

# General Election, 2018

Below are the voting results for the general election held November 6, 2018, for all statewide races and for contested congressional, state senate, courts of appeals and state board of education races. These are official returns as canvassed by the State Canvassing Board. Abbreviations used are (Dem.) Democrat, (Rep.) Republican, (Lib.) Libertarian, (Ind.) Independent, and (W-I) Write-in.

## U.S. Senator

Ted Cruz (Rep.)	4,260,553	50.89%
Beto O'Rourke (Dem.)	4,045,632	48.33%
Neal Dikeman (Lib.)	65,470	0.78%
Total Vote	8,371,655	

## Governor

Greg Abbott (Rep.)	4,656,196	55.81%
Lupe Valdez (Dem.)	3,546,615	42.51%
Mark Jay Tippetts (Lib.)	140,632	1.69%
Total vote	8,343,443	

## Lieutenant Governor

Dan Patrick (Rep.)	4,260,990	51.30%
Mike Collier (Dem.)	3,860,865	46.49%
Kerry Douglas McKennon (Lib.)	183,516	2.21%
Total vote	8,305,371	

## Attorney General

Ken Paxton (Rep.)	4,193,207	50.57%
Justin Nelson (Dem.)	3,898,098	47.01%
Michael Ray Harris (Lib.)	201,310	2.43%
Total vote	8,292,615	

## Comptroller of Public Accounts

Glenn Hegar (Rep.)	4,376,828	53.19%
Joi Chevalier (Dem.)	3,570,693	43.39%
Ben Sanders (Lib.)	281,081	3.42%
Total vote	8,228,602	

## Commissioner of General Land Office

George P. Bush (Rep.)	4,435,202	53.68%
Miguel Suazo (Dem.)	3,567,927	43.19%
Matt Pina (Lib.)	258,482	3.13%
Total vote	8,261,611	

## Commissioner of Agriculture

Sid Miller (Rep.)	4,221,527	51.26%
Kim Olson (Dem.)	3,822,137	46.41%
Richard Carpenter (Lib.)	191,639	2.33%
Total vote	8,235,303	

## Railroad Commissioner

Christi Craddick (Rep.)	4,376,729	53.20%
Roman McAllen (Dem.)	3,612,130	43.91%
Mike Wright (Lib.)	237,984	2.89%
Total vote	8,226,843	

## U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

(See map of districts on p. xxx.)

### District 1

Louie Gohmert (Rep.)	168,165	72.26%
Shirley J. McKellar (Dem.)	61,263	26.32%
Jeff Callaway (Lib.)	3,292	1.41%
Total Vote	232,720	

### District 2

Daniel Crenshaw (Rep.)	139,188	52.84%
Todd Litton (Dem.)	119,992	45.56%
Patrick Gunnels (Lib.)	2,373	0.90%
Scott Cubbler (Ind.)	1,839	0.70%
Total Vote	263,392	

### District 3

Van Taylor (Rep.)	169,520	54.24%
Lorie Burch (Dem.)	138,234	44.23%
Christopher J. Claytor (Lib.)	4,604	1.47%
Jeff Simmons (W-I)	153	0.05%
Total Vote	312,511	

### District 4

John Ratcliffe (Rep.)	188,667	75.70%
Catherine Krantz (Dem.)	57,400	23.03%
Ken Ashby (Lib.)	3,178	1.28%
Total Vote	249,245	

### District 5

Lance Gooden (Rep.)	130,617	62.34%
Dan Wood (Dem.)	78,666	37.55%
Phil Gray (W-I)	224	0.11%
Total Vote	209,507	

### District 6

Ron Wright (Rep.)	135,961	53.10%
Jana Lynne Sanchez (Dem.)	116,350	45.44%
Jason Allen Harber (Lib.)	3,731	1.46%
Total Vote	256,042	

### District 7

Lizzie Pannill Fletcher (Dem.)	127,959	52.53%
John Culberson (Rep.)	115,642	47.47%
Total Vote	243,601	

### District 8

Kevin Brady (Rep.)	200,619	73.44%
Steven David (Dem.)	67,930	24.87%
Chris Duncan (Lib.)	4,621	1.69%
Total Vote	273,170	

