

**1845**

James P. Henderson	7,853
James B. Miller	1,673
Scattering	52
Total vote .....	9,578

**1847**

George T. Wood	7,154
James B. Miller	5,106
Nicholas H. Darnell	1,276
J.J. Robinson	379
Scattering	852
Total vote .....	14,767

**1849**

Peter H. Bell .....	10,319
George T. Wood.....	8,754
John T. Mills.....	2,632
Total vote .....	21,705

**1851**

Peter H. Bell .....	13,595
Middleton T. Johnson.....	5,262
John A. Greer.....	4,061
B.H. Epperson.....	2,971
Thomas J. Chambers.....	2,320
Scattering .....	100
Total vote .....	28,309

**1853**

Elisha M. Pease .....	13,091
W.B. Ochiltree .....	9,178
George T. Wood.....	5,983
L.D. Evans.....	4,677
Thomas J. Chambers.....	2,449
John Dancy .....	315
Scattering .....	459
Total vote.....	36,152

**1855**

Elisha M. Pease .....	26,336
D.C. Dickson .....	17,965
M.T. Johnson.....	809
George T. Wood.....	276
Scattering .....	26
Total vote .....	45,412

**1857**

H.R. Runnels (Democrat) .....	32,552
Sam Houston.....	28,628
Total vote .....	61,180

**1859**

*Sam Houston .....	36,227
H.R. Runnels (Democrat) .....	27,500
Scattering .....	61
Total vote .....	63,788

*\*Ran as independent but received support of Know-Nothing Party.*

*Lt. Gov. Edward Clark succeeded on March 16, 1861, when Houston refused to take the oath of allegiance to the Confederacy.*

**1861**

F.R. Lubbock .....	21,854
Edward Clark .....	21,730
Thomas J. Chambers .....	13,759
Scattering .....	85
Total vote .....	57,428

**1863**

Pendleton Murrah .....	17,511
Thomas J. Chambers .....	12,455
Scattering .....	1,070
Total vote .....	31,036

*A.J. Hamilton was named governor under Reconstruction administration June 17, 1865.*

**1866**

J.W. Throckmorton .....	48,631
Elisha M. Pease .....	12,051
Scattering .....	6
Total vote .....	60,688

*General Philip H. Sheridan removed Throckmorton and appointed Pease governor on July 30, 1867.*

**1869**

Edmund J. Davis .....	39,901
A.J. Hamilton .....	39,092
Hamilton Stuart .....	380
Total vote .....	79,373

**1873**

Richard Coke (Democrat) .....	85,549
Edmund J. Davis (Republican) .....	42,633
Total vote .....	128,182

**1876**

Richard Coke (Democrat) .....	150,581
William Chambers (Republican) .....	50,030
Total vote .....	200,611

*Lt. Gov. R.B. Hubbard succeeded on Dec. 1, 1876, when Coke resigned to become U.S. Senator.*

**1878**

O.M. Roberts (Democrat) .....	158,302
W.H. Hamman (Greenback) .....	55,002
A.B. Norton (Republican) .....	23,712
Scattering .....	99
Total vote .....	237,115

**1880**

O.M. Roberts (Democrat) .....	166,101
Edmund J. Davis (Republican) .....	64,382
W.H. Hamman (Greenback) .....	33,721
Total vote .....	264,204

**1882**

John Ireland (Democrat) .....	150,809
*Geo.W. Jones .....	102,501
J.B. Robertson (Independent Democrat) ..	334
Total vote .....	253,644

*\*Ran as independent but received support*

of the Greenback and Republican parties.

**1884**

John Ireland (Democrat)..... 212,234  
\*Geo.W. Jones ..... 88,450  
A.B. Norton (Republican)..... 25,557  
Total vote ..... 326,241

*\*Ran as independent but received support of the Greenback Party.*

**1886**

L.Sul Ross (Democrat) ..... 228,776  
A.M. Cochran (Republican) ..... 65,236  
E.L. Dohoney (Prohibition) ..... 19,186  
Scattering ..... 102  
Total vote ..... 313,300

**1888**

L.Sul Ross (Democrat) ..... 250,338  
Marion Martin (Independent Fusion) ..... 98,447  
Total vote ..... 348,785

**1890**

James S. Hogg (Democrat) ..... 262,432  
W. Flanagan (Republican)..... 77,742  
E.C. Heath (Prohibition)..... 2,463  
Scattering ..... 633  
Total vote ..... 343,270

