

2023 New South Wales election: Analysis of results

NSW elections

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Symbols

..	Nil or rounded to zero
*	Sitting member
+	Sitting member contesting other chamber
....	'Ghost' candidate, where a party contesting the previous election did not nominate for the current election
ATL	Above the line vote, Legislative Council ballot paper
BTL	Below the line vote, Legislative Council ballot paper

Party abbreviations

-	Unaffiliated candidates
AJP	Animal Justice Party
ALP	Australian Labor Party
#AOP	Australia One (unregistered party contesting the Legislative Council)
CDP	Christian Democratic Party (Fred Nile Group) (de-registered since 2019 election)
DEM	Australian Democrats (used only in historical tables)
DLP	Democratic Labor Party (used only in historical tables)
EFI	Elizabeth Farrelly Independents
#FFP	Family First (unregistered party contesting the Legislative Council)
GRN	The Greens
IMOP	Informed Medical Options Party
IND	Independents
LCN	Legalise Cannabis NSW
LDP	Liberal Democratic Party
LIB	Liberal Party
NAT	The Nationals
L/NP	Liberal-National Party Coalition (where the two parties have been accumulated together)
ONP	One Nation
OTH	Others
PEP	Public Education Party
SA	Socialist Alliance
SAP	Sustainable Australia Party
SBP	Small Business Party
#SEP	Socialist Equality Party (unregistered party contested election)
SFF	Shooters, Fishers and Farmers Party

(# – not registered parties)

Important dates

Legislative Assembly dissolved	Friday 3 March 2023
Issue of Writs	Monday 6 March 2023
Close of Rolls (for printing)	Monday 6 March 2023
Close of Nominations	Wednesday 8 March 2023
Polling Day	Saturday 25 March 2023
Date set for Return of Writ	Friday 5 May 2023 (Writ returned 3 May 2023)

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Introduction

This paper provides basic details and analysis of the results of the 2023 New South Wales election. It includes result summaries for all lower house electoral districts, comparisons with the 2019 election, and statistical analysis of results and swings across districts and regions. A summary of the 2021 redistribution is included along with by-elections since 2019. Overall first preference results for the Legislative Council are provided, along with a summary of the distribution of preferences.

Format for Legislative Assembly district results

First count

The vote shown for each candidate is the total of primary votes received. Percentage votes are calculated as a percentage of the formal vote. Change in vote share is calculated by subtracting the percentage vote received by a candidate or party at the last election from the percentage received at the current election. Results for the last election have been adjusted to take account of the redistribution. Where the parties contesting the district differ from the previous election, 'ghost' candidates (indicated by '...') have been included representing candidates not contesting the current election. All primary swings add to zero, subject to rounding errors.

Final count

Represents votes for the two final candidates after the distribution of preferences. The total number of votes that exhaust preferences before reaching one of the final two candidates is shown as 'Exhausted'. Two-candidate preferred percentages are calculated by dividing the two-candidate preferred vote for each candidate by the total of votes remaining in the count, that is the formal vote minus the exhausted vote. The exhausted percentage is calculated as a percentage of formal votes. Two-candidate preferred swings are shown compared to the final two candidates from the previous election. Where the party composition of the final two candidates differs from the previous election (e.g. Cessnock), ghost candidates are included and more than two swing figures are shown.

Two-party preferred

Represents a separate distribution of preferences between candidates of the Labor Party and the Liberal-National Coalition. These are included for districts where the formal distribution of preferences did not produce a two-party preferred finish.

Two-candidate versus two-party preferred results

Two-candidate preferred

To win an electorate, a candidate must receive more than 50% of the votes remaining in the count after the formal distribution of preferences. The distribution is performed by successively excluding candidates with the lowest primary vote and transferring ballot papers according to the next preferences on each ballot paper for a candidate remaining in the count. At the end of the count, the vote for the two final candidates is referred to as the 'two-candidate preferred vote'.

Two-party preferred

Most Australian elections finish as a contest between candidates representing the Labor Party and the Liberal-National Party Coalition. The final distribution of preferences between Labor and Coalition candidates is referred to as the 'two-party preferred count'. If the two-candidate preferred count is not also a two-party preferred count, an alternate distribution of preference is undertaken retaining Labor and Coalition candidates through the distribution.

At the 2023 election, there were 71 districts where the two-candidate preferred count was also a two-party preferred count. There were 22 districts where an alternate count was required. There were seven Liberal-Independent contests (Manly, North Shore, Pittwater, Vaucluse, Wakehurst, Willoughby, Wollondilly), five National-Independent contests (Barwon, Murray, Orange, Tamworth, Wagga Wagga), four Labor-Independent contests (Kiama, Lake Macquarie, Shellharbour, Sydney), three Labor-Green contests (Balmain, Newtown, Summer Hill), one National-Green (Ballina), one Labor-One Nation (Cessnock) and one Liberal-National race (Port Macquarie).

Since 2015 the NSW Electoral Commission has data entered all ballot papers and used the data to generate the formal distribution of preferences. The Commission's website also includes a preference distribution tool to calculate preference counts between any pairing of candidates. Two-party preferred totals in this publication have been derived from the Commission's on-line tool.

Two-party preferred analysis of the 2023 election is complicated by nearly a quarter of electorate not finishing as two-party contests. Tables of two-party and two-candidate preferred results, a new electoral pendulum and analysis of two-party preferred swing is provided following page 37. There is also analysis by vote type on page 49 and region totals on page 50.