### District 9

Al Green (Dem.)	136,256	89.06%
Phil Kurtz (Lib.)	5,940	3.88%
Benjamin Hernandez (Ind.)	5,774	3.77%
Kesha Rogers (Ind.)	5,031	3.29%
Total Vote	153,001	

### District 10

Michael T. McCaul (Rep.)	157,166	51.06%
Mike Siegel (Dem.)	144,034	46.79%
Mike Ryan (Lib.)	6,627	2.15%
Total Vote	307,827	

### District 11

Mike Conaway (Rep.)	176,603	80.14%
Jennie Lou Leeder (Dem.)	40,631	18.44%
Rhett Rosenquest Smith (Lib.)	3,143	1.43%
Total Vote	220,377	

### District 12

Kay Granger (Rep.)	172,557	64.27%
Vanessa Adia (Dem.)	90,994	33.89%
Jacob Leddy (Lib.)	4,940	1.84%
Total Vote	268,491	

### District 13

Mac Thornberry (Rep.)	169,027	81.54%
Greg Sagan (Dem.)	35,083	16.93%
Calvin DeWesse (Lib.)	3,175	1.53%
Total Vote	207,285	

### District 14

Randy Weber (Rep.)	138,942	59.24%
Adrienne Bell (Dem.)	92,212	39.32%
Don E. Conley III (Lib.)	3,374	1.44%
Total Vote	234,528	

### District 15

Vicente Gonzalez (Dem.)	98,333	59.67%
Tim Westley (Rep.)	63,862	38.75%
Anthony Cristo (Lib.)	2,607	1.58%
Total Vote	164,802	

**District 16**

Veronica Escobar (Dem.) ..... 124,437 ..... 68.46%  
 Rick Seeberger (Rep.) ..... 49,127 ..... 27.03%  
 Ben Mendoza (Ind.) ..... 8,147 ..... 4.48%  
 Samuel Williams (W-I) ..... 43 ..... 0.02%  
 Total Vote ..... 181,754

**District 17**

Bill Flores (Rep.) ..... 134,841 ..... 56.81%  
 Rick Kennedy (Dem.) ..... 98,070 ..... 41.32%  
 Peter Churchman (Lib.) ..... 4,440 ..... 1.87%  
 Total Vote ..... 237,351

**District 18**

Sheila Jackson Lee (Dem.) ..... 138,704 ..... 75.25%  
 Ava Reynero Pate (Rep.) ..... 38,368 ..... 20.81%  
 Luke Spencer (Lib.) ..... 4,067 ..... 2.21%  
 Vince Duncan (Ind.) ..... 3,193 ..... 1.73%  
 Total Vote ..... 184,332

**District 19**

Jodey Arrington (Rep.) ..... 151,946 ..... 75.23%  
 Miguel Levario (Dem.) ..... 50,039 ..... 24.77%  
 Total Vote ..... 201,985

**District 20**

Joaquin Castro (Dem.) ..... 139,038 ..... 80.85%  
 Jeffrey Blunt (Lib.) ..... 32,925 ..... 19.15%  
 Total Vote ..... 171,963

**District 21**

Chip Roy (Rep.) ..... 177,654 ..... 50.24%  
 Joseph Kopser (Dem.) ..... 168,421 ..... 47.63%  
 Lee Santos (Lib.) ..... 7,542 ..... 2.13%  
 Total Vote ..... 353,617

**District 22**

Pete Olson (Rep.) ..... 152,750 ..... 51.36%  
 Sri Preston Kulkarni (Dem.) ..... 138,153 ..... 46.45%  
 John B. McElligott (Lib.) ..... 3,261 ..... 1.10%  
 Kellen Sweny (Ind.) ..... 3,241 ..... 1.09%  
 Total Vote ..... 297,405

**District 23**

Will Hurd (Rep.) ..... 103,285 ..... 49.17%  
 Gina Ortiz Jones (Dem.) ..... 102,359 ..... 48.73%  
 Ruben Corvalan (Lib.) ..... 4,425 ..... 2.11%  
 Total Vote ..... 210,069

**District 24**

Kenny E. Marchant (Rep.) ..... 133,317 ..... 50.61%  
 Jan McDowell (Dem.) ..... 125,231 ..... 47.54%  
 Mike Kolls (Lib.) ..... 4,870 ..... 1.85%  
 Total Vote ..... 263,418

