truax .....	205	396	41	642

### District 26 (Republican) Two to be elected

	Lawrence	Pennington	TOTAL
Kermit G. Stell .....	1494	117	1611
*Beverly Halling .....	2451	222	2673
*John J. "Jack" Gerken .....	1671	266	1937

### District 27 (Republican) Six to be elected

	Pennington	TOTAL
*F. Julian Cheney .....	3898	3898
Edwin L. Knodel .....	2412	2412
*Gordon R. Pederson .....	3675	3675
*Carl Ham .....	4436	4436
*Richard K. Widdoss .....	2519	2519
*Doris Elliott .....	2553	2553
Earl F. Underwood .....	2441	2441
*Don Ham .....	4197	4197

\* Indicates winners

**STATE SENATORIAL DISTRICTS**

District 7 (Republican) One to be elected

	Beadle	Clark	Hamlin	Kingsbury	TOTAL
*Henry A. Poppen .....	144	548	760	1111	2563
Samuel C. Mohler, Jr. ....	29	81	176	171	457

District 8 (Republican) One to be elected

	Beadle	TOTAL
Harriet Brown .....	347	347
*Theodore I. Spaulding .....	546	546

District 9 (Democratic) One to be elected

	Hanson	McCook	Miner	Sanborn	TOTAL
*Rodney Hall .....	243	400	306	195	1144
Hagen Kelsey .....	115	229	308	236	888

District 11 (Democratic) Five to be elected

	Minnehaha	TOTAL
*David Billion .....	5801	5801
*Mike O'Connor .....	6396	6396
*Jerry Mayer .....	4900	4900
*Elaine McCart .....	4282	4282
*Elizabeth (Libby) Shreves .....	4633	4633
Alfred (Al) Hotz .....	3730	3730
John Fisher .....	4161	4161

District 11 (Republican) Five to be elected

	Minnehaha	TOTAL
*Ronald L. W. Larsen .....	6507	6507
*Lloyd L. W. Jones .....	6934	6934
Robert N. Quinn .....	5049	5049
*Wendell H. Hanson .....	8362	8362
*Henry Carlson, Jr. ....	7327	7327
*Sheldon R. Songstad .....	7509	7509
Warren R. Johnson .....	4902	4902

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## STATE SENATORIAL DISTRICTS

### District 12 (Republican) One to be elected

	Lincoln	Turner	Union	TOTAL
*Harold Anderson .....	1111	310	215	1636
James E. Graff .....	565	384	214	1163

### District 16 (Democratic) One to be elected

	Bon Homme	Charles Mix	Douglas	TOTAL
*Carrol "Red" Allen .....	152	1028	28	1208
Rev. Bob McBride .....	105	292	22	419
Jim Halsey .....	504	431	6	941

### District 19 (Republican) One to be elected

	Dewey	Edmunds	Faulk	Hyde	Potter	TOTAL
*Robert Hoffman .....	276	230	497	134	332	1469
Wayne Peterson .....	234	105	149	338	257	1083

### District 26 (Democratic) One to be elected

	Lawrence	Pennington	TOTAL
*M. W. Clarkson .....	800	93	893
Gene Curtis Ullman .....	359	67	426

### District 27 (Republican) Three to be elected

	Pennington	TOTAL
*Frank Simpson .....	3531	3531
*Lyndell Petersen .....	4099	4099
Burton L. Wrede .....	1464	1464
*Donald L. Frankenfeld .....	2400	2400
Thomas H. McKiernan .....	1566	1566
Lyle C. Baker .....	2056	2056

### District 28 (Republican) One to be elected

	Butte	Corson	Harding	Perkins	TOTAL
*Eldon S. Jensen .....	486	390	235	905	2016
Joseph H. Keegan .....	462	48	126	93	729
Charles M. Turbiville .....	576	53	61	69	759

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Aurora	225	246	29
Beadle	804	1064	139
Bennett	94	241	17
Bon Homme	410	554	52
Brule	212	226	19
Buffalo	40	55	0
Butte	518	920	141
Campbell	338	429	36
Charles Mix	371	384	40
Corson	217	324	32
Custer	235	476	47
Davison	776	615	75
Dewey	191	367	22
Douglas	407	456	34
Edmunds	313	451	19
Fall River	397	879	68
Faulk	250	381	38
Gregory	315	564	44
Haakon	152	416	27
Hand	328	470	30
Hanson	183	171	10
Harding	94	330	19
Hughes	1120	958	92
Hyde	166	289	23
Jackson	118	271	26
Jerauld	237	226	26
Jones	132	216	16
Lawrence	1231	1734	237
Lyman	209	449	28
McPherson	604	751	62
Meade	425	1307	60
Mellette	85	228	13
Miner	211	213	23
Pennington	2417	3924	223
Perkins	294	745	53
Potter	253	423	24
Sanborn	256	325	38
Spink	521	571	84
Stanley	123	193	17
Sully	166	250	11
Tripp	350	652	30
Walworth	644	832	90
Ziebach	52	126	4
<b>Unorganized Counties</b>			
Shannon	31	77	3
Todd	113	154	13
Washabaugh	28	128	8
<b>2nd District Total</b>	<b>16,656</b>	<b>25,061</b>	<b>2,142</b>
<b>State Total</b>	<b>36,976</b>	<b>43,068</b>	<b>4,033</b>

## STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS

### District 2 (Democratic) Four to be elected

	Brown	TOTAL
Gary W. Ellsworth .....	2773	2773
*David Laustsen .....	2905	2905
*R. Lars Herseth .....	3654	3654
*Alfred A. Waltman .....	3040	3040
*Harold Schaunaman .....	3297	3297

### District 3 (Republican) Two to be elected

	Brookings	Deuel	Grant	TOTAL
Roger Hovey .....	267	341	383	991
*T. Loren Christianson .....	272	551	578	1401
*Robert R. Weber .....	238	419	705	1362

### District 11 (Democratic) Ten to be elected

	Minnehaha	TOTAL
*Robert (Bob) Sivertson .....	3928	3928
*Wally G. Myers .....	4035	4035
*Lolla Hunking .....	4114	4114
Kitty Mullally .....	2265	2265
A. Dennis Bren .....	2257	2257
Jim Webster .....	2806	2806
*George Kirk .....	4016	4016
Duane E. Cramer .....	2701	2701
*Mary Vanderlinde .....	3791	3791
*Richard Barnes .....	4330	4330
Chester G. Oursland .....	2392	2392
*Dennis C. McFarland .....	5075	5075
*Linda Lea M. Miller .....	4567	4567
Fletcher C. Nelson .....	3014	3014
Gerald D. Johnson .....	2551	2551
*Gordon Lovell .....	3791	3791
*Gale Fisher .....	3823	3823
William D. Kenyon .....	3074	3074

### District 11 (Republican) Ten to be elected

	Minnehaha	TOTAL
*Henry Knockenmus .....	6074	6074
Gerald Kisecker .....	4343	4343
Roy Langdon .....	3172	3172
*Debra R. Anderson .....	4790	4790
*Lowell C. Hansen II .....	8719	8719
Arthur M. Wickle, Sr. ....	3117	3117
Ann M. Lewis .....	4680	4680
Dave Fitz .....	4763	4763
*Bernice M. Johnson .....	4879	4879
*Roger D. Reid .....	5419	5419
John Gridley III .....	4262	4262
*Richard D. Flynn .....	5503	5503
*Gregory Peterson .....	4948	4948
*Arnold E. Amundson .....	6741	6741
*Hal G. Wick .....	5331	5331
*Walt Bones, Jr. ....	7353	7353
Cornie VanHelden .....	4305	4305

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