Classification of holding parties

A redistribution, five by-elections and several changes of party membership complicate how seats have been classified by party in this publication. Notes on how seats have been classified are included in the redistribution summary beginning on page 72. Throughout the publication footnotes are used to highlight where retirement, by-elections, the redistribution and changes in party affiliation have complicated the analysis. There were no Country Labor candidates nominated at the 2023 election and 2019 votes for the party have been absorbed into Australian Labor Party totals.

Analysis of two-candidate preferred results and exhausted votes

Most tables in this publication calculate two-party and two-candidate preferred percentages as a percentage of the votes remaining in the count, that is excluding ballot papers that exhaust their preferences. To highlight the impact of exhausted preferences, tables beginning on page 46 analyse results based on calculating after preferences percentages dividing by the formal vote. The section sets out how many seats were won on first preferences (45), with an absolute majority after preferences (20), and how many were won with only a plurality of the vote, that is a simple rather than absolute majority (28). The section shows two-candidate preferred results for all seats as a percentage of formal votes, highlighting the importance of exhausted preferences.

Format for Legislative Council results

A summary of the Legislative Council election result is set out beginning on page 57. A summary table lists votes, percentage votes, change in vote and quotas by party. A second table provides a full listing of votes by candidate. The section includes a summary of above and below the line voting and an overview of the distribution of preferences. More detail on the Legislative Council results will be provided in a separate publication in the future.

By-elections

Five by-elections were conducted between 2019 and 2023. One resulted in a change of party status with Labor winning the Bega by-election in February 2022. The results of by-elections can be found on page 55. By-election results are not used in calculating swings for 2023 results but have been taken

into account in classifying holding party and margins for seats. Footnotes have been provided for 2023 results noting by-election results.

Acknowledgement and disclaimer

I would like to express my thanks to the staff of the NSW Electoral Commission (NSWEC) for their assistance. All results are based on vote details made available by the NSWEC, but responsibility for all calculations, errors and omissions is taken by the author. Note that due to rounding errors, some tables may not add to exactly 100%.

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Statistical highlights

- A total of 562 candidates contested the Legislative Assembly, six down from 568 in 2019. Both figures are well short of 661 candidates in 2003 and the record 732 candidates in 1999. The average number of candidates per contest was 6.0, there were 11 districts with only four candidates, while Murray and Northern Tablelands with 10 had the most candidates.
- The Australian Labor Party contested every seat where in 2019 the party had nominated 28 candidates as Country Labor. For the first time since 1999 there were competing Coalition candidates with 'three-cornered' contests in Port Macquarie and Wagga Wagga. The Greens contested all 93 seats. (See votes and candidates by party in the Legislative Assembly summary on page 9.)
- There were 290 candidates for the Legislative Council, the lowest since 284 candidates in 2003 when the current electoral system was first used. The record number of candidates remains 394 in 2015. There were 22 columns on the ballot paper including the ungrouped column, down from 25 in 2015. Only 15 groups had an 'above-the-line' (ATL) group voting square, six groups nominating fewer than 15 candidates and not being entitled to a group voting square. This was the highest number of groups without an ATL square since the divided ballot paper was first used in 1988.
- The state-wide two-party preferred vote was Labor 54.3%, Coalition 45.7%, a swing to Labor of 6.3 percentage points. There were 71 two-party preferred contests and another 22 contests where Labor or Coalition candidates were excluded. Exhausted ballot papers represented 11.4% of the formal vote or 13.7% based on two-party preferred counts. The swing to Labor was 7.2% in Sydney, 8.7% in the Hunter and Illawarra, but only 2.6% in rural and regional seats. (See two-party and two-candidate preferred analysis on page 37 and regional summaries on page 50.)
- Taking account of by-elections and redistributions, the Labor Party needed to gain nine seats on a uniform swing of 6.5% for majority government. Labor achieved a 6.3% swing and gained seven seats, falling two seats short of majority. Labor won only four of the first nine seats on the pre-election pendulum, failing to win the regional seats of Upper Hunter (NAT 0.5%), Goulburn (LIB 3.1%) and Tweed (NAT 5.0%), and the Sydney seats of Winston Hills (LIB 5.7%) and Holsworthy (LIB 6.0%). In a sign of the uneven swing, Labor gained three safer seats in Camden (LIB 7.3%), South Coast (LIB 10.6%) and Monaro (NAT 11.6%).
- Labor failed to achieve a majority with 54.3% of the state-wide two-party preferred vote but there were 51 seats that recorded Labor two-party preferred majorities. Three Labor two-party seats were won by Greens, three by Independents, Independents also won six underlying Coalition seats. (See two-party and two-candidate preferred analysis on page 37.)
- The Coalition won seven seats on margins under 2% compared to Labor two. The swing against the Coalition was larger with polling day votes (7.3%) than for pre-polls (6.1%) and for postal votes (3.7%). Around 10% of the electorate switched from voting on polling day to voting pre-poll. The abandonment of iVote saw a near tripling of postal voting. The different swings by vote type saw the Coalition two-party preferred percentage rise 1.4% in post-

election day counting compared to only 0.4% in 2019, helping the Liberal Party retain several marginal seats. (See analysis of party vote by type on page 49)