**District 25**

Roger Williams (Rep.) ..... 163,023 ..... 53.53%  
 Julie Oliver (Dem.) ..... 136,385 ..... 44.78%  
 Desarae Lindsey (Lib.) ..... 5,145 ..... 1.69%  
 Total Vote ..... 304,553

**District 26**

Michael Burgess (Rep.) ..... 185,551 ..... 59.38%  
 Linsey Fagan (Dem.) ..... 121,938 ..... 39.02%  
 Mark Boler (Lib.) ..... 5,016 ..... 1.61%  
 Total Vote ..... 312,505

**District 27**

Michael Cloud (Rep.) ..... 125,118 ..... 60.32%  
 Eric Holguin (Dem.) ..... 75,929 ..... 36.61%  
 Daniel Tinus (Lib.) ..... 2,100 ..... 1.01%  
 James Duerr (Ind.) ..... 4,274 ..... 2.06%  
 Total Vote ..... 207,421

**District 28**

Henry Cuellar (Dem.) ..... 117,494 ..... 84.39%  
 Arthur Thomas IV (Lib.) ..... 21,732 ..... 15.61%  
 Total Vote ..... 139,226

**District 29**

Sylvia Garcia (Dem.) ..... 88,188 ..... 75.06%  
 Phillip Aronoff (Rep.) ..... 28,098 ..... 23.91%  
 Cullen Burns (Lib.) ..... 1,199 ..... 1.02%  
 Johnathan Garza (W-I) ..... 9 ..... 0.01%  
 Total Vote ..... 117,494

**District 30**

Eddie Bernice Johnson (Dem.) ..... 166,784 ..... 91.05%  
 Shawn Jones (Lib.) ..... 16,390 ..... 8.95%  
 Total Vote ..... 183,174

**District 31**

John Carter (Rep.) ..... 144,680 ..... 50.59%  
 Mary Jennings "MJ" Hegar (Dem.) ..... 136,362 ..... 47.68%  
 Jason Hope (Lib.) ..... 4,965 ..... 1.74%  
 Total Vote ..... 286,007

**District 32**

Colin Allred (Dem.) ..... 144,067 ..... 52.27%  
 Pete Sessions (Rep.) ..... 126,101 ..... 45.75%  
 Melina Baker (Lib.) ..... 5,452 ..... 1.98%  
 Total Vote ..... 275,620

**District 33**

Marc Veasey (Dem.) ..... 90,805 ..... 76.16%  
 Willie Billups (Rep.) ..... 26,120 ..... 21.91%  
 Jason Reeves (Lib.) ..... 2,299 ..... 1.93%  
 Total Vote ..... 119,224

**District 34**

Filemon B. Vela (Dem.) ..... 85,825 ..... 59.99%  
 Rey Gonzalez (Rep.) ..... 57,243 ..... 40.01%  
 Total Vote ..... 143,068

**District 35**

Lloyd Doggett (Dem.) ..... 138,278 ..... 71.25%  
 David Smalling (Rep.) ..... 50,553 ..... 26.05%  
 Clark Patterson (Lib.) ..... 5,236 ..... 2.70%  
 Total Vote ..... 194,067

**District 36**

Brian Babin (Rep.) ..... 161,048 ..... 72.56%  
 Dayna Steele (Dem.) ..... 60,908 ..... 27.44%  
 Total Vote ..... 221,956

**OTHER STATE RACES****Justice, Supreme Court, Place 2**

Jimmy Blacklock (Rep.) ..... 4,358,756 ..... 53.17%  
 Steven Kirkland (Dem.) ..... 3,838,411 ..... 46.83%  
 Total Vote ..... 8,197,167

**Justice, Supreme Court, Place 4**

John Devine (Rep.) ..... 4,399,890 ..... 53.71%  
 R.K. Sandill (Dem.) ..... 3,792,144 ..... 46.29%  
 Total Vote ..... 8,192,034

**Justice, Supreme Court, Place 6**

Jeff Brown (Rep.) ..... 4,404,602 ..... 53.71%  
 Kathy Cheng (Dem.) ..... 3,796,001 ..... 46.29%  
 Total Vote ..... 8,200,603

