



Climate, Energy and Justice Scorecard 2022



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Introduction

After the 2021 election, where environmentally-unfriendly politicians took control of both the House of Delegates and the Governor's mansion, the 2022 General Assembly, the first "in-person" session since the advent of COVID-19, promised to be very challenging. Indeed it was, with attacks on recent progress seemingly coming from all directions. Therefore, you'll notice this year's scorecard looks very different from our 2020-2021 reports, focused on defending against the attempts to undo the great progress achieved in those years.

Thanks to grassroots support from across the Commonwealth, the Chapter and our allies were able to defend against twenty bills that would have rolled back all or portions of the Virginia Clean Economy Act, membership in the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative (RGGI), and the recently-passed Clean Car Standards. Some of these bad bills are featured on our scorecard, and you can see an increasingly partisan divide contaminating what should be a universal desire to protect our environment and fully transition to a clean energy economy. In Virginia's 2022 political landscape, only a Senate majority protects our clean air and water.

Against all odds, we also achieved two major victories. First, thanks to the aforementioned conservation majority in the Senate, we stopped the nomination of former Trump EPA head Andrew Wheeler to lead the Department of Natural and Historic Resources. This was a powerful signal to the executive branch that Virginia will not go backward on environmental and energy policy. Further, we passed SB575 (patroned by Senator Mason), which requires state (and optionally

counties) to use total cost of ownership in its purchasing of vehicles. This will result in a transition to electric vehicle fleets, due to the enormous savings on fuel and maintenance.

Many worthy bills we supported did not survive the session. SB290 (carried by Senator Favola, along with House companion HB471, patroned by Delegate Subramanyan) would have required new construction or major renovation of public buildings, such as schools, to include solar-ready roofs). This measure would have allowed school systems to save money by utilizing solar energy via power purchase agreements. SB452, patroned by Senator Boysko, and House counterpart HB701 (carried by Delegate Kory) would have allowed localities to opt in to the International Green Construction Code standard instead of the weaker statewide code. This bill would have saved occupants money on utility bills while improving the health of their home environments. A combination of industry lobbyist power and the partisan divide doomed these efforts, which will nevertheless continue in future sessions.

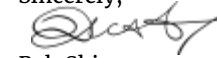
Concentrated efforts by Sierra Club Virginia Chapter and allies greatly improved some of the many industry-championed bills emanating from the House. HB1257, carried by Delegate Kilgore, would have pre-empted localities from beginning the transition away from gas. After intense pressure from stakeholders, it has been amended to apply to only 3 cities, merely requiring customer notice and other divestiture requirements. Two bills, HB1326 (Delegate Kilgore) and SB120 (Senator Hackworth), would have declared burning of waste coal to be in the public interest. We

pushed for amendments converting this into a study of the issue.

Despite best defensive efforts, two harmful bills did pass. SB565, patroned by Senator Surovell (and its House companion bill, HB558, carried by Delegate O'Quinn) incentivizes production of methane from commercial farms. The methane emissions problem must be addressed, but this bill will require Virginians to pay for gas infrastructure build-out without requiring any actual emissions reductions. SB657, carried by Senator Stuart, repeals the authority of Virginia's long-standing citizen Air Pollution Control and Water Control boards to issue or deny permits, ceding this authority to the Department of Environmental Quality. This was clearly industry retaliation for last year's rare board denial of a pipeline compressor station permit. With persistent negotiations, we did at least succeed in amending the bill to retain public participation elements of the control board process.

Finally, as of this writing, the General Assembly has finalized the biennial budget. Legislators rejected some of Governor Youngkin's amendments, such as an attack on abortion care, and while the final budget does not directly attack RGGI, it diverts some RGGI funds to other purposes, and also contains a very unfortunate delay in implementation of the previously-negotiated ban on polystyrene. The GA will return in September for its final duty, appointment of a State Corporation Commission judge.

