

## RECORD OF THE GENERAL ELECTION HELD ON NOVEMBER 2, 1976

STATE OF FLORIDA)  
MONROE COUNTY )

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, PAUL E. ESQUINALDO, COUNTY JUDGE, WM. BILLY FREEMAN, SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS, AND JEROME V. SHIPLEY OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS IN AND FOR SAID COUNTY, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT WE MET IN THE OFFICE OF THE SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS ON THE 3RD DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D., 1976, AND PROCEEDED TO PUBLICLY CANVASS THE VOTES GIVEN FOR THE SEVERAL OFFICES AND PERSONS HEREIN SPECIFIED AT THE GENERAL ELECTION HELD ON THE 2ND DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D., 1976, AS SHOWN BY THE RETURNS ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY JUDGE AND SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS RESPECTIVELY. WE DO HEREBY CERTIFY FROM SAID RETURNS AS FOLLOWS:

TOTAL MACHINE COUNT:	18,312
ABSENTEE BALLOTS:	<u>1,917</u>
TOTAL VOTING:	20,229

SEVENTY-SEVEN ABSENTEE BALLOTS REJECTED AS ILLEGAL  
DUE TO SIGNATURE AND NO WITNESSES.

For President and Vice President of the United States, the whole number of votes cast was Nineteen Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty-Seven (19,757) of which number

JIMMY CARTER and WALTER F. MONDALE (Democratic Party) received Eleven Thousand Seventy-Nine (11,079) votes.

GERALD R. FORD and ROBERT DOLE (Republican Party) received Eight Thousand Two Hundred Thirty-Two (8,232) votes.

TOM ANDERSON and RUFUS SHACKELFORD (American Party) received One Hundred Fifty-Nine (159) votes.

EUGENE J. McCARTHY and SHARON STONE KILPATRICK (Independent) received Two Hundred Eighty-Seven (287) votes.

For United States Senator the whole number of votes cast was Seventeen Thousand One Hundred Seventy-Two (17,172) of which number

LAWTON CHILES (Democratic Party) received Eleven Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty-Six (11,856) votes.

JOHN GRADY (Republican Party) received Five Thousand Three Hundred Sixteen (5,316) votes.

For Representative in Congress, 15th Congressional District, the whole number of votes cast was Sixteen Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty-Two (16,922) of which number

DANTE B. FASCELL (DEM) received 11,391 votes

PAUL R. COBB (REP) received 5,531 votes

For State Treasurer and Insurance Commissioner, the whole number of votes cast was Fifteen Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty-Six (15,856) of which number

BILL GUNTER (DEM) received 11,073 votes

BETTY ARMISTEAD (REP) received 4,783 votes

For Commissioner of the Florida Public Service Commission, the whole number of votes cast was Fifteen Thousand Five Hundred Seventy-Eight (15,578) of which number

KATIE NICHOLS (DEM) received 9,025 votes

PAULA HAWKINS (REP) received 6,553 votes

For State Attorney, Sixteenth Judicial Circuit

JEFF D. GAUTIER (DEM) UN-OPPOSED



For Public Defender, Sixteenth Judicial Circuit

JOHN H. KEANE (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For State Senator, Thirty-Ninth Senatorial District

VERNON C. HOLLOWAY (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For Member of the House of Representatives, One Hundred Twentieth House District

JOE ALLEN (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For Clerk of the Circuit Court, Monroe County

RALPH W. WHITE (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For Sheriff, Monroe County, the whole number of votes cast was Eighteen Thousand Twenty-Two (18,022) of which number

WILLIAM A. FREEMAN, JR. (DEM) received 12,849 votes 71

HAROLD W. "BILL" SHAW (REP) received 5,173 votes 29

For Property Appraiser, Monroe County

ERVIN A. HIGGS (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For Tax Collector, Monroe County

HARRY F. KNIGHT (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For District Superintendent of Schools, Monroe County

ARMANDO J. HENRIQUEZ (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For Supervisor of Elections, Monroe County

WM. BILLY FREEMAN (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For Member, Board of County Commissioners, District Number 1

RICHARD A. KERR (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For Member, Board of County Commissioners, District Number 3

JERRY HERNANDEZ, JR. (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For Member, Board of County Commissioners, District Number 5, the whole number of votes cast was Seventeen Thousand Seven Hundred Forty (17,740) of which number

DON SCHLOESSER (DEM) received 9,188 votes

HERMAN R. STEIN (REP) received 8,552 votes

For School Board Member, Area 2

E. H. "JOHNNY" WALKER (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For School Board Member, Area 4

ROGER L. SWIFT (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For Commissioner, Monroe County Mosquito Control, District 1

MANUEL "IZZY" RODRIQUEZ (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For Commissioner, Monroe County Mosquito Control, District 2