- The largest two-party swing to Labor was an astonishing 31.7% in Kiama, though this was an artificial swing. The Liberal first preference vote was only 12.0% and a high rate of exhausted preferences from re-elected Liberal turned Independent MLA Gareth Ward artificially boosted the swing to Labor. The largest effective swing to Labor was 18.1% in Kogarah, the seat of Labor Leader Chris Minns. Before the election he held the most marginal seat in the state on just 0.1%. Thirteen seats recorded two-party preferred swings to the Coalition, the largest of 9.0% was in Liverpool where long-serving Labor MLA Paul Lynch retired.
- Labor polled 37.0% of the first preference vote, up 3.7 percentage points. Labor had already gained Bega at a 2022 by-election and translated notional Labor majorities in Heathcote and Leppington into sitting Labor MLAs. Labor gained the metropolitan seats of Camden, East Hills, Parramatta, Penrith and Riverstone from the Liberal Party. On double digit swings, Labor also gained South Coast from the Liberal Party and Monaro from the Nationals.
- The Coalition's first preference vote in the Legislative Assembly was 35.7%, down 6.2 percentage points on 2019. The Coalition won 36 seats, Liberals 25 and Nationals 11, down 12 seats since 2019 or 10 taking account of by-elections and redistributions. The Liberal Party lost six seats and Nationals one as noted above. The Liberal Party lost three seats to Independents: Wakehurst, Wollondilly and Kiama to ex-Liberal MLA Gareth Ward. The switch of Port Macquarie MLA Leslie Williams from the Nationals to the Liberals was endorsed by the electorate.
- Based on the post-election pendulum, and assuming the 12 crossbench members are re-elected, Labor need a further uniform swing of 0.4% for majority government. The Coalition would need an 8.7% for majority government, but the large crossbench makes calculations of uniform swing relatively meaningless.
- Defections cost the Shooters Fishers and Farmers Party the three MLAs elected in 2019. The highest vote in the Legislative Assembly for the party was 14.2% in Dubbo where the party had polled higher in eight seats at the 2019 election. The loss of sitting members saw the party's vote fall from 23.2% to 7.9% in Western Rural seats, from 12.1% to 5.3% across regional and rural NSW.
- Green support in the Legislative Assembly was up a point to 9.7%. The party retained its three seats, including victory in Balmain as for the first time the party defended a seat where the sitting Greens member retired. The Greens returned to second place in Summer Hill, but the party's support slipped in Sydney's north with Independents polling strongly in many Liberal-held seats.
- Sixty-eight members of the Legislative Assembly were re-elected, seventeen retired, seven were defeated and one member moved to contest the Legislative Council. (Full details including breakdown by party are on page 69.)
- Forty-five districts were won on first preferences, 20 with an absolute majority of the formal votes after the distribution of preferences, and 28 with a simple majority or plurality due to exhausted preferences. Five of the plurality victories were won by candidates trailing on first

preferences. All five were seats lost by the Coalition, with Labor winning Monaro, Penrith and South Coast, while Independents were victorious in Wakehurst and Wollondilly. (For details see page 46)

- Compared to the outgoing Legislative Council, the Coalition lost two seats and Labor gained one seat. One Nation gained a seat after Mark Latham resigned his old seat to contest a new eight-year term. The Liberal Democrats and Legalise Cannabis elected their first members and Animal Justice lost a seat. Despite the party recording a higher share of the vote (2.19%) than when electing members in 2015 and 2019, the party failed to attract sufficient preferences in 2023. (See summary of Legislative Council results on page 57.)
- Compared to positions last filled in 2015, only eight MLCs were re-elected, 10 retired and three were defeated while there were 13 new MLCs including two members switching to new eight-year terms. After nearly 42 years in the Council, Reverend Fred Nile retired at the 2023 election, though his name did appear in an unwinnable position on the ballot paper. (See Legislative Council results on page 57 and changes in membership on page 69.)
- As a percentage of all votes, ATL votes with preferences increased from 15.3% in 2015 to 27.6% in 2019 and 36.8% in 2023. Single '1' ATL votes declined from 83.0% in 2015 to 69.7% in 2019 and 60.9% in 2023. These changes reflect voter experience with the new Senate voting system, in use at the last three Federal elections. (See Legislative Council summary page 57.)

Legislative Assembly election

Legislative Assembly: State-wide totals

Party	Candi dates	Seats Won	Change	Votes	% Votes	Swing
Labor Party	93	45	+9	1,738,081	36.97	+3.66
Liberal Party	75	25	-10	1,259,253	26.78	-5.21
The National	20	11	-2	403,962	8.59	-1.00
Total Coalition	95	36	-12	1,663,215	35.37	-6.21
The Greens	93	3	..	455,960	9.70	+0.13
Independent	64	9	+6	407,019	8.66	+3.90
Sustainable Australia	82	..	..	104,697	2.23	+0.69
One Nation	17	..	..	84,683	1.80	+0.70
Shooters and Fishers Party	20	..	-3	73,359	1.56	-1.90
Legalise Cannabis NSW	23	..	..	60,057	1.28	+1.28
Animal Justice Party	33	..	..	51,548	1.10	-0.42
Liberal Democratic Party	17	..	..	39,480	0.84	+0.61
Informed Medical Options	10	..	..	11,529	0.25	+0.25
Public Education Party	8	..	..	4,150	0.09	+0.09
(No affiliation)	3	..	..	3,440	0.07	+0.07
Small Business Party	1	..	..	2,025	0.04	-0.03
Socialist Alliance	2	..	..	1,464	0.03	..
#Socialist Equality	1	..	..	1,223	0.03	+0.03
Others	..	..	..	..	..	-2.84
Formal	562	93	..	4,701,930	96.72	+0.18
Informal				159,218	3.28	-0.18
Total Votes				4,861,148	88.04	-1.40
Enrolment				5,521,688		

Note: The 'Change' column above shows change of seats compared to the result of the 2019 election. Compared to the seat numbers noted in the redistribution summary on page 72, the change in seat numbers would be Labor (+7), Liberal (-9), National (-1) and Independents (+3).

