

BOARD OF ELECTIONS  
COUNTY OF PUTNAM

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THE OFFICIAL RESULTS FOR THIS ELECTION ARE UNAVAILABLE. THE FOLLOWING RESULTS WERE TAKEN FROM LOCAL NEWSPAPERS THAT DID NOT ALWAYS INCLUDE CANDIDATES WHO RECEIVED A NEGLIGIBLE AMOUNT OF VOTES. THESE RESULTS ARE UNOFFICIAL AND MAY BE INCOMPLETE.

# Official Canvass of Vote by Districts Cast in Putnam County at General Election November 7, 1944

Title of Office Name of Candidate	Carmel				Kent				Patterson			Putnam Valley			Philipstown			Southeast			Total	Plu.
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3		
Total Vote	781	761	590	616	351	218	507	455	624	381	506	585	532	859	583	971	830	654	737	11541		
<b>President and Vice-President—</b>																						
Dewey and Bricker, R	515	486	319	413	233	160	282	254	421	248	238	351	232	461	406	549	585	398	459	7010	2759	
Roosevelt and Truman, D	223	228	208	174	89	45	193	182	164	107	169	189	220	239	149	384	202	238	241	3644		
Roosevelt & Truman, Am L	27	16	35	11	11	4	17	13	27	19	46	25	34	18	13	26	26	16	21	405		
Roosevelt and Truman, Lib	6	11	20	10	12	4	8	3	4	6	36	16	43	9	7	0	2	1	4	202		
<b>Associate Judge of the Court of Appeals—</b>																						
John Van Voorhis, R	507	460	319	397	220	147	254	231	417	255	213	340	215	446	401	542	589	398	459	6810	2790	
M. R. Dye, D, Am L & Lib	224	245	234	195	106	53	237	211	175	115	255	222	284	255	156	381	202	228	242	4020		
<b>United States Senator—</b>																						
Thomas J. Curran, R	501	458	320	392	219	145	257	234	418	254	209	345	216	465	385	536	578	384	457	6773	2515	
R. Wagner, D, Am L & Lib	244	250	251	214	115	58	239	215	185	126	271	223	297	254	179	401	221	252	251	4258		
<b>Justice of the Supreme Court—</b>																						
F. R. Close, R, D & Am L	733	704	553	604	330	195	489	433	583	373	465	547	389	699	556	922	790	624	701	10690	*	
<b>Representative in Congress—</b>																						
Ralph W. Gwinn, R	499	457	314	390	219	142	223	213	433	255	206	349	210	416	397	531	586	403	463	6706	2664	
Jos. E. Venuti, D & Am L	238	241	232	199	106	55	263	219	161	119	259	207	273	283	151	387	199	218	232	4042		
<b>State Senator—</b>																						
Frederic H. Bontecou, R	505	446	324	394	214	142	216	205	419	254	201	332	209	409	401	543	581	402	462	6659	2594	
R. E. Cullen, D & Am L	225	252	223	195	107	56	271	227	164	117	259	218	268	293	147	378	201	224	232	4065		
<b>Member of Assembly—</b>																						
D. Mallory Stephens, R	484	443	350	397	217	141	205	215	394	252	182	332	211	392	399	554	573	425	463	6629	2620	
P. Stephen Noonan, D	237	262	189	193	102	63	283	222	185	108	267	210	246	306	143	347	209	202	225	4009		
<b>District Attorney—</b>																						
John P. Donohoe, R & D	714	691	539	577	320	203	480	429	570	358	454	542	457	703	531	901	768	625	683	10545	*	
<b>Commissioner of Public Welfare—</b>																						
Ralph A. Smith, R & D	719	686	539	586	317	200	482	428	565	354	450	537	454	694	535	901	775	620	685	10525	*	
<b>Coroners—</b>																						
Frank Genovese, R	521	478	359	401	224	157	213	210	479	277	196	324	206	410	400	548	600	432	496	6931	*	
William P. Kelly, R	532	513	364	408	228	150	238	215	438	260	198	324	203	423	392	512	599	422	477	6896	*	
Vincent Zappolo, D	184	191	167	172	89	40	269	218	100	89	250	199	240	251	134	338	165	183	194	3473		
James McCarthy, D	189	187	174	173	94	48	246	214	132	93	247	206	239	297	146	414	174	196	205	3674		

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CARMEL JUSTICE OF THE PEACE  
VOTE FOR ONE

<i>District</i>	<i>TOTAL VOTE</i>	<i>FRANK Q NICHOLS</i>	<i>FRANCES M DONEGAN</i>
		REP	DEM
CA 01	749	438	311
CA 02	679	266	413
CA 03	592	289	303
CA 04	602	281	321
TOTAL	2,622	1,274	1,348

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KENT JUSTICE OF THE PEACE  
VOTE FOR ONE

<i>District</i>	<i>TOTAL VOTE</i>	<i>MARY FOSHAY</i>	<i>HAROLD FOSHAY</i>
		REP	DEM
KE 01	322	205	117
KE 02	206	133	73
KE 03	475	213	262
KE 04	426	200	226
TOTAL	1,429	751	678

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PUTNAM VALLEY JUSTICE OF THE PEACE  
 VOTE FOR TWO

<i>District</i>	<i>TOTAL VOTE</i>	<i>JOHN C. ALLEN</i>	<i>HAROLD E. GORLEY</i>	<i>PAUL LE FEVRE</i>	<i>F.W. SIBENMAN</i>
		REP	REP	DEM	DEM
PV 01	951	191	267	280	213
PV 02	1106	296	323	250	237
PV 03	1006	334	310	178	184
TOTAL	3,063	821	900	708	634

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**PUTNAM VALLEY JUSTICE REFERENDUM**

<i>District</i>	<i>TOTAL VOTE</i>	<i>YES</i>	<i>NO</i>
PV 01	417	289	128
PV 02	492	323	169
PV 03	448	309	139
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,357</b>	<b>921</b>	<b>436</b>

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Town Office Vote				
Justice of Peace				
TOWN OF LEBANON				
	Frank D. Nichols	Frederic M. Donegan		
Dist. 1	438	311		
Dist. 2	388	483		
Dist. 3	288	268		
Dist. 4	382	381		
Totals	1274	1248		
Donegan			74	
Plurality			74	
TOWN OF KENT				
	Mary A. Fox	Harold P. Foster		
Dist. 1	205	117		
Dist. 2	125	78		
Dist. 3	213	262		
Dist. 4	200	228		
Totals	743	678		
Mary A. Fox			78	
City Pl.			78	
TOWN OF PUTNAM VALLEY				
	Dist. 1	Dist. 2	Dist. 3	Dist. 4
John C. Allen, R.	191	296	384	321
Harold E. Garby, R.	207	323	310	300
Paul LeFevre, D.	380	360	178	703
P. W. Gibbons, D.	213	237	184	334
Justice Referendum				
Yes	289	323	309	321
No	123	158	138	438
Plurality in Favor				438