**1892**

James S. Hogg (Democrat) ..... 190,486  
\*George Clark (Democrat)..... 133,395  
T.L. Nugent (Populist)..... 108,483  
A.J. Houston (Lily White Republican) ..... 1,322  
D.M. Prendergast (Prohibition) ..... 1,605  
Scattering ..... 169  
Total vote ..... 435,467

*\*Clark received support from the  
Regular Republicans.*

**1894**

C.A. Culberson (Democrat) ..... 207,167  
T.L. Nugent (Populist)..... 152,731  
W.K. Makemson (Republican)..... 54,520  
J.B. Schmitz (Lily White Republican)..... 5,026  
J.M. Dunn (Prohibition)..... 2,196  
Scattering ..... 1,076  
Total vote ..... 422,716

**1896**

C.A. Culberson (Democrat) ..... 298,643  
\*J.C. Kearby (Populist) ..... 238,325  
Randolph Clark (Prohibition) ..... 1,846  
Scattering ..... 682  
Total vote ..... 539,496

*\*Kearby received support from the Republicans.*

**1898**

J.D. Sayers (Democrat) ..... 291,548  
Barnett Gibbs (Populist) ..... 114,955  
R.P. Bailey (Prohibition) ..... 2,437  
G.H. Royal (Socialist Labor) ..... 552

Scattering ..... 62  
Total vote ..... 409,554

**1900**

J.D. Sayers (Democrat) ..... 303,556  
R.E. Hanney (Republican) ..... 112,864  
T.J. McMinn (Populist) ..... 26,579  
G.H. Royal (Socialist Labor) ..... 155  
\*H.G. Damon (Prohibition) .....  
\*L.L. Rhodes (Socialist) .....  
\*Scattering ..... 6,155  
Total vote ..... 449,309

*\*Although Damon and Rhodes were on the ballot, the Legislature's official canvass reported the results as a total "scattering" vote.*

**1902**

S.W.T. Lanham (Democrat) ..... 269,076  
George W. Burkett (Republican) ..... 65,706  
J.M. Mallett (Populist) ..... 12,387  
G.W. Carroll (Prohibition) ..... 8,708  
\*W.W. Freeman (Socialist) .....  
\*G.H. Royal (Socialist Labor) .....  
\*Scattering ..... 3,273  
Total vote ..... 359,150

*\*Although Freeman and Royal were on the ballot, the Legislature's official canvass reported the results as a total "scattering" vote.*

**1904**

S.W.T. Lanham (Democrat) ..... 206,167  
J.G. Lowden (Republican) ..... 56,865  
Pat B. Clark (Populist) ..... 9,301  
W.D. Jackson (Prohibition) ..... 4,509  
Word H. Mills (Socialist) ..... 2,847  
Frank Leitner (Socialist Labor) ..... 552  
Total vote ..... 280,241

**1906**

**Democratic Primary**

*(The first primary held in the state.)*

Thomas M. Campbell ..... 90,345  
M.M. Brooks ..... 70,064  
O.B. Colquitt ..... 68,529  
Charles K. Bell ..... 65,168  
Total vote ..... 294,106

**General Election**

Thomas M. Campbell (Democrat) ..... 149,105  
C.A. Gray (Republican) ..... 23,771  
A.W. Acheson (Reorganized Republican) ..... 5,395  
G.C. Edwards (Socialist) ..... 2,958  
J.W. Pearson (Prohibition) ..... 2,215  
A.S. Dowler (Socialist Labor) ..... 260  
Total vote ..... 183,704

**1908**

**Democratic Primary**

Thomas M. Campbell ..... 206,038  
R.R. Williams ..... 119,378  
Total vote ..... 325,416

**General Election**

Thomas M. Campbell (Democrat) ..... 218,956

J.N. Simpson (Republican).....	73,305
J.C. Rhodes (Socialist) .....	8,100
W.B. Cook (Socialist Labor) .....	234
E.C. Heath (Prohibition).....	148
*Charles L. Martin (Independence League).....	58
Total vote .....	300,801

*\*Although the Independence League was on the ballot, due to a late switch in gubernatorial candidates, Martin's name did not appear.*

**1910  
Democratic Primary**

O.B. Colquitt .....	146,871
William Poindexter .....	80,060
R.V. Davidson .....	53,367
Cone Johnson .....	76,268
J. Marion Jones .....	1,910
Total vote .....	358,476

**General Election**

O.B. Colquitt (Democrat) .....	174,596
J.O. Terrell (Republican) .....	26,191
Reddin Andrews (Socialist) .....	11,538
A.J. Houston (Prohibition) .....	6,052
Carl Schmidt (Socialist Labor) .....	436
Total vote .....	218,813