Sincerely,



Bob Shippee
Legislative Chair

Keeping Score & Making the Grade

Keeping Score:

With the climate crisis unfolding rapidly and public health and safety consequences being felt far and wide, state-level climate and energy policies have never been more critical. At the same time, renewable energy sources like wind and solar are becoming more affordable than dirty fossil fuels. Unfortunately, Virginia's monopoly utilities and other polluters are still pursuing short-sighted ways to profit off of coal, gas and oil and limit access to clean energy solutions. Dominion Energy, especially, continues to use its deep pockets to lobby in favor of policies that harm our planet and put the burden on taxpayers and their customers.

Fortunately, the shift to a clean energy economy is underway, driven by robust and growing consumer demand. Public opinion across the political spectrum strongly favors clean, renewable energy over polluting fossil fuels. With an expanding, active grassroots environmental movement demanding increased transparency and accountability in government and meaningful action on reducing climate change, we can build a clean energy future for all.

Here in Virginia, opportunities to participate in the law-making process can seem limited. Virginia's General Assembly sessions are shorter than those in many other states. Thousands of bills are filed and voted on in rapid succession during the 45-or-60-day window. Some bills are voted on with little notice on a public docket, curtailing the ability of interested residents to weigh in. The Sierra Club Virginia Chapter releases this scorecard to enhance transparency in the legislative process, giving Virginians the ability to better distinguish between the rhetoric and the reality of a lawmaker's record.

We hope you will examine the votes of your state senator and delegate highlighted in our scorecard and let them know what you think. Please thank them for supporting strong environmental policies or let them know that they need to do better. Send a letter or an email, make a phone call or schedule a visit with your legislator — no matter how you contact them, be sure to let them know you saw their grades. You can find your elected officials online, at <http://viriniageneralassembly.gov>.

Making the Grade:

Each legislator is graded on key votes during the Virginia General Assembly session. The Sierra Club Virginia Chapter scores representative votes on legislation relating to policies on climate change, energy and equity that most clearly show a distinction between elected officials who took a pro-environmental position and those who did not. Some of these votes were cast in committee, others were votes of the full state House or Senate.

For each vote aligned with the Sierra Club position a legislator receives one point. If they were the patron of a key environmental bill, that legislator receives one additional point for the session. Cumulative points are then divided by the total number of opportunities to vote on environmental bills either in committee or on the floor. This percentage is printed in the scorecard. Each legislator is assigned a grade on the basis of their total score.

Hundreds of bills that impact our environment are introduced in the legislature each year. Our scorecard reflects only key votes on policies relating to climate change, energy, environmental justice and equity. This scorecard is one tool to use to evaluate

your elected officials' performance on environmental issues. While we applaud recent improvements in transparency, some critical actions during the General Assembly session remain off the record, such as amendments changing the substance or impact of a bill, and bills that are left undocketed.

Note: Bills are assigned a name and number by state legislative staff as they are introduced. For clarity, we refer to bills in this publication by non-technical names. You can find official bill titles and supplemental information online in the state's database at lis.virginia.gov via bill number search.

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Key Bill Summaries

✘ Nomination of Andrew Wheeler for Secretary of Natural Resources

Sierra Club opposed the nomination of Wheeler, who has a long track record of espousing highly destructive environmental policies in his past roles, including as head of the EPA under former President Trump. The nomination was defeated along party lines. (Wheeler was subsequently hired as senior advisor to Governor Youngkin.)

✘ HB 558, SB 565: Biogas Incentives

Del. Israel O'Quinn, R-5
Sen. Scott Surovell, D-36

The bill adds provisions to the code related to biogas infrastructure projects, and specifies that eligible costs include (i) the investment in such projects, (ii) return on the investment, (iii) a revenue conversion factor, (iv) operating and maintenance expenses, (v) depreciation, (vi) property tax and other taxes or government fees, and (vii) carrying costs on the recovery of the infrastructure costs. The bill provides that the biogas investment plan submitted by a utility may include an option to receive or sell the biogas. The bill requires a utility with an approved biogas investment plan to annually file a report of investments made, infrastructure costs incurred and recovered, the volume of biogas delivered or sold to third parties, and an analysis of the price of biogas delivered and the market cost of biogas. The bill directs the Department of Environmental Quality to convene a stakeholder workgroup to determine the feasibility of setting a statewide methane reduction goal and plan. Recommendations shall be reported to the General Assembly by July 1, 2023.

