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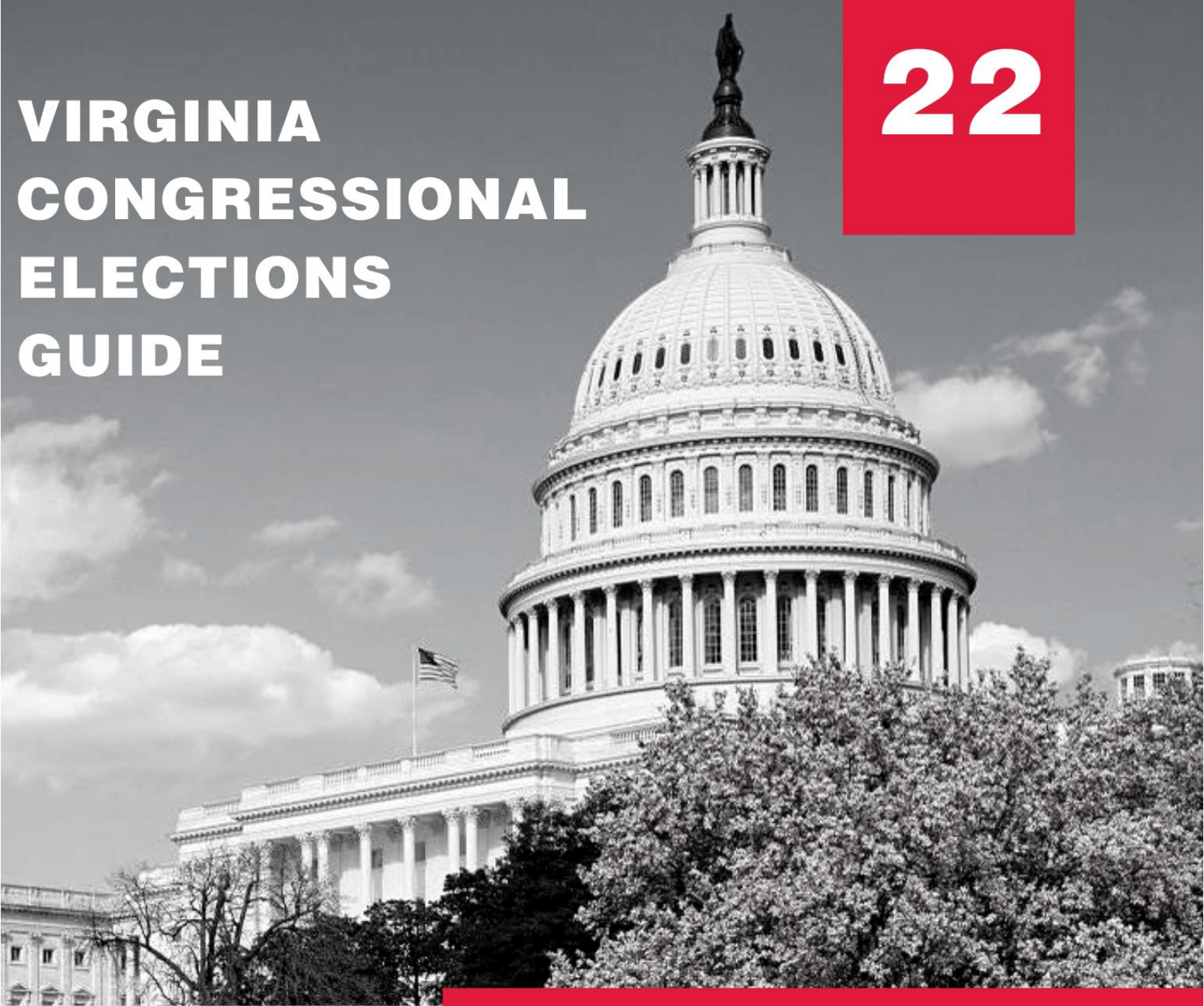
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# **VIRGINIA CONGRESSIONAL ELECTIONS GUIDE**



THIS GUIDE IS NOT INTENDED AS AN ENDORSEMENT OF ANY SINGLE CANDIDATE OR PARTY, RATHER IS DESIGNED AS A TOOL FOR SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS TO ENGAGE CONSTITUENTS IN THEIR COMMUNITIES THROUGH EDUCATION AND ADVOCACY OF WHERE CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATES STAND ON ISSUES OF IMPORTANCE TO THE K-12 PUBLIC EDUCATION COMMUNITY.

On November 8, 2022, the future of Virginia’s Congressional Delegation will be determined when votes are counted across the Commonwealth. This year’s Congressional Elections feature newly drawn legislative districts based on data from the 2020 United States Census.

The Virginia School Boards Association is providing this guide to assist with researching the candidates seeking election to the United States Congress. In the table below, each of the candidate’s websites are linked to learn about their stances on issues important to our communities.

It is important to remember in the Commonwealth of Virginia, election law allows voters to begin voting in-person 45 days prior to the date of the November election. In 2022, voters can head to the polls on September 23, 2022, and early voting ends on November 5, 2022. To find an early voting polling location or to request a mail in ballot, please contact your local registrar, or visit the [Virginia Department of Elections](https://www.elections.state.va.us/) for information on casting a ballot.