**1912  
Democratic Primary**

O.B. Colquitt .....	219,808
William F. Ramsey .....	179,857
Total vote .....	399,665

**General Election**

O.B. Colquitt (Democrat) .....	234,352
Reddin Andrews (Socialist) .....	25,258
C.W. Johnson (Republican).....	23,089
Ed Lasater (Progressive).....	15,794
A.J. Houston (Prohibition) .....	2,356
K.E. Choate (Socialist Labor) .....	308
Total vote .....	301,157

**1914  
Democratic Primary**

James E. Ferguson .....	237,062
Thomas H. Ball.....	191,558
Total vote .....	428,620

**General Election**

James E. Ferguson (Democrat) .....	176,599
E.R. Meitzen (Socialist) .....	24,977
John W. Philp (Republican) .....	11,411
F.M. Etheridge (Progressive) .....	1,794
K.E. Choate (Socialist Labor) .....	680
Scattering .....	29
Total vote .....	215,490

**1916  
Democratic Primary**

James E. Ferguson .....	240,561
Charles H. Morris .....	174,611
H.C. Marshall.....	6,731
Total vote .....	421,903

**General Election**

James E. Ferguson (Democrat) .....	296,667
R.B. Creager (Republican) .....	49,118
E.R. Meitzen (Socialist) .....	14,580
H.W. Lewis (Prohibition) .....	3,200
Total vote .....	363,565

*In 1917, Lt. Gov. William P. Hobby succeeded Ferguson, who was impeached and removed from office.*

**1918**

**Democratic Primary**

W.P. Hobby .....	461,479
James E. Ferguson .....	217,012
Total vote .....	678,491

**General Election**

W.P. Hobby (Democrat) .....	148,982
Chas.A. Boynton (Republican) .....	26,713
Wm.D. Simpson (Socialist) .....	1,660
Total vote .....	177,355

**1920**

*In 1918, the primary election law had been amended, requiring a majority for nomination.*

*The first primary runoff in the governor's race was in 1920.*

**Democratic Primary**

Pat M. Neff .....	149,818
Robert E. Thomason .....	99,002
Joseph W. Bailey .....	152,340
Ben F. Looney .....	48,640
Total vote .....	449,800

**Democratic Runoff**

Pat M. Neff .....	264,075
Joseph W. Bailey .....	184,702
Total vote .....	448,777

**General Election**

Pat M. Neff (Democrat) .....	289,188
J.G. Culberson (Republican) .....	90,217
H. Capers (Black and Tan Republican) .....	26,091
T.H. McGregor (American) .....	69,380
L.L. Rhodes (Socialist) .....	6,796
Scattering .....	59
Total vote .....	481,731

**1922**

**Democratic Primary**

Pat M. Neff .....	318,000
W.W. King .....	18,368
Fred S. Rogers .....	195,941
Harry T. Warner .....	57,671
Total vote .....	589,926

**General Election**

Pat M. Neff (Democrat) .....	334,199
W.H. Atwell (Republican) .....	73,327
Total vote .....	407,526

**1924**

**Democratic Primary**

Felix D. Robertson .....	193,508
George W. Dixon .....	4,035

W.E. Pope .....	17,136
Joe Burkett .....	21,720
Miriam A. Ferguson .....	146,424
Lynch Davidson .....	141,208
V.A. Collins .....	24,864
T.W. Davidson .....	125,011
Thomas D. Barton .....	29,217
Total vote .....	703,123

**Democratic Runoff**

Miriam A. Ferguson .....	413,751
Felix D. Robertson .....	316,019
Total vote .....	729,770

**General Election**

Miriam A. Ferguson (Democrat) .....	422,558
George C. Butte (Republican) .....	294,970
Total vote .....	717,528

**1926**

**Democratic Primary**

Lynch Davidson .....	122,449
Miriam A. Ferguson .....	283,482
Kate M. Johnston .....	1,029
Dan Moody .....	409,732
Edith E. Wilmans .....	1,580
O.F. Zimmerman .....	2,962
Total vote .....	821,234

**Democratic Runoff**

Miriam A. Ferguson .....	270,595
Dan Moody .....	495,723
Total vote .....	766,318

**Republican Primary**

*(Party's first statewide.)*

H.H. Haines .....	11,215
E.P. Scott .....	4,074
Total vote .....	15,289

**General Election**

Dan Moody (Democrat) .....	233,002
H.H. Haines (Republican) .....	34,819
M.A. Smith (Socialist) .....	786
Total vote .....	268,604