Minor party votes

The percentage vote for minor parties in seats contested are: One Nation 9.7% (17 seats), Shooters, Fishers and Farmers 7.3% (20), Legalise Cannabis 5.2% (23), Liberal Democrats 4.6% (17), Animal Justice 3.1% (33), Sustainable Australia 2.5% (82), Informed Medical Options 2.3% (10) and Public Education Party 1.1% (8).

Seats changing party status (see notes on seats held on page 72)

Labor gain from Liberal (6)	Camden East Hills Parramatta Penrith Riverstone South Coast
Labor gain from National (1)	Monaro
Independent gains from Liberal (3)	Kiama (ex-Liberal elected as Independent) Wakehurst Wollondilly

Additional changes

Bega had been gained by Labor at a February 2022 by-election and was retained at the 2023 election. **Heathcote** was retained by Labor after becoming a notional Labor gain in the redistribution. **Port Macquarie** was retained by the Liberal Party after MLA Leslie Williams defected from the National Party. The three former SFF MLAs were re-elected as Independents in **Barwon, Murray** and **Orange**.

Legislative Assembly: Summary of first preference vote by district

Electoral District	First Preference Votes					Informal Votes	Total Votes	Roll	
	ALP	LIB/NAT	GRN	SFF	ONP				
Albury	11081	26368	4672	4009	..	3658	1795	51583	59834
Auburn	28167	9327	3237	..	..	6122	3286	50139	59152
Badgerys Creek	16766	26972	2751	..	4268	1321	2072	54150	60267
Ballina	10880	<u>14535</u>	16792	..	..	5532	1455	49194	58971
Balmain	18555	9566	20240	..	..	1636	820	50817	58785
Bankstown	27247	11379	2436	..	..	4826	3267	49155	59280
Barwon	6816	<u>11158</u>	881	2983	..	21999	1384	45221	53735
Bathurst	8442	<u>29873</u>	3595	3850	..	6639	1400	53799	59476
Bega	23294	<u>16268</u>	4322	3802	..	3998	1495	53179	59759
Blacktown	27128	11637	2521	..	..	7462	2123	50871	58584
Blue Mountains	28613	12640	6669	..	..	5134	1143	54199	59088
Cabramatta	21213	11604	2645	..	..	15867	3005	54334	61468
Camden	21945	19686	3136	..	7437	1868	2056	56128	61874
Campbelltown	25629	8104	2876	..	5498	5621	2358	50086	58129
Canterbury	28892	8341	4354	..	..	6696	2386	50669	58548
Castle Hill	15159	27085	4786	..	..	6397	1300	54727	60394
Cessnock ¹	25719	<u>5877</u>	3476	..	8059	9650	2231	55012	62098
Charlestown	30432	13178	6778	..	..	2593	1632	54613	60974
Clarence	10700	<u>24247</u>	3739	..	..	10247	1911	50844	57265
Coffs Harbour	10263	<u>25319</u>	2814	..	..	10833	1416	50645	57830
Coogee	22153	16121	7927	..	..	2803	930	49934	59486
Cootamundra	6566	<u>34470</u>	1198	4209	..	2405	1143	49991	56016
Cronulla	14468	28505	4585	..	3197	1857	1251	53863	58926
Davidson	10917	28865	6060	..	..	7477	1196	54515	59865
Drummoyne	20182	24526	5149	..	..	1782	1177	52816	58939
Dubbo	10859	<u>26907</u>	1761	7035	..	2982	1595	51139	57922
East Hills	22140	21996	3578	..	..	2679	2544	52937	59684
Epping	17599	25439	5489	..	..	3458	1279	53264	58728
Fairfield	24340	9675	2615	..	..	10968	3625	51223	60115
Gosford	24703	13881	4553	2071	..	3810	1524	50542	58134
Goulburn	18028	20737	3587	6891	..	1532	1553	52328	57607
Granville	27163	9766	2755	..	..	9003	3074	51761	62236
Hawkesbury	13532	23283	3977	..	5476	6911	2368	55547	61167
Heathcote	23301	18122	6571	1926	..	2803	1317	54040	58415
Heffron	22458	9597	8559	..	..	4557	1328	46499	56304
Holsworthy	19284	20449	2719	..	4165	2174	2182	50973	58054
Hornsby	13418	23451	7738	..	4298	5261	1308	55474	60291
Keira	28938	10924	7297	..	..	2867	1589	51615	57630
Kellyville	16571	29450	4235	..	..	2937	1273	54466	58999
Kiama	18010	6301	5833	..	..	22227	1678	54049	60174
Kogarah	30916	14380	3511	..	..	2186	2145	53138	59593
Lake Macquarie	10031	5091	2430	3203	..	29854	1386	51995	59020
Lane Cove	12469	23463	4331	..	..	11797	1026	53086	58580
Leppington	25499	17570	2536	..	3807	1254	2640	53306	60776
Lismore	21615	<u>13581</u>	6979	3347	..	3164	1312	49998	57384
Liverpool	22681	16409	3039	..	..	5936	3047	51112	60552
Londonderry	28079	15525	2611	..	4228	1282	2061	53786	61482
Macquarie Fields	28089	10682	2349	..	..	8074	2266	51460	59641
Maitland	26792	11745	3725	..	4404	4967	1890	53523	60409
Manly	6794	23764	4734	..	..	17533	1189	54014	61062
Maroubra	27076	13378	5835	..	..	3500	1516	51305	59449
Miranda	19781	24017	3842	..	..	5224	1601	54465	59774
Monaro	19401	<u>19890</u>	3924	3077	..	4564	1313	52169	59514
Mount DrUITT	29710	11470	4173	..	..	3393	2759	51505	62334
Murray	4124	<u>12974</u>	913	2369	..	29035	1631	51046	59138
Myall Lakes	9460	<u>24809</u>	2843	..	..	15574	1786	54472	61336