**Presiding Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals**

Sharon Keller (Rep.) ..... 4,288,913 ..... 52.24%  
 Maria T. "Terri" Jackson (Dem.) ..... 3,734,179 ..... 45.48%  
 William Bryan Strange III (Lib.) ..... 187,384 ..... 2.28%  
 Total Vote ..... 8,210,476

**Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 7**

Barbara Parker Hervey (Rep.) ..... 4,429,113 ..... 54.15%  
 Ramona Franklin (Dem.) ..... 3,750,114 ..... 45.85%  
 Total Vote ..... 8,179,227

**Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 8**

Michelle Slaughter (Rep.) ..... 4,760,576 ..... 74.68%  
 Mark Ash (Lib.) ..... 1,614,119 ..... 25.32%  
 Total Vote ..... 6,374,695

**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**District 2**

Ruben Cortez Jr. (Dem.).....206,689 .....53.60%  
Charles "Tad" Hasse (Rep.).....178,928 .....46.40%  
Total Vote .....385,612

**District 7**

Matt Robinson (Rep.) .....369,752 .....59.45%  
Elizabeth "Eliz" Markowitz (Dem.) .....252,158 .....40.55%  
Total Vote .....621,910

**District 11**

Patricia "Pat" Hardy (Rep.) .....366,245 .....57.16%  
Carla Morton (Dem.).....259,276 .....40.46%  
Aaron Gutknecht (Lib.) .....15,241 .....2.38%  
Total Vote .....640,762

**District 12**

Pam Little (Rep.).....334,584 .....49.43%  
Suzanne Smith (Dem.) .....324,307 .....47.91%  
Rachel Wester (Lib.).....18,002 .....2.66%  
Total Vote .....676,893

**District 13**

Aicha Davis (Dem.).....309,926 .....76.32%  
A. Denise Russell (Rep.) .....96,136 .....23.68%  
Total Vote .....406,062

**STATE SENATE**

**District 2**

Bob Hall (Rep.).....153,151 .....59.35%  
Kendall Scudder (Dem.) .....104,897 .....40.65%  
Total Vote .....258,048

**District 3**

Robert Nichols (Rep.).....215,058 .....78.27%  
Shirley Layton (Dem.).....56,398 .....20.53%  
Bruce Quarles (Lib.) .....3,301 .....1.20%  
Total Vote .....274,757

**District 5**

Charles Schwertner (Rep.) .....182,550 .....55.34%  
Meg Walsh (Dem.).....136,792 .....41.47%  
Amy Lyons (Lib.).....10,500 .....3.18%  
Total Vote .....329,842

**District 7**

Paul Bettencourt (Rep.).....177,864 .....57.75%  
David Romero (Dem.) .....124,232 .....40.34%  
Tom Glass (Lib.) .....5,878 .....1.91%  
Total Vote .....307,974

**District 8**

Angela Paxton (Rep.) .....169,995 .....51.18%  
Mark Phariss (Dem.).....162,157 .....48.82%  
Total Vote .....332,152

**District 9**

Kelly Hancock (Rep.).....132,256 .....54.03%  
Gween Burud (Dem.).....112,537 .....45.97%  
Total Vote .....244,793

**District 10**

Beverly Powell (Dem.).....148,959 .....51.73%  
Konni Burton (Rep.) .....138,968 .....48.27%  
Total Vote .....287,927

**District 14**

Kirk Watson (Dem.) .....276,052 .....71.93%  
George W. Hindman (Rep.) .....96,834 .....25.23%  
Micah M. Verlander (Lib.) .....10,889 .....2.84%  
Total Vote .....383,775

**District 15**

John Whitmire (Dem.).....153,016 .....65.18%  
Randy Orr (Rep.) .....75,518 .....32.17%  
Gilberto "Gil" Velasquez Jr. (Lib.) .....6,229 .....2.65%  
Total Vote .....234,763

**District 16**

Nathan Johnson (Dem.) .....159,228 .....54.13%  
Don Huffines (Rep.) .....134,933 .....45.87%  
Total Vote .....294,161