SB565 passed the Senate 35-5 and the House 60-37. HB558 passed the House 59-41 and Senate 39-1.

✔ HB 701, SB 452: Optional Enhanced Building Code Standards

Sen. Jennifer Boysko, D-33
Del. Kaye Kory, D-38

These bills would have allowed localities to adopt International Green Construction Code standards instead of the weaker statewide building code. SB452 died on an 8-6 vote in Senate Local Government committee. HB701 was unanimously voted down in House General Laws subcommittee, 8-0.

✘ HB 892 / SB 398: Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative Fee Giveaway

Del. Terry Kilgore, R-1
Sen. Ryan McDougale, R-4

Establishes a reserve account for the purchase of Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative (RGGI) allowances by LS Power, continuing through December 31, 2025. LS Power would be able to purchase RGGI credits at a discount if its pre-existing contractual arrangement makes it unable to pass through or recover its RGGI costs. HB892 passed the House 51-48, was reported by Senate Agriculture 9-6 but died in Senate Finance on a 9-6 vote. SB398 reported out of Senate Ag 8-7 but died in Senate Finance 11-5.

✔ SB 342, HB 142: Transit Ridership Incentive Program

Sen. George Barker, D-39
Del. Delores McQuinn, D-70

Changes from a maximum of 25% to a minimum of 25% the percentage of Transit Ridership Incentive Program (TRIP) funds required to be used to support programs to reduce the impact of fares on low-income individuals. The bill also provides that the Commonwealth Transportation Board has the discretion to allocate remaining funds based on programs and initiatives submitted during the application process. HB142 passed the House 92-8 and the Senate 30-10. SB342 passed the Senate 40-0 and the House 80-19.

✔ HB 351 / SB 708: Drive Decarbonization Fund

Del. Rip Sullivan, D-48
Sen. Dave Marsden, D-37

Establishes the Driving Decarbonization Program and Fund to assist developers with non-utility costs associated with the installation of electric vehicle charging stations. A developer is eligible to receive grants of 50 to 70 percent of the non-utility costs, depending on where the charging station is located. The total amount of grants awarded in a year is capped at \$20 million, with at least \$5 million reserved for stations located in economically distressed communities. SB708 passed the Senate 26-14 and House Agriculture Committee 15-7 but was tabled in House Appropriations 12-10. HB351 was reported

from House Agriculture 16-5 but tabled in Appropriations 12-6.

✔ HB 471, SB 290: Solar-Ready Roofs

Del. Suhas Subramanyam, D-87
Sen. Barbara Favola, D-31

These bills require that new or renovated government building roofs must be solar-ready, and that any new schools built after January 2023 to be net-zero energy consumption standards. SB290 passed Senate 22-18 but failed in House General Laws Committee 12-10. HB471 was laid on the table in House General Laws subcommittee.

✔ HB 141 / SB 158: BIPOC Community Funding

Del. Delores McQuinn, D-70
Sen. Ghazala Hashmi, D-10

Establishes the Virginia Black, Indigenous, and People of Color Historic Preservation Fund to award grants to recognized Native American tribes, private nonprofit organizations, and localities for the costs of acquiring land or protective interest, and for preservation activities on land of cultural or historic significance to Black, indigenous, or people of color communities. SB158 passed Senate 30-10 and House 99-0, while HB141 passed both chambers unanimously.

✘ HB 1267: Withdrawal of Clean Cars Standards

Del. Tony Wilt, R-26

HB1267 would have required a withdrawal of Clean Cars standards, and delayed by five years Virginia's implementation of Clean Cars standards. This bill passed the House on party lines (52-48), but died in the Senate Agriculture Committee on a 8-7 vote.

✘ HB 118: Repeal Clean Economy Act

Del. Nick Freitas, R-30

HB118 would repeal the provisions of the Clean Economy Act. This bill passed the House on party lines (52-48) but was killed in Senate Commerce & Labor, 12-3.

Key Bill Summaries Continued

SB 657: Limiting Air and Water Board Authority

Sen. Richard Stuart, R-28

Bill removes from the State Water Control and Air Pollution Control Boards authority to approve or deny permits, and to issue standards, transferring these authorities to the Department of Environmental Quality. This bill passed Senate the 32-8 and House 51-47.