Legislative Assembly: Summary of first preference vote by district (cont)

Electoral District	First Preference Votes					Informal Votes	Total Votes	Roll	
	ALP	LIB/NAT	GRN	SFF	ONP				
Newcastle	25078	11348	9487	..	..	4823	1162	51898	59443
Newtown	15104	6365	26758	..	..	1275	769	50271	59588
North Shore	8239	21308	5305	..	..	13325	945	49122	56443
Northern Tablelands	5045	<u>35575</u>	2369	2239	..	4427	1039	50694	57880
Oatley	19851	22877	3101	..	..	4367	1625	51821	57351
Orange	4939	<u>11123</u>	2149	2752	..	29555	1377	51895	57960
Oxley	9899	<u>24987</u>	7420	..	..	10302	1880	54488	62816
Parramatta	22704	17152	4852	..	2464	1109	1519	49800	57995
Penrith	19262	19266	2643	..	4122	5051	2047	52391	59658
Pittwater	5039	22137	3386	..	..	18949	1139	50650	56181
Port Macquarie ³	10265	<u>34719</u>	3473	..	..	4873	1559	54889	61078
Port Stephens	27957	11883	2511	..	6720	3090	1511	53672	60278
Prospect	24519	17903	3610	..	..	3667	2375	52074	58840
Riverstone	24580	22167	3969	1816	..	3043	1793	57368	63427
Rockdale	24893	13942	5109	..	..	3127	2378	49449	56797
Ryde	21004	24383	5772	..	..	2681	1441	55281	61829
Shellharbour	26418	7006	3189	..	..	15782	2049	54444	60799
South Coast	17414	17806	8021	3996	..	4048	1797	53082	60624
Strathfield	26249	16775	4749	..	..	2845	1495	52113	58791
Summer Hill	25922	8340	12596	..	..	2900	1277	51035	57642
Swansea	27943	14590	4463	..	..	5171	2010	54177	60916
Sydney	10575	11219	5949	..	..	20997	900	49640	62489
Tamworth	6864	<u>27333</u>	1786	3705	..	13187	1374	54249	60747
Terrigal	19703	23507	4868	..	..	2392	1270	51740	58056
The Entrance	22153	17433	4206	..	..	5399	1688	50879	58657
Tweed	14425	<u>20494</u>	5517	..	..	6254	1777	48467	57646
Upper Hunter	15488	<u>19868</u>	3207	6302	..	8795	1871	55531	62282
Vaucluse	7336	24184	5632	..	..	11111	1055	49318	59352
Wagga Wagga ³	6729	<u>13793</u>	2764	3777	..	22247	1721	51031	57413
Wahroonga	12242	26727	7387	..	..	6603	1116	54075	59086
Wakehurst	7617	18940	4000	..	..	20777	1353	52687	58085
Wallsend	33127	6988	5545	..	3532	2616	1365	53173	60138
Willoughby	10577	23032	4190	..	..	15031	1014	53844	60285
Winston Hills	21030	25251	4669	..	..	2262	1813	55025	61457
Wollondilly	11505	17712	2616	..	6158	14378	1698	54067	59758
Wollongong	27723	10776	8216	..	..	2347	2011	51073	58845
Wyong ²	24575	9929	3795	..	6850	1897	1968	49014	56809
TOTAL	1738081	1663215	455960	73359	84683	686632	159218	4861148	5521688

Notes:

Underline indicates districts with a National Party candidate

¹ – Cessnock - National candidate disendorsed

² – Wyong - Liberal candidate disendorsed

³ – Port Macquarie and Wagga Wagga - contested by Liberal and National candidates

Separate Coalition party votes were:

Port Macquarie – Liberal 21044, National 13675

Wagga Wagga – National 7267, Liberal 6,526

Legislative Assembly: Summary of percentage vote by district

Electoral District	Percentage of First Preference Votes						Informal Votes	Turnout
	ALP	LIB	GRN	SFF	ONP	OTH		
Albury	22.3	53.0	9.4	8.1	..	7.3	3.5	86.2
Auburn	60.1	19.9	6.9	..	..	13.1	6.6	84.8
Badgerys Creek	32.2	51.8	5.3	..	8.2	2.5	3.8	89.9
Ballina	22.8	<u>30.4</u>	35.2	..	..	11.6	3.0	83.4
Balmain	37.1	19.1	40.5	..	..	3.3	1.6	86.4
Bankstown	59.4	24.8	5.3	..	..	10.5	6.6	82.9
Barwon	15.5	<u>25.5</u>	2.0	6.8	..	50.2	3.1	84.2
Bathurst	16.1	<u>57.0</u>	6.9	7.3	..	12.7	2.6	90.5
Bega	45.1	31.5	8.4	7.4	..	7.7	2.8	89.0
Blacktown	55.6	23.9	5.2	..	..	15.3	4.2	86.8
Blue Mountains	53.9	23.8	12.6	..	..	9.7	2.1	91.7
Cabramatta	41.3	22.6	5.2	..	..	30.9	5.5	88.4
Camden	40.6	36.4	5.8	..	13.8	3.5	3.7	90.7
Campbelltown	53.7	17.0	6.0	..	11.5	11.8	4.7	86.2
Canterbury	59.8	17.3	9.0	..	..	13.9	4.7	86.5
Castle Hill	28.4	50.7	9.0	..	..	12.0	2.4	90.6
Cessnock ¹	48.7	<u>11.1</u>	6.6	..	15.3	18.3	4.1	88.6
Charlestown	57.4	24.9	12.8	..	..	4.9	3.0	89.6
Clarence	21.9	<u>49.6</u>	7.6	..	..	20.9	3.8	88.8
Coffs Harbour	20.8	<u>51.4</u>	5.7	..	..	22.0	2.8	87.6
Coogee	45.2	32.9	16.2	..	..	5.7	1.9	83.9
Cootamundra	13.4	<u>70.6</u>	2.5	8.6	..	4.9	2.3	89.2
Cronulla	27.5	54.2	8.7	..	6.1	3.5	2.3	91.4
Davidson	20.5	54.1	11.4	..	..	14.0	2.2	91.1
Drummoyne	39.1	47.5	10.0	..	..	3.5	2.2	89.6
Dubbo	21.9	<u>54.3</u>	3.6	14.2	..	6.0	3.1	88.3
East Hills	43.9	43.6	7.1	..	..	5.3	4.8	88.7
Epping	33.9	48.9	10.6	..	..	6.7	2.4	90.7
Fairfield	51.1	20.3	5.5	..	..	23.0	7.1	85.2
Gosford	50.4	28.3	9.3	4.2	..	7.8	3.0	86.9
Goulburn	35.5	40.8	7.1	13.6	..	3.0	3.0	90.8
Granville	55.8	20.1	5.7	..	..	18.5	5.9	83.2
Hawkesbury	25.4	43.8	7.5	..	10.3	13.0	4.3	90.8
Heathcote	44.2	34.4	12.5	3.7	..	5.3	2.4	92.5
Heffron	49.7	21.2	18.9	..	..	10.1	2.9	82.6
Holsworthy	39.5	41.9	5.6	..	8.5	4.5	4.3	87.8
Hornsby	24.8	43.3	14.3	..	7.9	9.7	2.4	92.0
Keira	57.8	21.8	14.6	..	..	5.7	3.1	89.6
Kellyville	31.2	55.4	8.0	..	..	5.5	2.3	92.3
Kiama	34.4	12.0	11.1	..	..	42.4	3.1	89.8
Kogarah	60.6	28.2	6.9	..	..	4.3	4.0	89.2
Lake Macquarie	19.8	10.1	4.8	6.3	..	59.0	2.7	88.1
Lane Cove	24.0	45.1	8.3	..	..	22.7	1.9	90.6
Leppington	50.3	34.7	5.0	..	7.5	2.5	5.0	87.7
Lismore	44.4	<u>27.9</u>	14.3	6.9	..	6.5	2.6	87.1
Liverpool	47.2	34.1	6.3	..	..	12.3	6.0	84.4
Londonderry	54.3	30.0	5.0	..	8.2	2.5	3.8	87.5
Macquarie Fields	57.1	21.7	4.8	..	..	16.4	4.4	86.3
Maitland	51.9	22.7	7.2	..	8.5	9.6	3.5	88.6
Manly	12.9	45.0	9.0	..	..	33.2	2.2	88.5
Maroubra	54.4	26.9	11.7	..	..	7.0	3.0	86.3
Miranda	37.4	45.4	7.3	..	..	9.9	2.9	91.1
Monaro	38.1	<u>39.1</u>	7.7	6.1	..	9.0	2.5	87.7
Mount Druitt	60.9	23.5	8.6	..	..	7.0	5.4	82.6
Murray	8.3	<u>26.3</u>	1.8	4.8	..	58.8	3.2	86.3
Myall Lakes	18.0	<u>47.1</u>	5.4	..	..	29.6	3.3	88.8

Legislative Assembly: Summary of percentage vote by district (cont)