LEONARD MIKE WARREN (DEM) UN-OPPOSED



For Commissioner, Monroe County Mosquito Control, District 3

GARY H. WEECH (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For Commissioner, Monroe County Mosquito Control, District 4

ELLIE CAMERON (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For Commissioner, Florida Keys Aqueduct Authority, District 2

DR. DELIO COBO (DEM) UN-OPPOSED

For Commissioner, Florida Keys Aqueduct Authority, District 4

J. BURTON FRIERSON III DEM UN-OPPOSED

# PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA

## NUMBER 1

FOR AMENDMENT to Article II, Section 8, relating to Ethics in Government - Ten Thousand One Hundred Ten (10,110) votes

AGAINST AMENDMENT to Article II, Section 8, relating to Ethics in Government - Two Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty-Six (2,726) votes

## NUMBER 2

FOR AMENDMENT to Article V, Sections 3, 10, 11, relating to selection and retention and terms of justices - Nine Thousand One Hundred Thirty-Three (9,133) votes

AGAINST AMENDMENT to Article V, Sections 3, 10, 11, relating to selection and retention and terms of justices - Three Thousand One Hundred Sixty-Five (3,165) votes

## NUMBER 3

FOR AMENDMENT to Article V, Section 12, relating to discipline, removal and retirement of justices and judges - Eight Thousand Eighty-Two (8,082) votes

AGAINST AMENDMENT to Article V, Section 12, relating to discipline, removal and retirement of justices and judges - Three Thousand Eight Hundred Ninety-Nine (3,899) votes

## NUMBER 4

FOR AMENDMENT to Article VII, Section 3, relating to valuation and taxation of property lying within certain community redevelopment areas - Five Thousand Six Hundred Twenty-Four (5,624) votes

AGAINST AMENDMENT to Article VII, Section 3, relating to valuation and taxation of property lying within certain community redevelopment areas - Five Thousand Eight Hundred Ninety-Seven (5,897) votes

## NUMBER 5

FOR AMENDMENT to Article VII, Section 16, relating to bonds for housing and related facilities - Five Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-Six (5,826) votes

AGAINST AMENDMENT to Article VII, Section 16, relating to bonds for housing and related facilities - Five Thousand Eight Hundred Six (5,806) votes



## NUMBER 6

FOR AMENDMENT to Article II, relating to the number of full time salaried state employees - Six Thousand Seven Hundred Forty (6,740) votes

AGAINST AMENDMENT to Article II, relating to the number of full time salaried state employees - Five Thousand Four Hundred Fifty-Eight (5,458) votes

## NUMBER 7

FOR AMENDMENT to Article I, Section 18, relating to the nullification of administrative rules - Five Thousand Thirty-Eight (5,038) votes

AGAINST AMENDMENT to Article I, Section 18, relating to the nullification of administrative rules - Six Thousand Three Hundred Ninety-Two (6,392) votes

## NUMBER 8

FOR AMENDMENT to Article 8, relating to state retirement systems - Seven Thousand Two Hundred Eighteen (7,218) votes

AGAINST AMENDMENT to Article 8, relating to state retirement systems - Four Thousand Five Hundred Twenty (4,520) votes

## NUMBER 9

FOR AMENDMENT to Article IV, relating to capitol and mansion commission - Four Thousand Five Hundred Thirty-Four (4,534) votes

AGAINST AMENDMENT to Article IV, relating to capitol and mansion commission - Seven Thousand Three Hundred Seventy-Two (7,372) votes

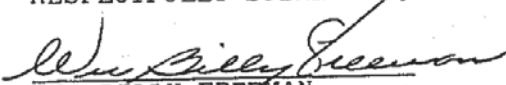
## REFERENDUM ELECTION

PROPOSED: That the Superintendent of Schools in and for the School District of Monroe County, Florida, be employed and appointed by an affirmative vote of a majority of the School Board of Monroe County, Florida, rather than elected, in accordance with the option provided under Section 5, Article IX, of the Constitution of the State of Florida; that upon approval of a majority of the electorate of Monroe County, Florida, voting at the statewide general elections in Florida being held in November, 1976, the Superintendent of Schools of Monroe County, Florida, shall be appointed by the said majority of the School Board upon the expiration of the next ensuing elective term of the Superintendent of Schools, or upon the event that the office of Superintendent of Schools becomes vacant for any reason whatsoever, following such approval by the electorate.

FOR THE PROPOSAL: 2,701 votes

AGAINST THE PROPOSAL: 4,420 votes

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

  
WM. BILLY FREEMAN  
SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS  
MONROE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CANVASSED BY:

PAUL E. ESQUINALDO, COUNTY JUDGE  
WM. BILLY FREEMAN, SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS  
JEROME V. SHIPLEY, MEMBER, BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS