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HARTFORD  
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VOTE ON PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION  
AT ELECTORS' MEETINGS, 1947-1948.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION	NEW HAVEN COUNTY		
	YES	NO	
Section 1. The general assembly shall by law prescribe the offenses on conviction of which the privileges of an elector shall be forfeited and the conditions on which and methods by which such rights may be restored.			
Sec. 2. Section three of article sixth of the constitution and article XVII of amendments to the constitution are repealed.			
A true copy.			
Attest: FRANCES BURKE REDICK Secretary.			
	Ansonia.....	227	106
	Beacon Falls.....	81	53
	Bethany.....	54	13
	Branford.....	530	118
	Cheshire.....	93	39
	Derby.....	129	34
	East Haven.....	224	58
	Guilford.....	290	113
	Hamden.....	718	166
	Madison.....	130	26
	Meriden.....	499	227
	Middlebury.....	272	59
	Milford.....	1,238	315
	Naugatuck.....	96	86
	New Haven.....	3,090	2,431
	North Branford.....	90	19
	North Haven.....	115	53
	Orange.....	160	40
	Oxford.....	46	44
	Prospect.....	106	93
	Seymour.....	89	24
	Southbury.....	170	48
	Wallingford.....	170	69
	Waterbury.....	2,999	1,269
	West Haven.....	256	201
	Wolcott.....	64	15
	Woodbridge.....	219	50
	Totals.....	12,155	5,819

  

HARTFORD COUNTY	YES	NO
Avon.....	155	27
Berlin.....	108	55
Bloomfield.....	187	41
Bristol.....	1,877	668
Burlington.....	91	51
Canton.....	216	47
East Granby.....	22	13
East Hartford.....	669	264
East Windsor.....	57	22
Enfield.....	182	97
Farmington.....	312	51
Glastonbury.....	216	98
Granby.....	170	23
Hartford.....	1,379	477
Hartland.....	18	12
Manchester.....	515	252
Marlborough.....	38	30
New Britain.....	694	206
Newington.....	176	48
Plainville.....	38	9
Rocky Hill.....	227	61
Simsbury.....	85	27
Southington.....	65	12
South Windsor.....	204	65
Suffield.....	176	68
West Hartford.....	2,608	331
Wethersfield.....	426	85
Windsor.....	420	104
Windsor Locks.....	198	57
Totals.....	11,529	3,301

  

NEW LONDON COUNTY	YES	NO
Bozrah.....	31	17
Colchester.....	84	32
East Lyme.....	82	38
Franklin.....	20	11
Griswold.....	42	8
Groton.....	127	66
Lebanon.....	63	36
Ledyard.....	52	22
Lisbon.....	75	38
Lyme.....	73	22
Montville.....	46	16
New London.....	466	272
North Stonington.....	34	28
Norwich.....	268	111
Old Lyme.....	171	34
Preston.....	24	7
Salem.....	51	17
Sprague.....	31	30
Stonington.....	165	118
Voluntown.....	16	16
Waterford.....	264	83
Totals.....	2,185	1,022

VOTE ON PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION  
AT ELECTORS' MEETINGS, 1947-1948.

FAIRFIELD COUNTY			LITCHFIELD COUNTY		
	YES	NO		YES	NO
Bethel.....	61	27	Barkhamsted.....	39	6
Bridgeport.....	3,287	1,568	Bethlehem.....	57	21
Brookfield.....	103	28	Bridgewater.....	43	20
Danbury.....	199	72	Canaan.....	42	10
Darien.....	440	80	Colebrook.....	37	9
Easton.....	143	22	Cornwall.....	96	20
Fairfield.....	585	118	Goshen.....	17	3
Greenwich.....	1,549	304	Harwinton.....	52	19
Monroe.....	79	17	Kent.....	73	20
New Canaan.....	540	79	Litchfield.....	368	103
New Fairfield.....	42	19	Morris.....	28	81
Newtown.....	507	144	New Hartford.....	80	24
Norwalk.....	1,117	442	New Milford.....	215	177
Redding.....	149	19	Norfolk.....	55	12
Ridgefield.....	192	66	North Canaan.....	163	96
Shelton.....	415	193	Plymouth.....	222	92
Sherman.....	52	12	Roxbury.....	45	10
Stamford.....	4,705	1,901	Salisbury.....	314	27
Stratford.....	742	648	Sharon.....	35	17
Trumbull.....	211	49	Thomaston.....	72	19
Weston.....	78	12	Torrington.....	1,276	752
Westport.....	149	51	Warren.....	32	5
Wilton.....	292	51	Washington.....	217	43
Totals.....	15,637	5,922	Watertown.....	124	23
			Winchester.....	165	97
			Woodbury.....	182	49
			Totals.....	4,049	1,755