SB 575: Purchase of State Vehicles at Lowest Total Cost

Sen. Monty Mason, D-1

This bill requires the state to calculate total cost of ownership prior to purchasing or leasing new light-duty vehicles, requiring purchase of electric vehicles unless the calculator shows total cost is less for internal combustion model. SB575 passed the Senate and House unanimously. The governor has recommended amendments.

SJ 1: Constitutional amendment; qualifications of voters and the right to vote (second reference)

Sen. Mamie Locke, D-2

Provides that every person who meets the qualifications of voters set forth in the Constitution shall have the fundamental right to vote in the Commonwealth and that such right shall not be abridged by law.

Passed Senate but House subcommittee passed by indefinitely in a 6-4 vote.

HR 72: Pertaining to the voting requirement to discharge a committee from the consideration of a resolution.

Del. Marcus Simon, D-53

Would have changed the rules of the Virginia House of Delegates to allow for the majority of members to vote to move a resolution to the floor of the House from its committee for a vote. This rules change, if adopted, could have allowed for the House of Delegates to take a floor vote on adopting SJ1, and ensure the right to vote is not abridged for anyone. However, it failed to pass.

Other Important Bills

These bills were not scored, but Sierra Club supported them, and legislators who introduced them receive an “extra credit” point

HB 364: Climate Resilience part of Strategic Plans

Del. Rodney Willett, D-73

Requires regional planning commissions to include climate resilience as part of strategic plans. Failed in House Counties, Cities & Towns Subcommittee, 5-4.

HB 379: Access to Energy Benchmarking Data

Del. Rip Sullivan, D-48

Authorizes localities to adopt an ordinance requiring utilities to provide owners of large buildings with energy usage data aggregated across multiple accounts. Failed in House Commerce & Energy Subcommittee, 6-4.

HB 973: Campaign Finance Reform

Del. Marcus Simon, D-53

Prohibits candidates from using campaign funds for personal expenses. Failed in House Privileges & Elections Subcommittee, 5-3.

SB 160: Definition of Energy Efficiency Programs

Sen. Ghazala Hashmi, D-10

Clarifies that energy efficiency programs may include electrification (conversion from fossil fuel combustion). Bill continued to 2023.

SB 45: Campaign Finance Reform

Sen. Chap Petersen, D-34

Prohibits public utilities from contributing to political campaigns. Bill failed in Senate Privileges & Elections, 11-4.

SB 762: Right to Buy Renewable Energy

Sen. David Suetterlein, R-19

Allows retail utility customers to purchase 100% renewable energy from any licensed supplier. Bill failed in Senate Commerce & Labor, 14-1.

HB 1244: Assess EV Charging and Solar Accessibility in Virginia

Del. Don Scott, D-80

Directs the State Corporation Commission to evaluate by locality the availability and accessibility of electric vehicle (EV) charging infrastructure and rooftop solar energy collection device installation to residents of the Commonwealth. Continued to 2023 in House Commerce & Energy.

HB 602: Creates the Department of Flood Control

Del. Cliff Hayes, D-77

Creates the Commonwealth Flood Board as a policy board in the executive branch. The bill provides that the Board's duties shall include, among others, overseeing the development, implementation, and updating of the Commonwealth Flood Plan. The bill also creates the Department of Flood Control. Failed in Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources, 5-4.

SB 213: Fossil Fuel Divestment

Sen. Jeremy McPike, D-29

Requires the Virginia Retirement System and local retirement systems to divest from fossil fuel companies by January 1, 2027. Failed in Senate Finance and Appropriations, 16-0.



Scorecard

On the following pages, a means the legislator voted in alignment with the Sierra Club position and an means they voted opposed to the Sierra Club position.

