

**Okeechobee County General Election Results  
November 3, 1998**

Registered Voters	18,938
Voter Turnout	36%
Total Precinct Votes	6,050
Total Absentee Votes	737
Total Votes	3,788*

\* including one vote for Bob Graham, according to rule 1S-2.013,  
F.A.C, Federal Ballot Returned within 10 days

**U.S. Senator**

Bob Graham DEM	4,453*
Charlie Crist REP	2,204

**Governor and Lieutenant Governor**

Buddy McKay/ Rick Dantzler DEM	2,917
Jeb Bush/ Frank Brogan REP	3,644

**Secretary of State**

Karen Gievers DEM	3,138
Katherine Harris REP	3,389

**Attorney General**

Bob Butterworth DEM	3,919
David H. "Dave" Bludworth REP	2,559

**Comptroller**

Newall Daughtrey DEM	2,741
Bob Milligan REP	3,652

**Treasurer and Insurance Commissioner**

Bill Nelson DEM	
Tim Ireland REP	

**Commissioner of Education**

Peter Rudy Wallace DEM	2,813
Tom Gallagher REP	3,776

**Commissioner of Agriculture**

Bob Grawford DEM	4,657
Rich Faircloth REP	1,887

**State Representative District #78**

O.R. "Rick" Minton DEM	2,349
Steve Hoskins REP	1,759

**Supreme Court Justice**

Major B. Harding	
Yes	4,040
No	1,822

**District Court of Appeal District 4**

Gary M. Farmer, Sr.	
Yes	3,999
No	1,823
Robert M. Gross	
Yes	3,928
No	1,871

**Constitutional Amendment #1 Article VII,  
Sections 3 and 4; Article XII, Section 22 Historic  
Property Tax Exemption and Assessment**

Yes for Approval	3,374
No for Rejection	2,792

**Constitutional Amendment #2 Article I, Section  
17 Preservation of the Death Penalty; United  
States Supreme Court Interpretation of Cruel and  
Unusual Punishment**

Yes for Approval	4,856
No for Rejection	1,428

**Constitutional Amendment #3 Article VII, Section 6 Additional Homestead Tax Exemption**

Yes for Approval	4,448
No for Rejection	1,960

**Constitutional Amendment #4 Article VIII, Section 1 Recording of Instruments in Branch Offices**

Yes for Approval	4,242
No for Rejection	1,799

**Constitutional Revision #5 Article II, Section 7(a); Article IV, Section 9; Article VII, Section 11(e)-(f); Article X, Section 18; Article XII, Section 22 Conservation of Natural Resources and Creation of Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission**

Yes for Approval	3,783
No For Rejection	2,368

**Constitutional Revision #6 Article IX, Section 1 Public Education of Children**

Yes for Approval	4,447
No for Rejection	1,703

**Constitutional Revision #7 Article V, Subsections 10, 11(a)-(b), 12(a), (f), 14; Article XII, Section 22 Local Option for Selection of Judges and Funding of State Courts**

Yes for Approval	3,344
No for Rejection	2,744

**Constitutional Revision #8 Article II, Section 8(h)(1); Article III, Subsections 8(b), 16(b) and (f), 19(f)(3); Article IV, Subsections 3(b), 4, 7(a) and 8(a); Article VII, Section 1(i); Article IX, Subsections 2(c), 3, 4, 5(a), and 6(e); Article XII, Subsections 9(c)(5) and 22 Restructuring the State Cabinet**

Yes for Approval	2,839
No for Rejection	3,052

**Constitutional Revision #9 Article 1, Section 2  
Basic Rights**

Yes for Approval	3,666
No for Rejection	2,322

**Constitutional Revision #10 Article VII, Section 3(a), (f) and (g); Article VIII, Section 7 Local and Municipal Property Tax Exemptions and Citizen Access to Local Officials**

Yes for Approval	2,932
No for Rejection	3,032

**Constitutional Revision #11 Article IV, Section 5(a); Article VI, Subsections 1, 2, 5, 7; Article IX, Section 4(a) Ballot Access, Public Campaign Financing, and Election Process Revisions**

Yes for Approval	3,726
No for Rejection	2,198

**Constitutional Revision #12 Article VIII, Section 5 Firearms Purchases: Local Option for Criminal History Records Check and Waiting Period**

Yes for Approval	3,904
No for Rejection	2,250

**Constitutional Revision #13 Article I, Subsections 4, 9, 16(a), 18, 23; Article II, Subsections 5(b), 8(g)-(l); Article III, Subsections 3(f), 8(a)-(b), 17(b)-(c), 18, 19(d); Article IV, Subsections 1(a) and (c), 2, 3(b), 4(e), 7(a); Article V, Subsections 1, 2(a) and (b), 3(a), 8, 10(a), 11(c), 17, 18, 20(c)(6) and (9), 20(d)(8), 20(e)(1); Article VII, Subsections 4(b) and 6(b); Article IX, Section 5; Article X, Subsections 3 and 4(a); Article XI, Subsections 2 and 6 Miscellaneous Matters and Technical Revisions**

Yes for Approval	2,744
No for Rejection	3,092