  

WINDHAM COUNTY			MIDDLESEX COUNTY		
	YES	NO		YES	NO
Ashford.....	64	19	Chester.....	143	73
Brooklyn.....	115	37	Clinton.....	60	24
Canterbury.....	65	44	Cromwell.....	155	43
Chaplin.....	33	4	Deep River.....	146	57
Eastford.....	34	70	Durham.....	71	32
Hampton.....	31	10	East Haddam.....	70	27
Killingly.....	311	146	East Hampton.....	213	96
Plainfield.....	299	174	Essex.....	244	69
Pomfret.....	113	45	Haddam.....	206	67
Putnam.....	280	95	Killingworth.....	72	36
Scotland.....	29	30	Middlefield.....	90	21
Sterling.....	48	26	Middletown.....	156	60
Thompson.....	201	131	Old Saybrook.....	57	11
Windham.....	94	26	Portland.....	26	6
Woodstock.....	192	52	Westbrook.....	21	22
Totals.....	1,909	909	Totals.....	1,730	644

VOTE ON PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION  
AT ELECTORS' MEETINGS, 1947-1948.

TOLLAND COUNTY	YES	NO	SUMMARY		
			COUNTIES	YES	NO
Andover.....	76	17	Hartford.....	11,529	3,301
Bolton.....	96	43	New Haven.....	12,155	5,819
Columbia.....	89	22	New London.....	2,185	1,022
Coventry.....	113	38	Fairfield.....	15,637	5,922
Ellington.....	36	13	Windham.....	1,909	909
Hebron.....	54	30	Litchfield.....	4,049	1,755
Mansfield.....	224	75	Middlesex.....	1,730	644
Somers.....	77	39	Tolland.....	1,191	451
Stafford.....	174	67			
Tolland.....	70	30	Totals.....	50,385	19,823
Union.....	26	9			
Vernon.....	115	42			
Willington.....	41	26			
Totals.....	1,191	451			

Became an Amendment to the Constitution by Proclamation of Governor Shannon, December 16, 1948.

VOTE ON PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION  
AT ELECTORS' MEETINGS, 1947-1948.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION	NEW HAVEN COUNTY		
	YES	NO	
The judges of minor courts, including town, city, borough and police courts, shall, upon nomination by the governor, be appointed by the general assembly for such term and in such manner as shall be by law prescribed.  A true copy.  Attest: FRANCES BURKE REDICK Secretary.	Ansonia.....	267	72
	Beacon Falls.....	87	49
	Bethany.....	93	20
	Branford.....	553	95
	Cheshire.....	83	38
	Derby.....	152	31
	East Haven.....	239	55
	Guilford.....	309	103
	Hamden.....	757	181
	Madison.....	136	21
	Meriden.....	547	238
	Middlebury.....	278	68
	Milford.....	1,367	324
	Naugatuck.....	628	90
	New Haven.....	3,377	2,553
	North Branford.....	90	20
	North Haven.....	134	45
	Orange.....	176	34
	Oxford.....	51	38
	Prospect.....	110	95
	Seymour.....	103	24
	Southbury.....	172	48
	Wallingford.....	196	51
Waterbury.....	3,009	1,372	
West Haven.....	329	204	
Wolcott.....	72	13	
Woodbridge.....	254	30	
Totals.....	13,569	5,912	