Senate Scorecard

Senator	Party	District	Grade	Extra Credit	Total Votes	2022 Score	5 Year Avg.	SB565 (Biogas) Senate Final Passage	SB657 (Boards) Ag Committee Vote	SB290 (Solar roofs) Final Passage	SB575 (Fleet reform) Final Passage	HB118 (Repeal VCEA) CL Cmte Vote	HB1267 (Repeal Clean Cars) Ag Cmte Vote	SB398 (RGGI giveaway) Ag + Finance Cmte Votes	SB452 (Bldg Code) Local Govt Cmte Vote	SB342 (TRIP) Final Passage	SB45 (Utility campaign \$) P+E Cmte Vote	HB46 (Repeal voting reforms) P+E Cmte Vote	SJ1 Const. Amend. Right to Vote	Reject Andrew Wheeler SNHR	SB158 (BIPOC Land Pres.) Final Passage	SB708 (Driving Decarb Fund) Final Passage
Barker	D	39	A	✓	10	91%	86%	✗		✓	✓	✓		✓		✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
Bell	D	13	A		12	92%	95%	✗		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Boysko	D	33	B	✓	10	82%	92%	✗		✓	✓					✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Chase	R	11	F		8	25%	31%	✗		✗	✓					✓			✗	✗	✗	✗
Cosgrove	R	14	F		8	38%	32%	✗		✗	✓					✓			✗	✗	✗	✓
Deeds	D	25	A		12	100%	95%	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
DeSteph	R	8	F		9	33%	29%	✗		✗	✓				✗	✓			✗	✗	✗	✓
Dunnavant	R	12	F		9	44%	38%	✗		✗	✓				✗	✓			✓	✗	✓	✗
Ebbin	D	30	A	✓	12	92%	95%	✗		✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Edwards	D	21	A		10	90%	91%	✗		✓	✓	✓		✓		✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
Favola	D	31	A	✓	12	100%	92%	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
Hackworth	R	38	F		14	14%	14%	✗	✗	✗	✓		✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
Hanger	R	24	F		12	42%	45%	✗	✗	✗	✓		✗	✗	✗	✓			✓	✗	✓	✓
Hashmi	D	10	A	✓	12	100%	94%	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
Howell	D	32	B		12	83%	93%	✗		✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Kiggans	R	7	F		9	22%	12%	✗		✗	✓				✗	✓			✗	✗	✗	✗
Lewis	D	6	C		13	77%	82%	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
Locke	D	2	A	✓	9	90%	94%	✗		✓	✓			✓		✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
Lucas	D	18	A		10	90%	81%	✗		✓	✓	✓		✓		✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
Marsden	D	37	A	✓	12	92%	86%	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓			✓	✓	✓	✓

Senate Scorecard *Continued*

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Mason	D	1	C	✓	14	73%	84%	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗		✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
McClellan	D	9	A		13	92%	95%	✗	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
McDougle	R	4	F		10	30%	27%	✗		✗	✓					✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	
McPike	D	29	A	✓	9	90%	98%	✗		✓	✓				✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Morrissey	D	16	B		11	82%	84%	✗	✗	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Newman	R	23	F		10	20%	28%	✗		✗	✓	✗		✗		✓			✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
Norment	R	3	F		10	30%	39%	✗		✗	✓	✗		✗		✓			✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗
Obenshain	R	26	F		12	17%	19%	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗		✓			✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
Peake	R	22	F		10	20%	22%	✗		✗	✓					✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
Petersen	D	34	B	✓	11	83%	85%	✗	✗	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Pillion	R	40	F		8	25%	13%	✗		✗	✓					✓			✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
Reeves	R	17	F		11	18%	23%	✗		✗	✓				✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
Ruff	R	15	F		13	15%	30%	✗	✗	✗	✓		✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
Saslaw	D	35	A		10	90%	76%	✗		✓	✓	✓		✓		✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Spruill	D	5	A		12	92%	86%	✓		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Stanley	R	20	F		12	25%	25%	✗	✗	✗	✓		✗	✗	✗	✓			✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗
Stuart	R	28	F		11	27%	30%	✗	✗	✗	✓		✗	✗		✓			✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗
Suetterlein	R	19	F	✓	11	42%	29%	✓	✗	✗	✓		✗	✗		✓			✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗
Surovell	D	36	B		11	82%	88%	✗		✓	✓	✓				✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Vogel	R	27	F		11	55%	63%	✗		✓	✓			✗		✓	✗	✗	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓

