

NEW HAMPSHIRE  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE



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December 7, 2022

His Excellency, Governor Christopher Sununu  
and the Honorable Council  
State House  
Concord, N.H. 03301

Dear Governor Sununu:

As required by RSA 660:26, and RSA 663:4, respectively, I hereby submit the return of votes cast at the biennial election held on November 8, 2022 in the several towns and wards of the State for United States Senator, Representatives in Congress from the First and Second Districts, and the proposed amendments to the New Hampshire Constitution.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Scanlan".

David M. Scanlan  
Secretary of State

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The Secretary of State, pursuant to RSA 660:26, laid before the Governor and Executive Council, at their meeting held on December 7, 2022, the return of votes cast at the biennial election held on November 8, 2022 in the several towns and wards for United States Senator and Representatives in Congress from the First and Second Districts, and pursuant to RSA 663:4, the return of votes cast for the proposed amendments to the New Hampshire Constitution.

**For United States Senator:**

Maggie Hassan, d, Newfields	332,193
Donald C. Bolduc, r, Stratham	275,928
Jeremy Kauffman, l, Manchester	12,390

and Maggie Hassan, having the highest number of votes for United States Senator was declared elected.

**For Representative in Congress**

**First District**

Chris Pappas, d, Manchester	167,391
Karoline Leavitt, r, Hampton	142,229

**Second District**

Ann McLane Kuster, d, Hopkinton	171,636
Robert Burns, r, Pembroke	135,579

and Chris Pappas, First District, and Ann McLane Kuster, Second District, having received the largest number of votes cast in their respective districts for Representative in Congress were declared elected.

Upon motion of Councilor \_\_\_\_\_, and duly seconded by Councilor \_\_\_\_\_, His Excellency the Governor was authorized to issue certificates in accordance with the foregoing report.

## Proposed Amendments to the New Hampshire Constitution

**Question No. 1.** "Are you in favor of amending articles 71 and 81 of the second part of the constitution to read as follows: [Art.] 71. [County Treasurers, County Attorneys, Sheriffs, and Registers of Deeds Elected.] The county treasurers, county attorneys, sheriffs and registers of deeds, shall be elected by the inhabitants of the several towns, in the several counties in the State, according to the method now practiced, and the laws of the state, provided nevertheless the legislature shall have authority to alter the manner of certifying the votes, and the mode of electing those officers; but not so as to deprive the people of the right they now have of electing them.

[Art.] 81. [Judges Not to Act as Counsel.] No judge shall be of counsel, act as advocate, or receive any fees as advocate or counsel, in any probate business which is pending, or may be brought into any court of probate in the county of which he or she is judge." (Passed by the N.H. House 294 Yes 43 No; Passed by Senate 21 Yes 3 No. CACR 21

**YES 329,157**

**NO 194,291**

**Question No. 1.** "Shall there be a convention to amend or revise the constitution?"

**YES 178,339**

**NO 347,838**