HARTFORD COUNTY	YES	NO
Avon.....	155	31
Berlin.....	120	54
Bloomfield.....	203	40
Bristol.....	2,038	660
Burlington.....	95	52
Canton.....	223	48
East Granby.....	27	9
East Hartford.....	712	262
East Windsor.....	64	24
Enfield.....	338	52
Farmington.....	455	90
Glastonbury.....	184	154
Granby.....	174	28
Hartford.....	1,491	452
Hartland.....	18	13
Manchester.....	565	286
Marlborough.....	41	26
New Britain.....	808	207
Newington.....	185	53
Plainville.....	36	8
Rocky Hill.....	248	48
Simsbury.....	239	39
Southington.....	79	8
South Windsor.....	212	75
Suffield.....	187	73
West Hartford.....	2,920	259
Wethersfield.....	462	79
Windsor.....	379	188
Windsor Locks.....	189	57
Totals.....	12,847	3,375

NEW LONDON COUNTY	YES	NO
Bozrah.....	31	19
Colchester.....	98	30
East Lyme.....	88	44
Franklin.....	16	15
Griswold.....	40	12
Groton.....	135	74
Lebanon.....	72	25
Ledyard.....	54	21
Lisbon.....	72	42
Lyme.....	77	18
Montville.....	45	21
New London.....	537	264
North Stonington.....	27	38
Norwich.....	293	110
Old Lyme.....	135	80
Preston.....	25	6
Salem.....	41	27
Sprague.....	24	35
Stonington.....	192	112
Voluntown.....	15	19
Waterford.....	280	82
Totals.....	2,297	1,094

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AT ELECTORS' MEETINGS, 1947-1948.

FAIRFIELD COUNTY			LITCHFIELD COUNTY		
	YES	NO		YES	NO
Bethel.....	75	30	Barkhamsted.....	40	5
Bridgeport.....	3,505	1,505	Bethlehem.....	60	21
Brookfield.....	116	22	Bridgewater.....	41	22
Danbury.....	218	71	Canaan.....	40	14
Darien.....	447	66	Colebrook.....	37	12
Easton.....	148	26	Cornwall.....	70	45
Fairfield.....	650	125	Goshen.....	24	8
Greenwich.....	1,703	286	Harwinton.....	55	20
Monroe.....	81	18	Kent.....	65	29
New Canaan.....	548	81	Litchfield.....	354	82
New Fairfield.....	46	17	Morris.....	35	84
Newtown.....	526	130	New Hartford.....	90	49
Norwalk.....	1,301	492	New Milford.....	204	207
Redding.....	145	22	Norfolk.....	41	32
Ridgefield.....	200	110	North Canaan.....	162	107
Shelton.....	468	172	Plymouth.....	224	96
Sherman.....	94	16	Roxbury.....	36	20
Stamford.....	5,169	1,729	Salisbury.....	308	40
Stratford.....	863	605	Sharon.....	30	27
Trumbull.....	697	82	Thomaston.....	69	36
Weston.....	84	4	Torrington.....	1,387	884
Westport.....	175	41	Warren.....	36	4
Wilton.....	306	68	Washington.....	216	47
			Watertown.....	141	14
			Winchester.....	181	113
			Woodbury.....	189	41
Totals.....	17,565	5,718	Totals.....	4,135	2,059

  

WINDHAM COUNTY			MIDDLESEX COUNTY		
	YES	NO		YES	NO
Ashford.....	46	40	Chester.....	127	85
Brooklyn.....	112	45	Clinton.....	67	23
Canterbury.....	61	47	Cromwell.....	160	35
Chaplin.....	21	14	Deep River.....	151	60
Eastford.....	60	48	Durham.....	76	32
Hampton.....	32	10	East Haddam.....	69	33
Killingly.....	340	130	East Hampton.....	233	81
Plainfield.....	296	173	Essex.....	258	65
Pomfret.....	115	44	Haddam.....	211	98
Putnam.....	302	71	Killingworth.....	51	58
Scotland.....	28	34	Middlefield.....	103	14
Sterling.....	52	22	Middletown.....	181	56
Thompson.....	211	124	Old Saybrook.....	64	15
Windham.....	20	9	Portland.....	30	6
Woodstock.....	198	54	Westbrook.....	21	23
Totals.....	1,894	865	Totals.....	1,802	684

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AT ELECTORS' MEETINGS, 1947-1948.