House Scorecard

Delegate	Party	District	Grade	Extra Credit	Total Votes Overall	Overall 2022 Score	5 Year Avg.	HB558 (Biogas) Final Passage	SB657 (Cit. Boards) Final Passage	SB290 (Solar roofs) GI Cmte Vote	SB575 (Fleet reform) Final Passage	HB118 (Repeal VCEA) Final Passage	HB1267 (Repeal Clean Cars) Final Passage	HB892 (RGGI giveaway) Final Passage	HB701 (Bldg Codes) GL Subcomm Vote	HB142 (TRIP) Final Passage	HB351 (Driving Decarb Fund) Cmte Votes	HB141 (BIPOC Land Pres) Final Passage	HB71 (Utility \$) P+E Cmte Vote	HR72 (Rules change; Discharge SJI)
Adams, D	D	68	A		10	100%	99%	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Adams, L	R	16	F		9	33%	29%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Anderson	R	83	F		9	33%	33%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Austin	R	19	F		10	30%	39%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓	✗	✓		✗
Avoli	R	20	F		9	44%	21%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✓
Bagby	D	74	A		9	100%	94%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Ballard	R	12	F		9	33%	82%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Batten	R	96	F		9	22%	27%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✗		✓		✗
Bell, R. B.	R	58	F		9	33%	28%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Bennett-Parker	D	45	A		9	100%	100%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Bloxom	R	100	F		11	36%	38%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓	✓	✓	✗	✗
Bourne	D	71	A		9	100%	96%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Brewer	R	64	F		12	25%	25%	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✓		✗
Bulova	D	37	B		12	83%	93%	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓		✓
Byron	R	22	F		9	33%	21%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Campbell, J	R	6	F		10	30%	29%	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Campbell, R.	R	24	F		9	33%	25%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Carr	D	69	A		12	92%	96%	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓		✓
Cherry	R	66	F		9	33%	33%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Clark	D	79	A		9	100%	100%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Convirs-Fowler	D	21	A		8	100%	96%	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Cordoza	R	91	F		9	33%	33%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Coyner	R	62	F		11	27%	32%	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓		✓		✗
Davis	R	84	F		10	30%	43%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓	✗	✓		✗
Delaney	D	67	B		9	89%	94%	✗	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓

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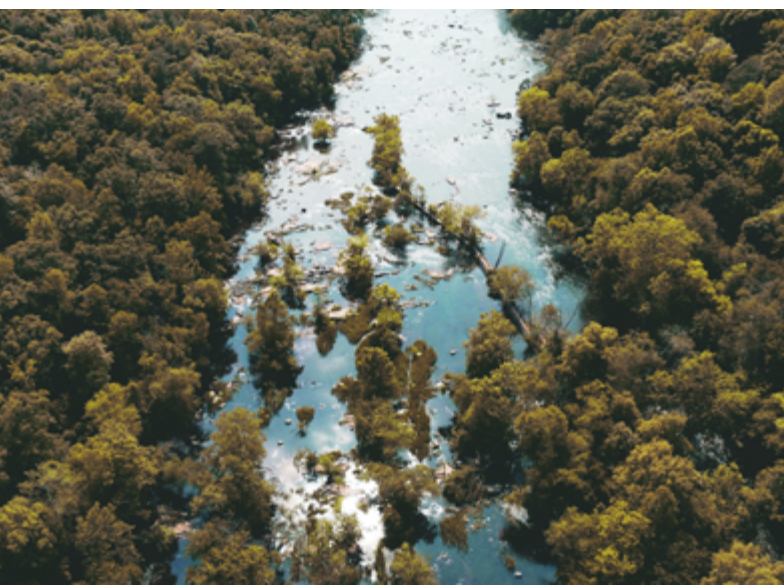
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Durant	R	28	F		9	33%	33%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Edmunds	R	60	F		10	40%	36%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓	✓	✓		✗
Fariss	R	59	F		10	40%	22%	✗	✓		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓	✗	✓		✗
Filler-Corn	D	41	A		10	100%	96%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
Fowler	R	55	F		12	33%	37%	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✓	✓		✗
Freitas	R	30	F		9	22%	27%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✗		✓		✗
Gilbert	R	15	F		9	33%	28%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Glass	D	89	A		9	100%	100%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Gooditis	D	10	A		10	100%	98%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
Greenhalgh	R	85	F		9	33%	33%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Guzman	D	31	A		9	100%	100%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Hayes	D	77	A	✓	10	90%	92%	✗	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Head	R	17	F		9	33%	29%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Helmer	D	40	A		10	100%	100%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
Herring	D	46	A		9	100%	96%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Hodges	R	98	F		10	30%	34%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓	✗	✓		✗
Hope	D	47	A		9	100%	98%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Hudson	D	57	A		9	100%	100%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Jenkins	D	76	A		10	100%	98%	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Keam	D	35	A		8	100%	97%	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Kilgore	R	1	F		9	33%	26%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Knight	R	81	F		11	27%	29%	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗		✓	✗	✓		✗
Kory	D	38	A	✓	10	100%	98%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Krizek	D	44	A		11	100%	96%	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
LaRock	R	33	F		9	22%	25%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✗		✓		✗