**District 17**

Joan Huffman (Rep.) .....158,263 .....51.44%  
Rita Lucido (Dem.) .....143,978 .....46.80%  
Lauren LaCount (Lib.) .....5,396 .....1.75%  
Total Vote .....307,637

**District 25**

Donna Campbell (Rep.) .....263,753 .....57.68%  
Steven Kling (Dem.) .....173,698 .....42.32%  
Total Vote .....410,451

**District 30**

Pat Fallon (Rep.) .....234,374 .....73.92%  
Kevin Lopez (Dem.) .....82,669 .....26.08%  
Total Vote .....317,043

**District 31**

Kel Seliger (Rep.) .....174,367 .....87.52%  
Jack B. Westbrook (Lib.) .....24,869 .....12.48%  
Total Vote .....199,236

**COURTS OF APPEALS**

**FIRST DISTRICT**

**Justice, Place 2**

Gordon Goodman (Dem.).....881,091 .....50.93%  
Jane Bland (Rep.) .....849,077 .....49.07%  
Total Vote .....1,730,168

**Justice, Place 6**

Sarah Beth Landau (Dem.).....895,562 .....51.78%  
Harvey Brown (Rep.) .....834,062 .....48.22%  
Total Vote .....1,729,624

**Justice, Place 7**

Julie Countiss (Dem.) .....906,180 .....52.40%  
Terry Yates (Rep.) .....823,106 .....47.60%  
Total Vote .....1,729,286

**Justice, Place 8**

Richard Hightower (Dem.) .....906,180 .....52.40%  
Michael Massengale (Rep.) .....834,931 .....47.60%  
Total Vote .....1,728,687

**Justice, Place 9**

Peter Kelly (Dem.) .....894,209 .....51.76%  
Jennifer Caughey (Rep.) .....833,319 .....48.24%  
Total Vote .....1,727,528

**SECOND DISTRICT**

**Justice, Place 5**

Dabney Bassel (Rep.) .....622,466 .....58.33%  
Delonia A. Watson (Dem.) .....444,612 .....41.67%  
Total Vote .....1,067,078

**THIRD DISTRICT**

**Justice, Place 2**

Edward Smith (Dem.) .....552,167 .....53.02%  
Cindy Olson Bourland (Rep.) .....489,191 .....46.98%  
Total Vote .....1,041,358

**Justice, Place 3**

Chari Kelly (Dem.) .....566,246 .....54.38%  
Scott Field (Rep.) .....475,074 .....45.62%  
Total Vote .....1,041,320

**Justice, Place 5**

Thomas J. Baker (Dem.) .....560,790 .....53.91%  
David Puryear (Rep.) .....479,517 .....46.09%  
Total Vote .....1,040,307

**Justice, Place 6**

Gisela Triana (Dem.) .....566,064 .....54.40%  
Michael Toth (Rep.) .....472,806 .....45.44%  
Kerry O'Brien (W-I) .....1,694 .....0.16%  
Total Vote .....1,040,564

**FOURTH DISTRICT**

**Justice, Place 2**

Beth Watkins (Dem.)	429,521	52.00%
Marielyn Barnard (Rep.)	396,458	48.00%
Total Vote	825,979	

**Justice, Place 3**

Patricia O'Connell Alvarez (Dem.)	438,709	53.07%
Jason Pulliam (Rep.)	388,009	46.93%
Total Vote	826,718	

**Justice, Place 4**

Luz Elena Chapa (Dem.)	445,672	53.89%
Patrick Ballantyne (Rep.)	381,319	46.11%
Total Vote	826,991	

**Justice, Place 5**

Liza Rodriguez (Dem.)	433,796	52.45%
Rebecca Simmons (Rep.)	393,321	47.55%
Total Vote	827,117	

**Justice, Place 7**

Rebeca Martinez (Dem.)	446,260	53.95%
Shane Stolarczyk (Rep.)	380,905	46.05%
Total Vote	827,165	

**FIFTH DISTRICT**

**Chief Justice**

Robert Burns (Dem.)	631,219	52.83%
Douglas S. Lang (Rep.)	563,589	47.17%
Total Vote	1,194,808	

**Justice, Place 2**

Robbie Partida-Kipness (Dem.)	622,131	52.13%
David Evans (Rep.)	571,269	47.87%
Total Vote	1,193,400	