## 2022 Virginia Congressional Candidates

*(all candidates listed by voting district, alphabetically)*

District	Name	Party
<a href="#">CD1</a>	<a href="#">Herb Jones</a>	Democrat
<a href="#">CD1</a>	<a href="#">David Foster</a>	Other
<a href="#">CD1</a>	<a href="#">Rob Wittman*</a>	Republican
<a href="#">CD2</a>	<a href="#">Elaine Luria*</a>	Democrat
<a href="#">CD2</a>	<a href="#">Jen Kiggans</a>	Republican
<a href="#">CD3</a>	<a href="#">Bobby Scott*</a>	Democrat
<a href="#">CD3</a>	<a href="#">Terry Namkung</a>	Republican
<a href="#">CD4</a>	<a href="#">Donald McEachin*</a>	Democrat
<a href="#">CD4</a>	<a href="#">Leon Benjamin</a>	Republican
<a href="#">CD5</a>	<a href="#">Bob Good*</a>	Republican
<a href="#">CD5</a>	<a href="#">Josh Throneburg</a>	Democrat
<a href="#">CD6</a>	<a href="#">Ben Cline*</a>	Republican
<a href="#">CD6</a>	<a href="#">Jennifer Lewis</a>	Democrat
<a href="#">CD7</a>	<a href="#">Abigail Spanberger*</a>	Democrat
<a href="#">CD7</a>	<a href="#">Yesli Vega</a>	Republican
<a href="#">CD8</a>	<a href="#">Don Beyer, Jr.*</a>	Democrat
<a href="#">CD8</a>	<a href="#">Karina Lipsman</a>	Republican
<a href="#">CD8</a>	<a href="#">Teddy Fikre</a>	Other
<a href="#">CD9</a>	<a href="#">Morgan Griffith*</a>	Republican
<a href="#">CD9</a>	<a href="#">Taysha DeVaughan</a>	Democrat
<a href="#">CD10</a>	<a href="#">Hung Cao</a>	Republican
<a href="#">CD10</a>	<a href="#">Jennifer Wexton*</a>	Democrat
<a href="#">CD11</a>	<a href="#">Gerry Connolly*</a>	Democrat
<a href="#">CD11</a>	<a href="#">Jim Myles</a>	Republican

\* *Incumbent*

To assist with determining the localities of each Congressional District, please see the following list that contains this information. Localities are listed in the percentage of registered voters that comprise the district. For further analysis of the Congressional Districts, please see the [Virginia Public Access Project](#) website.

- **Congressional District 1 Localities:**  
Henrico County (Partial), Chesterfield County (Partial), Hanover County (Partial), James City County, York County, Gloucester County, New Kent County, Westmoreland County, Williamsburg City, King William County, Northumberland County, Poquoson City, Lancaster County, Middlesex County, Essex County, Richmond County, Mathews County, King & Queen County.
- **Congressional District 2 Localities:**  
Virginia Beach City, Chesapeake City (Partial), Suffolk City, Isle of Wight County, Accomack County, Northampton County, Southampton County (Partial), Franklin City.
- **Congressional District 3 Localities:**  
Norfolk City, Newport News City, Hampton City, Chesapeake City (Partial), Portsmouth City.
- **Congressional District 4 Localities:**  
Richmond City, Chesterfield County (Partial), Henrico County (Partial), Prince George County, Petersburg City, Dinwiddie County, Hopewell City, Colonial Heights City, Brunswick County, Greensville County, Sussex County, Southampton County (Partial), Charles City County, Surry County, Emporia City.
- **Congressional District 5 Localities:**  
Albemarle County (Partial), Lynchburg City, Pittsylvania County, Campbell County, Charlottesville City, Danville City, Louisa County, Halifax County, Amherst County, Mecklenburg County, Powhatan County, Fluvanna County, Bedford County (Partial), Goochland County, Prince Edward County, Buckingham County, Hanover County (Partial), Nottoway County, Appomattox County, Nelson County, Amelia County, Lunenburg County, Charlotte County, Cumberland County.
- **Congressional District 6 Localities:**  
Roanoke City, Frederick County, Rockingham County, Augusta County, Roanoke County (Partial), Harrisonburg City, Shenandoah County, Warren County, Botetourt County, Winchester City, Staunton City, Salem City, Page County, Rockbridge County, Waynesboro City, Alleghany County, Clarke County, Lexington City, Buena Vista City, Covington City, Bath County, Highland County.
- **Congressional District 7 Localities:**  
Prince William County (Partial), Stafford County, Spotsylvania County, Culpeper County, Orange County, Caroline County, Fredericksburg City, King George County, Greene County, Madison County, Albemarle County (Partial).
- **Congressional District 8 Localities:**  
Fairfax County (Partial), Arlington County, Alexandria City, Falls Church City

- **Congressional District 9 Localities:**  
Montgomery County, Franklin County, Washington County, Bedford County (Partial), Henry County, Tazewell County, Roanoke County (Partial), Wise County, Pulaski County, Smyth County, Carroll County, Wythe County, Russell County, Lee County, Scott County, Buchanan County, Patrick County, Radford City, Bristol City, Giles County, Grayson County, Floyd County, Dickenson County, Martinsville City, Galax City, Bland County, Craig County, Norton City.
- **Congressional District 10 Localities:**  
Loudon County, Prince William County (Partial), Fauquier County, Manassas City, Fairfax County (Partial), Manassas Park City, Rappahannock County.
- **Congressional District 11 Localities:**  
Fairfax County (Partial), Fairfax City.

## IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

**SEPT  
23**

First day of in-person early voting for November elections

**OCT  
17**

Deadline to register to vote in November elections

**OCT  
28**

Deadline to apply for mail-in ballot for November elections

**NOV  
05**

Last day of in-person early voting for November elections

**NOV  
08**

Election Day