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Leftwich	R	78	F		10	30%	40%	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Lopez	D	49	A		10	100%	98%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
Maldonado	D	50	A		10	90%	90%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✗	✓
March	R	7	F		9	22%	22%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✗		✓		✗
Marshall	R	14	F		10	30%	26%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓	✗	✓		✗
McGuire	R	56	F		9	22%	30%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✗		✓		✗
McNamara	R	8	F		9	33%	33%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
McQuinn	D	70	A	✓	12	100%	94%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
Morefield	R	3	F		11	27%	28%	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗		✓	✗	✓		✗
Mullin	D	93	A		9	100%	98%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Mundon King	D	2	A		10	90%	91%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✗	✓
Murphy	D	34	B		11	82%	94%	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓		✓		✓
O'Quinn	R	5	F		10	30%	24%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓	✗	✗
Orrock	R	54	F		9	33%	37%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Plum	D	36	A		10	100%	96%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
Price	D	95	A		10	100%	96%	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Ransone	R	99	F		10	30%	24%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓	✗	✓		✗
Rasoul	D	11	A		9	100%	92%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Reid	D	32	A		10	90%	94%	✗	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
Robinson	R	27	F		11	27%	29%	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓		✓		✗
Roem	D	13	A		10	100%	100%	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Runion	R	25	F		9	33%	26%	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗			✓		✓		✗
Scott D	D	80	A	✓	10	90%	94%	✗	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Scott P	R	88	F		9	22%	22%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✗		✓		✗
Sewell	D	51	A		9	100%	100%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓

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Shin	D	86	A		9	100%	100%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Sickles	D	43	C		11	73%	87%	✗	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✗	✓	✗	✓
Simon	D	53	A	✓	10	100%	96%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Simonds	D	94	A		10	100%	100%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
Subramanyam	D	87	A	✓	10	100%	98%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Sullivan	D	48	A	✓	10	90%	94%	✗	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Tata	R	82	F		9	33%	33%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Taylor	R	63	F		10	30%	30%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓	✗	✗
Torian	D	52	A		11	91%	86%	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✗	✓		✓
Tran	D	42	A		10	100%	100%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
VanValkenburg	D	72	A		10	90%	94%	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Wachsmann	R	75	F		10	30%	30%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓	✗	✗
Walker, W.	R	23	F		10	30%	13%	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Wampler	R	4	F		12	25%	12%	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✓		✗
Ward	D	92	A		9	100%	94%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Ware	R	65	F	✓	11	45%	47%	✓	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓	✗	✓		✗
Watts	D	39	A		9	100%	96%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓
Webert	R	18	F		10	20%	38%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✗	✗	✓		✗
Wiley	R	29	F		9	33%	24%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓		✗
Willett	D	73	A	✓	11	100%	100%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
Williams W	R	9	F		10	30%	30%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓		✓	✗	✗
Williams-Graves	D	90	A		10	100%	93%	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		✓
Wilt	R	26	F		10	40%	34%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓	✓	✓		✗
Wright	R	61	F		11	18%	28%	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗		✗	✗	✓		✗
Wyatt	R	97	F		10	30%	16%	✗	✗		✓	✗	✗	✗		✓	✗	✓		✗



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