**1928**

**Democratic Primary**

Wm.E. Hawkins .....	32,076
Dan Moody .....	442,080
Louis J. Wardlaw .....	245,508
Edith E. Wilmans .....	18,237
Total vote .....	737,901

**General Election**

Dan Moody (Democrat) .....	582,968
W.H. Holmes (Republican) .....	123,337
L.L. Rhodes (Socialist) .....	787
J. Stedham (Communist) .....	109
Total vote .....	707,201

**1930**

**Democratic Primary**

Miriam A. Ferguson .....	242,959
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Thomas B. Love .....	87,068
Paul Loven .....	2,724
Earle B. Mayfield .....	54,459
Barry Miller .....	54,652
C.C. Moody.....	4,382
Frank Putnam.....	2,365
Clint C. Small.....	138,934
Ross S. Sterling.....	170,754
James Young .....	73,385
C.E. Walker .....	1,760
Total vote .....	833,442

**Democratic Runoff**

Ross S. Sterling.....	473,371
Miriam A. Ferguson .....	384,402
Total vote .....	857,773

**Republican Primary**

George C. Butte.....	5,001
H.E. Exum .....	2,773
John F. Grant .....	1,800
John P. Gaines.....	203
Total vote .....	9,777

**General Election**

Ross S. Sterling (Democrat).....	252,738
*Wm.E. Talbot (Republican).....	62,224
L.L. Rhodes (Socialist) .....	829
J. Stedham (Communist).....	231
Total vote .....	316,022

*\*Talbot was named the Republican nominee after Butte resigned.*

**1932**

**Democratic Primary**

Roger Q. Evans .....	3,974
Miriam A. Ferguson.....	402,238
C.A. Frakes .....	2,338
J. Ed Glenn.....	2,089
Tom F. Hunter .....	220,391
Frank Putnam.....	2,962
Ross S. Sterling.....	296,383
M.H. Wolfe.....	32,241
George W. Armstrong .....	5,312
Total vote .....	967,928

**Democratic Runoff**

Ross S. Sterling.....	473,846
Miriam A. Ferguson .....	477,644
Total Vote .....	951,490

**General Election**

M.A. Ferguson (Democrat).....	522,395
Orville Bullington (Republican) .....	317,590
George C. Edwards (Socialist) .....	1,873
George W. Armstrong (Jackson Democrat) .....	768
Otho L. Heitt (Liberty) .....	134
Philip L. Howe (Communist) .....	138
Total vote .....	842,868

**1934**

**Democratic Primary**

C.C. McDonald .....	207,200
James V. Allred .....	298,903



Clint C. Small.....	125,324
Tom F. Hunter .....	243,254
Edgar Witt.....	62,476
Edward K. Russell .....	4,454
Maury Hughes .....	58,815
Total vote .....	1,000,426

**Democratic Runoff**

James V. Allred .....	499,343
Tom F. Hunter .....	459,106
Total vote .....	958,449

**Republican Primary**

D.E. Waggoner (unopposed).....	13,043
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**General Election**

James V. Allred (Democrat) .....	428,734
D.E. Wagonner (Republican).....	13,703
George C. Edwards (Socialist) .....	1,862
Enoch Hardaway (Communist).....	260
Total vote .....	444,559

**1936**

**Democratic Primary**

James V. Allred .....	553,219
P. Pierce Brooks.....	33,391
F. W. Fischer .....	145,877
Tom F. Hunter .....	239,460
Roy Sanderford .....	81,170
Total vote .....	1,053,117

**General Election**

James V. Allred (Democrat) .....	782,083
C.O. Harris (Republican) .....	58,842
Carl Brannin (Socialist).....	962
Homer Brooks (Communist) .....	283
Total vote .....	842,170

**1938**

**Democratic Primary**

W. Lee O'Daniel .....	573,166
Ernest O. Thompson .....	231,630
William McCraw.....	152,278
Tom F. Hunter .....	117,634
S.T. Brogdon .....	892
Joseph King.....	773
Clarence E. Farmer .....	3,869
P.D. Renfro.....	8,127
Karl A. Crowley.....	19,153
Clarence R. Miller .....	667
James A. Ferguson .....	3,800
Thomas Self .....	1,405
Marvin P. McCoy .....	1,491
Total vote .....	1,114,885

**General Election**

W. Lee O'Daniel (Democrat) .....	358,943
Alexander Boynton (Republican).....	11,309
Earl E. Miller (Socialist) .....	282
Homer Brooks (Communist) .....	207
Total vote .....	370,641