Electoral District	Percentage of First Preference Votes						Informal Votes	Turnout
	ALP	LIB	GRN	SFF	ONP	OTH		
Newcastle	49.4	22.4	18.7	..	..	9.5	2.2	87.3
Newtown	30.5	12.9	54.1	..	..	2.6	1.5	84.4
North Shore	17.1	44.2	11.0	..	..	27.7	1.9	87.0
Northern Tablelands	10.2	<u>71.6</u>	4.8	4.5	..	8.9	2.0	87.6
Oatley	39.5	45.6	6.2	..	..	8.7	3.1	90.4
Orange	9.8	<u>22.0</u>	4.3	5.4	..	58.5	2.7	89.5
Oxley	18.8	<u>47.5</u>	14.1	..	..	19.6	3.5	86.7
Parramatta	47.0	35.5	10.0	..	5.1	2.3	3.1	85.9
Penrith	38.3	38.3	5.2	..	8.2	10.0	3.9	87.8
Pittwater	10.2	44.7	6.8	..	..	38.3	2.2	90.2
Port Macquarie ³	19.2	<u>65.1</u>	6.5	..	..	9.1	2.8	89.9
Port Stephens	53.6	22.8	4.8	..	12.9	5.9	2.8	89.0
Prospect	49.3	36.0	7.3	..	..	7.4	4.6	88.5
Riverstone	44.2	39.9	7.1	3.3	..	5.5	3.1	90.4
Rockdale	52.9	29.6	10.9	..	..	6.6	4.8	87.1
Ryde	39.0	45.3	10.7	..	..	5.0	2.6	89.4
Shellharbour	50.4	13.4	6.1	..	..	30.1	3.8	89.5
South Coast	34.0	34.7	15.6	7.8	..	7.9	3.4	87.6
Strathfield	51.9	33.1	9.4	..	..	5.6	2.9	88.6
Summer Hill	52.1	16.8	25.3	..	..	5.8	2.5	88.5
Swansea	53.6	28.0	8.6	..	..	9.9	3.7	88.9
Sydney	21.7	23.0	12.2	..	..	43.1	1.8	79.4
Tamworth	13.0	<u>51.7</u>	3.4	7.0	..	24.9	2.5	89.3
Terrigal	39.0	46.6	9.6	..	..	4.7	2.5	89.1
The Entrance	45.0	35.4	8.6	..	..	11.0	3.3	86.7
Tweed	30.9	<u>43.9</u>	11.8	..	..	13.4	3.7	84.1
Upper Hunter	28.9	<u>37.0</u>	6.0	11.7	..	16.4	3.4	89.2
Vaucluse	15.2	50.1	11.7	..	..	23.0	2.1	83.1
Wagga Wagga ³	13.6	<u>28.0</u>	5.6	7.7	..	45.1	3.4	88.9
Wahroonga	23.1	50.5	13.9	..	..	12.5	2.1	91.5
Wakehurst	14.8	36.9	7.8	..	..	40.5	2.6	90.7
Wallsend	63.9	13.5	10.7	..	6.8	5.0	2.6	88.4
Willoughby	20.0	43.6	7.9	..	..	28.5	1.9	89.3
Winston Hills	39.5	47.5	8.8	..	..	4.3	3.3	89.5
Wollondilly	22.0	33.8	5.0	..	11.8	27.5	3.1	90.5
Wollongong	56.5	22.0	16.7	..	..	4.8	3.9	86.8
Wyong ²	52.2	21.1	8.1	..	14.6	4.0	4.0	86.3
TOTAL	37.0	35.4	9.7	1.6	1.8	14.6	3.3	88.0

Notes:

Underline indicates districts with a National Party candidate

¹ – Cessnock - National candidate disendorsed

² – Wyong - Liberal candidate disendorsed

³ – Port Macquarie and Wagga Wagga - contested by Liberal and National candidates

Separate Coalition party percentages were:

Port Macquarie – Liberal 39.5%, National 25.6%

Wagga Wagga – National 14.7%, Liberal 13.2%

Legislative Assembly district results

Albury		Roll 59834		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Davern	GRN	4672	9.4	-9.4
Fernando	AJP	1263	2.5	+2.5
Rowland	ALP	11081	22.3	-27.5
Hamilton	SAP	1171	2.4	-11.6
Clancy *	LIB	26368	53.0	-60.3
Sinclair	SFF	4009	8.1	+8.1
Robertson	LDP	1224	2.5	+2.5
....	OTH		0.0	-2.1
<i>Final Count</i>				
Rowland	ALP	14626	33.7	-0.5
Clancy *	LIB	28811	66.3	+0.5
Exhausted		6351	12.8	
Formal		49788	96.5	+1.3
Informal		1795	3.5	-1.3
Total / Turnout		51583	86.2	

Badgerys Creek		Roll 60267		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Davies *	LIB	26972	51.8	-2.3
Green	ONP	4268	8.2	+5.8
Best	GRN	2751	5.3	+0.4
Thain	ALP	16766	32.2	-2.2
Cooper	SAP	1321	2.5	-0.6
....	OTH		0.0	-1.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Davies *	LIB	28868	60.5	+0.7
Thain	ALP	18866	39.5	-0.7
Exhausted		4344	8.3	
Formal		52078	96.2	+0.2
Informal		2072	3.8	-0.2
Total / Turnout		54150	89.9	

Note: Tanya Davies was the sitting MLA for Mulgoa, re-named Badgerys Creek by the redistribution.

Auburn		Roll 59152		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Voltz *	ALP	28167	60.1	+6.0
Asgari	GRN	3237	6.9	..
Daoud	-	1733	3.7	+3.7
Morkos Douaihy	LDP	3162	6.7	+6.7
Goed	SAP	1227	2.6	+2.6
Zaman	LIB	9327	19.9	-11.3
....	OTH		0.0	-7.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Voltz *	ALP	30701	74.0	+10.2
Zaman	LIB	10793	26.0	-10.2
Exhausted		5359	11.4	
Formal		46853	93.4	-0.4
Informal		3286	6.6	+0.4
Total / Turnout		50139	84.8	

Ballina		Roll 58971		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Jenkins	SAP	1822	3.8	+1.6
Broadley	ALP	10880	22.8	-2.2
Loughrey	IND	3710	7.8	+7.8
Smith *	GRN	16792	35.2	+4.0
Booyens	NAT	14535	30.4	-7.0
....	OTH		0.0	-4.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Smith *	GRN	23897	57.7	+2.9
Booyens	NAT	17506	42.3	-2.9
Exhausted		6336	13.3	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Broadley	ALP	22445	56.2	+2.3
Booyens	NAT	17492	43.8	-2.3
Exhausted		7802	16.3	
Formal		47739	97.0	-0.3
Informal		1455	3.0	+0.3
Total / Turnout		49194	83.4	

Balmain		Roll 58785		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Bisgrove	SAP	1189	2.4	+0.8
Scott	ALP	18555	37.1	+8.3
Shetty	GRN	20240	40.5	-2.2
Stelzer	PEP	447	0.9	+0.9
Leach	LIB	9566	19.1	-0.9
....	OTH		0.0	-6.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Scott	ALP	20580	48.2	+8.2
Shetty	GRN	22118	51.8	-8.2
Exhausted		7299	14.6	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Scott	ALP	32752	74.5	+4.0
Leach	LIB	11208	25.5	-4.0
Exhausted		6037	12.1	
Formal		49997	98.4	-0.1
Informal		820	1.6	+0.1
Total / Turnout		50817	86.4	

Note: Greens MLA Jamie Parker retired.