TOLLAND COUNTY	YES	NO	SUMMARY		
			COUNTIES	YES	NO
Andover.....	69	25	Hartford.....	12,847	3,375
Bolton.....	98	45	New Haven.....	13,569	5,912
Columbia.....	76	34	New London.....	2,297	1,094
Coventry.....	117	45	Fairfield.....	17,565	5,718
Ellington.....	36	17	Windham.....	1,894	865
Hebron.....	57	36	Litchfield.....	4,135	2,059
Mansfield.....	237	47	Middlesex.....	1,802	684
Somers.....	78	39	Tolland.....	1,222	489
Stafford.....	192	77			
Tolland.....	71	35	Totals.....	55,331	20,196
Union.....	20	18			
Vernon.....	128	46			
Willington.....	43	27			
Totals.....	1,222	489			

Became an Amendment to the Constitution by Proclamation of Governor Shannon, December 16, 1948.

PROPOSED WORLD GOVERNMENT REFERENDUM

PROPOSED WORLD GOVERNMENT REFERENDUM	NEW HAVEN COUNTY	
	YES	NO
<p>Do you, as a sovereign citizen of Connecticut and the United States of America, direct our representatives in the national congress to urge the president and the congress to take the lead in calling for amendments to the United Nations charter strengthening the United Nations into a limited world federal government capable of enacting, interpreting and enforcing laws to prevent war?</p> <p>A true copy.</p> <p>Attest: FRANCES BURKE REDICK Secretary.</p>	Ansonia.....	80
	Beacon Falls.....	11
	Bethany.....	18
	Branford.....	65
	Cheshire.....	71
	Derby.....	31
	East Haven.....	49
	Guilford.....	31
	Hamden.....	291
	Madison.....	76
	Meriden.....	215
	Middlebury.....	40
	Milford.....	267
	Naugatuck.....	92
	New Haven.....	896
	North Branford.....	21
	North Haven.....	49
	Orange.....	23
	Oxford.....	14
	Prospect.....	29
	Seymour.....	20
	Southbury.....	53
	Wallingford.....	66
Waterbury.....	582	
West Haven.....	157	
Wolcott.....	14	
Woodbridge.....	37	
Totals.....	32,451	3,298

HARTFORD COUNTY	YES	NO
Avon.....	269	21
Berlin.....	337	31
Bloomfield.....	762	34
Bristol.....	3,132	496
Burlington.....	161	14
Canton.....	324	14
East Granby.....	126	5
East Hartford.....	3,505	246
East Windsor.....	258	25
Enfield.....	396	36
Farmington.....	889	74
Glastonbury.....	600	44
Granby.....	253	7
Hartford.....	11,214	1,050
Hartland.....	37	4
Manchester.....	5,030	199
Marlborough.....	85	4
New Britain.....	2,622	270
Newington.....	870	49
Plainville.....	479	27
Rocky Hill.....	454	20
Simsbury.....	374	13
Southington.....	575	38
South Windsor.....	431	29
Suffield.....	631	38
West Hartford.....	4,946	418
Wethersfield.....	1,126	89
Windsor.....	1,109	82
Windsor Locks.....	389	11
Totals.....	41,384	3,388