**1940**

**Democratic Primary**

W. Lee O'Daniel .....	645,646
Ernest O. Thompson .....	256,923
Harry Hines .....	119,121
Miriam A. Ferguson .....	100,578
Jerry Sadler .....	61,396
Arlon B. "Cyclone" Davis Jr. ....	3,623
R.P. Condron.....	2,003
Total vote .....	1,189,290

**General Election**

W. Lee O'Daniel (Democrat) .....	1,019,338
George C. Hopkins (Republican).....	59,885
Ben H. Lauderdale (Communist) .....	266
Total vote .....	1,079,489

**1942**

**Democratic Primary**

Hal H. Collins.....	272,469
Alex M. Ferguson .....	8,370
Gene S. Porter.....	4,933
Charles L. Somerville .....	4,853
Coke R. Stevenson.....	651,218
Hope Wheeler .....	9,373
Total vote .....	951,216

**General Election**

Coke R. Stevenson (Democrat).....	280,735
C.K. McDowell (Republican).....	9,204
Total vote .....	289,939

**1944**

**Democratic Primary**

Coke R. Stevenson.....	696,586
Martin Jones.....	21,379
W.J. Minton .....	8,537
Alex M. Ferguson .....	12,649
Minnie F. Cunningham .....	48,039
Gene S. Porter.....	15,243
Edward L. Carey.....	4,633
William F. Grimes.....	9,443
Herbert E. Mills.....	6,640
Write-in .....	311
Total vote.....	823,460

**General Election**

Coke R. Stevenson (Democrat).....	1,007,826
B.J. Peasley (Republican) .....	100,287
Total vote .....	1,108,113

**1946**

**Democratic Primary**

Floyd Brinkley.....	4,249
William V. Brown .....	3,902
A.J. Burks .....	4,881
Chas.B. Hutchison.....	4,616
Beauford Jester .....	443,804
Walter Scott McNutt.....	4,353
Caso March .....	20,529
W.J. Minton .....	2,398
Homer P. Rainey .....	291,282
Jerry Sadler .....	103,120
Grover Sellers.....	162,431
C.R. Shaw .....	9,764

John Lee Smith.....	102,941
Reese Turner.....	4,914
Total vote.....	1,163,184

**Democratic Runoff**

Beauford H. Jester .....	701,018
Homer P. Rainey .....	355,654
Total vote.....	1,056,672

**General Election**

Beauford Jester (Democrat) .....	345,513
Eugene Nolte Jr. (Republican) .....	33,231
Total vote.....	378,744

**1948**

**Democratic Primary**

Beauford H. Jester .....	642,025
Sumpter W. Stockton.....	21,243
Roger Q. Evans.....	279,602
Charles B. Hutchison.....	24,441
Holmes A. May.....	20,538
Caso March .....	187,658
W.J. Minton .....	13,659
Denver S. Whiteley.....	16,090
Write-in .....	1
Total vote.....	1,205,257

**General Election**

Beauford H. Jester (Democrat).....	1,024,160
Alvin H. Lane (Republican).....	177,399
Gerald Overholt (Prohibition).....	3,554
Herman Wright (Progressive).....	3,747
Total vote.....	1,208,860

*In July 1949, Lt. Gov. Allan Shivers succeeded Jester, who died in office.*

**1950**

**Democratic Primary**

Allan Shivers .....	829,730
Caso March .....	195,997
Charles B. Hutchison.....	16,048
Gene S. Porter.....	14,728
J.M. Wren .....	14,138
Benita Louise Marek Lawrence .....	9,542
Wellington Abbey .....	6,381
Total vote.....	1,086,564

**General Election**

Allan Shivers (Democrat).....	355,010
Ralph W. Currie (Republican).....	39,737
Total vote.....	394,747

**1952**

**Democratic Primary**

Allan Shivers .....	883,861
Ralph W. Yarborough.....	488,345
Allene M. Trayler .....	34,186
Total vote.....	1,356,392

**General Election**

Allan Shivers (Democrat).....	1,375,547
Allan Shivers (Republican) .....	468,319
Total vote.....	1,843,866

**1954**

**Democratic Primary**

Allan Shivers ..... 668,913  
Ralph W. Yarborough..... 645,994  
J.J. Holmes..... 19,591  
Arlon B. "Cyclone" Davis Jr. .... 16,254  
Total vote ..... 1,350,752

**Democratic Runoff**

Allan Shivers ..... 775,088  
Ralph W. Yarborough..... 683,132  
Total vote ..... 1,458,220

**General Election**

Allan Shivers (Democrat)..... 569,533  
Tod R. Adams (Republican) ..... 66,154  
Other ..... 1,205  
Total vote ..... 636,892