**Justice, Place 5**

Erin Nowell (Dem.)	632,443	52.99%
Craig Stoddart (Rep.)	561,120	47.01%
Total Vote	1,193,563	

**Justice, Place 9**

Bill Pedersen (Dem.)	629,684	52.80%
Jason Boatright (Rep.)	562,999	47.20%
Total Vote	1,192,683	

**Justice, Place 10**

Amanda Reichck (Dem.)	627,548	52.63%
Molly Francis (Rep.)	564,776	47.37%
Total Vote	1,192,324	

**Justice, Place 11**

Cory Carlyle (Dem.)	627,198	52.66%
John Browning (Rep.)	563,864	47.34%
Total Vote	1,191,062	

**Justice, Place 12**

Ken Molberg (Dem.)	637,698	53.51%
Jim Piki (Rep.)	554,098	46.49%
Total Vote	1,191,796	

**Justice, Place 13**

Leslie Lester Osborne (Dem.)	625,147	52.45%
Elizabeth Lang Miers (Rep.)	566,673	47.55%
Total Vote	1,191,820	

**THIRTEENTH DISTRICT**

**Chief Justice**

Dori Contreras (Dem.)	241,673	53.56%
Ernie Aliseda (Rep.)	209,556	46.44%
Total Vote	451,229	

**Justice, Place 2**

Nora Longoria (Dem.)	242,267	53.56%
Greg Perkes (Rep.)	210,029	46.44%
Total Vote	452,296	

**Justice, Place 4**

Rudy Delgado (Dem.)	226,042	50.36%
Jaime Tijerina (Rep.)	222,794	49.64%
Total Vote	448,836	

**Justice, Place 5**

Gina Benavides (Dem.)	238,682	53.04%
Clarissa Silva (Rep.)	211,308	46.96%
Total Vote	449,990	

**Fourteenth District**

**Justice, Place 3**

Jerry Zimmerer (Dem.)	884,260	51.21%
Brett Busby (Rep.)	842,634	48.79%
Total Vote	1,726,894	

**Justice, Place 4**

Charles Spain (Dem.)	882,099	51.10%
Marc Brown (Rep.)	844,280	48.90%
Total Vote	1,726,379	

**Justice, Place 5**

Frances Bourliot (Dem.)	879,966	50.97%
Martha Hill Jamison (Rep.)	846,487	49.03%
Total Vote	1,726,453	

**Justice, Place 6**

Meagan Hassan (Dem.)	892,635	51.70%
Bill Boyce (Rep.)	833,950	48.30%
Total Vote	1,726,585	

**Justice, Place 8**

Margaret "Meg" Poissant (Dem.)	892,775	51.72%
John Donovan (Rep.)	833,445	48.28%
Total Vote	1,726,220	

**Special Elections**

**State Senate**

**District 19**

**Runoff held Sept. 18, 2018**

Peter P. "Pete" Flores (Rep.)	25,330	56.67%
Pete Gallego (Dem.)	19,367	43.33%
Total Vote	44,697	

**District 19**

**Held July 31, 2018**

Peter P. "Pete" Flores (Rep.)	9,003	34.35%
Pete Gallego (Dem.)	7,580	28.92%
Roland Gutierrez (Dem.)	6,389	24.38%
Charlie Urbina Jones (Dem.)	789	3.01%
Thomas Uresti (Dem.)	799	3.05%
Carlos Antonio Raymond (Rep.)	920	3.51%
Jesse "Jay" Alaniz (Rep.)	461	1.76%
Tony Valdivia (Lib.)	266	1.01%
Total Vote	26,207	

**U.S. House of Representatives**

**District 27**

**Held June 30, 2018**

Michael Cloud (Rep.)	19,872	54.76%
Eric Holguin (Dem.)	11,599	31.96%
Raul "Roy" Barrera (Dem.)	1,748	4.82%
Bech Bruun (Rep.)	1,571	4.33%
Judith Cutright (Ind.)	172	0.47%
Marty Perez (Rep.)	276	0.76%
Christopher Suprun (Ind.)	51	0.14%
Daniel Tinus (Lib.)	144	0.44%
Michael Westergren (Dem.)	858	2.36%
Total Vote	36,291	