NEW LONDON COUNTY	YES	NO
Bozrah.....	72	5
Colchester.....	173	20
East Lyme.....	271	14
Franklin.....	92	7
Griswold.....	141	7
Groton.....	1,031	71
Lebanon.....	166	4
Ledyard.....	194	3
Lisbon.....	157	11
Lyme.....	209	23
Montville.....	183	5
New London.....	2,423	156
North Stonington.....	119	7
Norwich.....	1,630	80
Old Lyme.....	404	51
Preston.....	190	7
Salem.....	83	5
Sprague.....	192	8
Stonington.....	449	20
Voluntown.....	56	1
Waterford.....	793	58
Totals.....	9,028	563



## PROPOSED WORLD GOVERNMENT REFERENDUM

FAIRFIELD COUNTY			LITCHFIELD COUNTY		
	YES	NO		YES	NO
Bethel.....	222	26	Barkhamsted.....	139	11
Bridgeport.....	5,992	593	Bethlehem.....	151	17
Brookfield.....	198	14	Bridgewater.....	82	9
Danbury.....	565	67	Canaan.....	51	19
Darien.....	2,166	390	Colebrook.....	93	4
Easton.....	329	26	Cornwall.....	275	40
Fairfield.....	3,040	313	Goshen.....	137	7
Greenwich.....	3,287	525	Harwinton.....	151	7
Monroe.....	302	26	Kent.....	202	17
New Canaan.....	1,420	228	Litchfield.....	718	38
New Fairfield.....	128	7	Morris.....	92	19
Newtown.....	607	77	New Hartford.....	227	9
Norwalk.....	2,606	509	New Milford.....	289	24
Redding.....	222	24	Norfolk.....	185	24
Ridgefield.....	432	63	North Canaan.....	332	44
Shelton.....	700	151	Plymouth.....	559	30
Sherman.....	91	39	Roxbury.....	124	18
Stamford.....	7,767	1,171	Salisbury.....	344	98
Stratford.....	3,010	385	Sharon.....	232	15
Trumbull.....	963	60	Thomaston.....	223	17
Weston.....	357	34	Torrington.....	3,386	298
Westport.....	1,495	156	Warren.....	63	9
Wilton.....	902	103	Washington.....	337	47
Totals.....	36,801	4,987	Watertown.....	532	73
			Winchester.....	438	30
			Woodbury.....	417	80
			Totals.....	9,779	1,004

  

WINDHAM COUNTY			MIDDLESEX COUNTY		
	YES	NO		YES	NO
Ashford.....	123	4	Chester.....	194	4
Brooklyn.....	204	10	Clinton.....	308	64
Canterbury.....	121	5	Cromwell.....	410	32
Chaplin.....	82	5	Deep River.....	700	40
Eastford.....	93	3	Durham.....	107	9
Hampton.....	167	13	East Haddam.....	100	8
Killingly.....	554	21	East Hampton.....	400	24
Plainfield.....	544	31	Essex.....	391	42
Pomfret.....	297	13	Haddam.....	290	31
Putnam.....	584	24	Killingworth.....	103	13
Scotland.....	62	2	Middlefield.....	221	19
Sterling.....	131	7	Middletown.....	888	154
Thompson.....	358	23	Old Saybrook.....	260	17
Windham.....	593	38	Portland.....	225	40
Woodstock.....	498	20	Westbrook.....	296	28
Totals.....	4,411	219	Totals.....	4,893	525

## PROPOSED WORLD GOVERNMENT REFERENDUM

TOLLAND COUNTY	YES	NO	SUMMARY		
			COUNTIES	YES	NO
Andover.....	115	6	Hartford.....	41,384	3,388
Bolton.....	203	11	New Haven.....	32,451	3,298
Columbia.....	96	4	New London.....	9,028	563
Coventry.....	231	10	Fairfield.....	36,801	4,987
Ellington.....	126	12	Windham.....	4,411	219
Hebron.....	90	2	Litchfield.....	9,779	1,004
Mansfield.....	874	40	Middlesex.....	4,893	525
Somers.....	295	13	Tolland.....	2,878	148
Stafford.....	236	11			
Tolland.....	156	11	Totals.....	141,625	14,132
Union.....	34	1			
Vernon.....	254	13			
Willington.....	168	14			
Totals.....	2,878	148			

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