**1956**

**Democratic Primary**

Price Daniel ..... 628,914  
J. Evetts Haley ..... 88,772  
J.J. Holmes..... 10,165  
W. Lee O'Daniel ..... 347,757  
Reuben Senterfitt..... 37,774  
Ralph W. Yarborough..... 463,416  
Write-in ..... 72  
Total vote ..... 1,576,870

**Democratic Runoff**

Price Daniel ..... 698,001  
Ralph W. Yarborough..... 694,830  
Total vote ..... 1,392,831

**General Election**

Price Daniel (Democrat) ..... 1,350,736  
William R. Bryant (Republican)..... 261,283  
W. Lee O'Daniel (Write-in)..... 110,234  
Other ..... 1,838  
Total vote ..... 1,724,091

**1958**

**Democratic Primary**

Price Daniel ..... 799,107  
Henry B. Gonzalez ..... 246,969  
Joe A. Irwin..... 33,643  
W. Lee O'Daniel ..... 238,767  
Write-in ..... 6  
Total vote ..... 1,317,492

**General Election**

Price Daniel (Democrat) ..... 695,779  
Edwin S. Mayer (Republican) ..... 94,086  
Total vote ..... 789,865

**1960**

**Democratic Primary**

Jack Cox..... 619,834  
Price Daniel ..... 908,992  
Write-in ..... 8  
Total vote ..... 1,528,834

**General Election**

Price Daniel (Democrat) ..... 1,627,698  
Wm.M. Steger (Republican) ..... 609,808  
Total vote ..... 2,237,506

**1962**

**Democratic Primary**

John Connally..... 431,498  
Price Daniel ..... 248,524  
Marshall Formby..... 139,094  
Edwin A. Walker ..... 138,387  
Will Wilson ..... 171,617  
Don Yarborough ..... 317,986  
Write-in ..... 9  
Total vote ..... 1,447,115

**Democratic Runoff**

John Connally..... 565,174  
Don Yarborough ..... 538,924  
Total vote ..... 1,104,098

**Republican Primary**

Jack Cox..... 99,170  
Roy Whittenburg..... 16,136  
Total vote ..... 115,306

**General Election**

John Connally (Democrat)..... 847,038  
Jack Cox (Republican) ..... 715,025  
Jack Carswell (Constitution) ..... 7,125  
Total vote ..... 1,569,198

**1964**

**Democratic Primary**

John Connally..... 1,125,884  
Don Yarborough ..... 471,411  
M.T. Banks ..... 22,047  
Johnnie Mae Hackworthe ..... 10,955  
Total vote ..... 1,630,297

**Republican Primary**

Jack Crichton (unopposed) ..... 128,146

**General Election**

John Connally (Democrat)..... 1,877,793  
Jack Crichton (Republican) ..... 661,675  
John C. Williams (Constitution) ..... 5,257  
Write-in ..... 28  
Total vote ..... 2,544,753

**1966**

**Democratic Primary**

John Connally..... 932,641  
Stanley C. Woods..... 291,651  
Johnnie Mae Hackworthe ..... 31,105  
Write-in ..... 3  
Total vote ..... 1,255,400

**Republican Primary**

T. E. Kennerly (unopposed) ..... 49,568

**General Election**

John Connally (Democrat)..... 1,037,517  
T. E. Kennerly (Republican) ..... 368,025

Tommye Gillespie (Constitution) .....	10,454
Bard Logan (Conservative) .....	9,810
Write-in .....	55
Total vote .....	1,425,861

**1968**

**Democratic Primary**

Preston Smith .....	386,875
Pat O'Daniel .....	47,912
John Hill .....	154,908
Waggoner Carr .....	257,543
Eugene Locke .....	218,118
Dolph Briscoe .....	225,686
Edward L. Whittenburg .....	22,957
Don Yarborough .....	421,607
Alfonso Veloz .....	9,562
Johnnie Mae Hackworthe .....	5,484
Total vote .....	1,750,652

**Democratic Runoff**

Preston Smith .....	767,490
Don Yarborough .....	621,226
Total vote .....	1,388,716

**Republican Primary**

Paul Eggers .....	65,501
John Trice .....	28,849
Wallace Sisk .....	10,415
Total vote .....	104,765

**General Election**

Preston Smith (Democrat) .....	1,662,019
Paul Eggers (Republican) .....	1,254,333
Total vote .....	2,916,352

**1970**

**Democratic Primary**

Preston Smith (unopposed) .....	1,011,300
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**Republican Primary**

Paul Eggers .....	101,875
Roger Martin .....	7,146
Total vote .....	109,021

**General Election**

Preston Smith (Democrat) .....	1,232,506
Paul Eggers (Republican) .....	1,073,831
Other .....	428
Total vote .....	2,306,765

**1972**

**Democratic Primary**

Ben Barnes .....	392,356
Dolph Briscoe .....	963,397
Frances Farenthold .....	612,051
Robert E. Looney .....	10,225
William H. Posey .....	13,727
Preston Smith .....	190,709
Gordon F. Wills .....	10,438
Total vote .....	2,192,903

**Democratic Runoff**

Dolph Briscoe .....	1,095,168
Frances Farenthold .....	884,594

Total vote ..... 1,979,762

**Republican Primary**

Albert Fay ..... 24,329  
Henry C. Grover ..... 37,118  
John A. Hall Sr. .... 8,018  
J.A. Jenkins ..... 4,864  
Tom McElroy ..... 19,559  
David Reagan..... 20,119  
Total vote ..... 114,007

**Republican Runoff**

Albert Fay ..... 19,166  
Henry C. Grover ..... 37,842  
Total vote ..... 57,008

**General Election**

Dolph Briscoe (Democrat) ..... 1,633,493  
Henry C. Grover (Republican) ..... 1,533,986  
Ramsey Muniz (La Raza Unida)..... 214,118  
Deborah Leonard (SocialistW.) ..... 24,103  
Other ..... 3,891  
Total vote ..... 3,409,501

**1974**

**Democratic Primary**

Dolph Briscoe ..... 1,025,632  
Frances Farenthold ..... 437,287  
W.H. Posey ..... 31,498  
Steve S. Alexander..... 26,889  
Total vote ..... 1,521,306

**Republican Primary**

Jim Granberry..... 53,617  
Odell McBrayer..... 15,484  
Total vote ..... 69,101

**General Election**

Dolph Briscoe (Democrat) ..... 1,016,334  
Jim Granberry (Republican) ..... 514,725  
Ramsey Muniz (La Raza Unida)..... 93,295  
Sherry Smith (SocialistW.)..... 8,171  
S.W. McDonnell (Am.) ..... 22,208  
Other ..... 251  
Total vote ..... 1,654,984

*Governor's term changed to 4 years  
from 2 years.*

**1978**

**Democratic Primary**

Donald R. Beagle ..... 14,791  
Dolph Briscoe ..... 753,309  
John Hill..... 932,345  
Ray Allen Mayo ..... 20,249  
Preston Smith..... 92,202  
Total vote ..... 1,812,896

**Republican Primary**

William P. Clements Jr. .... 115,345  
Ray Hutchison ..... 38,268  
Clarence Thompson ..... 4,790  
Total vote ..... 158,403

**General Election**

William P. Clements Jr. (Republican) ..... 1,183,828  
John Hill (Democrat) ..... 1,166,919  
Mario C. Compean (La Raza Unida) ..... 14,213  
Sara Jean Johnston (Socialist Workers) .. 4,624  
Other ..... 115  
Total vote ..... 2,369,699

**1982**

**Democratic Primary**

David L. Young ..... 25,386  
Bob Armstrong ..... 262,189  
Mark White ..... 592,658  
Donald R. Beagle ..... 15,649  
Ray Allen Mayo ..... 20,088  
\*Buddy Temple ..... 402,693  
Total vote ..... 1,318,663

*\*Temple declined to participate in runoff;  
White declared winner of race.*

**Republican Primary**

William P. Clements Jr. .... 246,120  
Duke Embs ..... 19,731  
Total vote ..... 265,851

**General Election**

Mark White (Democrat) ..... 1,697,870  
William P. Clements Jr. (Republican) ..... 1,465,937  
David Hutzelman (Libertarian) ..... 19,143  
Bob Poteet (Constitution) ..... 8,065  
Other ..... 76  
Total vote ..... 3,191,091

**1986**

**Democratic Primary**

Sheila Bilyeu ..... 39,370  
Andrew C. Briscoe III ..... 248,850  
A. Don Crowder ..... 120,999  
Bobby Locke ..... 58,936  
Ron Slover ..... 38,861  
Mark White ..... 589,536  
Total vote ..... 1,096,552

**Republican Primary**

William P. Clements Jr ..... 318,808  
Kent Hance ..... 108,238  
Tom Loeffler ..... 117,673  
Total vote ..... 544,719

**General Election**

William P. Clements Jr. (Republican) ..... 1,813,779  
Mark White (Democrat) ..... 1,584,515  
Theresa Doyle (Libertarian) ..... 42,496  
Other ..... 670  
Total vote ..... 3,441,460

**1990**

**Democratic Primary**

Stanley Adams ..... 16,118  
Theresa Hearn-Haynes ..... 31,395  
Earl Holmes ..... 17,904  
Jim Mattox ..... 546,103  
Ray Rachal ..... 9,388



Ann W. Richards ..... 580,191  
Mark White ..... 288,161  
Total vote ..... 1,487,280

**Democratic Runoff**

Jim Mattox ..... 481,739  
Ann W. Richards ..... 640,995  
Total vote ..... 1,122,734

**Republican Primary**

Ed Cude..... 1,077  
Kent Hance..... 132,142  
Tom Luce ..... 115,835  
W. N. Otwell ..... 2,310  
Royce X. Owens..... 1,392  
Jack Rains ..... 82,461  
Clayton Williams ..... 520,014  
Total vote ..... 855,231

**General Election**

Ann W. Richards (Democrat) ..... 1,925,670  
Clayton Williams (Republican) ..... 1,826,431  
Jeff Daiell (Libertarian) ..... 129,128  
Write-ins ..... 11,517  
Total vote ..... 3,892,746

**1994**

**Democratic Primary**

Gary Espinosa..... 230,310  
Ann W. Richards ..... 806,597  
Total vote ..... 1,036,907

**Republican Primary**

George W. Bush..... 520,130  
Ray Hollis ..... 37,210  
Total vote ..... 557,340

**General Election**

George W. Bush (Republican)..... 2,350,994  
Ann W. Richards (Democrat) ..... 2,016,928  
Keary Ehlers (Libertarian) ..... 28,320  
Total vote ..... 4,396,242

**1998**

**Democratic Primary**

Garry Mauro (unopposed) ..... 492,419

**Republican Primary**

George W. Bush..... 576,528  
R.C. Crawford..... 20,311  
Total vote ..... 596,839

**General Election**

George W. Bush (Republican)..... 2,550,821  
Garry Mauro (Democrat) ..... 1,165,592  
Lester R. (Les) Turlington Jr. (Libertarian) ..... 20,711  
Susan Lee Solar (Write-in) ..... 954  
Total vote ..... 3,738,078

*In 2000, Lt. Gov. Rick Perry succeeded Bush,  
who resigned to become President.*

**2002**

**Democratic Primary**

Bill Lyon ..... 43,011  
Dan Morales ..... 330,873  
Tony Sanchez ..... 609,383  
John Worldpeace ..... 20,121  
Total vote ..... 1,003,388

**Republican Primary**

Rick Perry (unopposed)..... 620,463

**General Election**

Rick Perry (Republican)..... 2,632,591  
Tony Sanchez (Democrat)..... 1,819,798  
Jeff Daiell (Libertarian) ..... 66,720  
Rahul Mahajan (Green)..... 32,187  
Elaine Eure Henderson (Write-in)..... 1,715  
Earl W. (Bill) O'Neill (Write-in) ..... 976  
Total vote ..... 4,553,987

**2006**

**Democratic Primary**

Chris Bell ..... 324,869  
Bob Gammage ..... 145,081  
Rashad Jafer ..... 38,652  
Total vote ..... 508,602

**Republican Primary**

Rick Perry ..... 552,545  
Star Locke ..... 23,030  
Larry Kilgore ..... 50,119  
Rhett R. Smith ..... 30,225  
Total vote ..... 655,919

**General Election**

Rick Perry (Republican)..... 1,716,792  
Chris Bell (Democrat) ..... 1,310,337  
Carole Keeton Strayhorn (Independent).... 796,851  
Richard (Kinky) Friedman (Independent) . 547,674  
James Werner (Libertarian)..... 26,749  
James (Patriot) Dillon (Write-in) ..... 713  
Total vote ..... 4,399,116

**2010**

**Democratic Primary**

Bill White ..... 517,487  
Farouk Shami ..... 87,411  
Star Locke ..... 6,276  
Clement E. Glenn ..... 9,836  
Bill Dear ..... 6,551  
Felix Rodriguez Alvarado ..... 33,714  
Alma Ludivina Aguado ..... 19,273  
Total vote ..... 680,548

**Republican Primary**

Rick Perry ..... 759,296  
Kay Bailey Hutchison ..... 450,087  
Debra Medina ..... 275,159  
Total vote ..... 1,484,542

**General Election**

Rick Perry (Republican)..... 2,737,481  
Bill White (Democrat) ..... 2,106,395  
Kathie Glass (Libertarian)..... 109,211  
Deb Shafto (Green) ..... 19,516  
Andy Barron (Write-in)..... 7,267

Total vote .....4,979,870