Bankstown		Roll 59280		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Boddy	SEP	1223	2.7	+2.7
Nasedra	GRN	2436	5.3	+0.8
Alyateem	IMOP	1306	2.8	+2.8
Glinka	PEP	679	1.5	+1.5
Dib *	ALP	27247	59.4	-0.8
Taleb	LIB	11379	24.8	+0.8
Habib	SAP	725	1.6	+1.6
Abou-haidar	AJP	893	1.9	+0.7
....	OTH		0.0	-10.0
<i>Final Count</i>				
Dib *	ALP	29210	70.3	-0.1
Taleb	LIB	12322	29.7	+0.1
Exhausted		4356	9.5	
Formal		45888	93.4	-0.4
Informal		3267	6.6	+0.4
Total / Turnout		49155	82.9	

Note: The re-drawn Bankstown electorate included more voters from the abolished seat of Lakemba than the former seat of Bankstown. The seat was contested by Labor's MLA for Lakemba, Jihad Dib, while Bankstown MLA Tanya Mihailuk resigned from the Labor Party and unsuccessfully contested the Legislative Council as a One Nation candidate. After the election Mihailuk was appointed to the fill the balance of Mark Latham's vacant Council term.

Barwon		Roll 53735		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Roberts-Garnsey	ALP	6816	15.5	-5.4
Butler *	IND	19630	44.8	+44.8
Turner	NAT	11158	25.5	-4.9
Britton	SFF	2983	6.8	-26.2
McBride	PEP	318	0.7	+0.7
Howe	IND	460	1.0	+1.0
Schultz	GRN	881	2.0	-1.0
Hartley	LCN	1591	3.6	+3.6
....	SAP		0.0	-12.7
<i>Final Count</i>				
Butler *	IND	23868	66.0	+66.0
Turner	NAT	12299	34.0	-9.4
Britton	SFF	0	0.0	-56.6
Exhausted		7670	17.5	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Roberts-Garnsey	ALP	10316	39.2	-8.2
Turner	NAT	15971	60.8	+8.2
Exhausted		17550	40.0	
Formal		43837	96.9	+0.5
Informal		1384	3.1	-0.5
Total / Turnout		45221	84.2	

Note: MLA Roy Butler was elected as an SFF candidate in 2019 but resigned from the party in 2022 and re-contested as an Independent.

Bathurst		Roll 59476		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Sinclair	SFF	3850	7.3	-7.4
Nankervis	GRN	3595	6.9	+1.3
Wilson	LDP	1092	2.1	+2.1
Zbik	LCN	1472	2.8	+2.8
Begg	SAP	626	1.2	-1.4
Toole *	NAT	29873	57.0	+1.9
Ticehurst	IND	3449	6.6	+6.6
Shaw	ALP	8442	16.1	-4.4
....	OTH		0.0	-1.4
<i>Final Count</i>				
Toole *	NAT	32850	73.6	+5.7
Shaw	ALP	11801	26.4	-5.7
Exhausted		7748	14.8	
Formal		52399	97.4	+0.4
Informal		1400	2.6	-0.4
Total / Turnout		53799	90.5	

Bega		Roll 59759		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Abbott	SFF	3802	7.4	+0.9
White	LCN	2043	4.0	+4.0
Griff	GRN	4322	8.4	-1.4
Geiselhart	SAP	756	1.5	+1.5
Hawkins	IND	1199	2.3	+2.3
Fitzpatrick	LIB	16268	31.5	-17.4
Holland *	ALP	23294	45.1	+14.5
....	OTH		0.0	-4.3
<i>Final Count</i>				
Fitzpatrick	LIB	18248	39.6	-17.3
Holland *	ALP	27835	60.4	+17.3
Exhausted		5601	10.8	
Formal		51684	97.2	..
Informal		1495	2.8	..
Total / Turnout		53179	89.0	

Note: Labor MLA Michael Holland had gained Bega for Labor at a February 2022 by-election following the retirement of Liberal MLA Andrew Constance. See by-elections page 55.

Blacktown		Roll 58584		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Kerin	AJP	2357	4.8	+4.7
Foster	LCN	2524	5.2	+5.2
Murphy	SAP	1022	2.1	+2.1
Green	LIB	11637	23.9	-2.6
Hobbs	GRN	2521	5.2	-1.1
Mishalow	LDP	1559	3.2	+3.2
Bali *	ALP	27128	55.6	+0.9
....	ONP		0.0	-5.6
....	OTH		0.0	-6.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Green	LIB	13442	30.9	-2.5
Bali *	ALP	30091	69.1	+2.5
Exhausted		5215	10.7	
Formal		48748	95.8	-0.1
Informal		2123	4.2	+0.1
Total / Turnout		50871	86.8	

Blue Mountains		Roll 59088		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Doyle *	ALP	28613	53.9	+8.2
Keightley	AJP	2285	4.3	+0.4
Palmer	IMOP	1901	3.6	+3.6
Marschall	SAP	948	1.8	-1.1
Bruce	LIB	12640	23.8	-5.7
Condie	GRN	6669	12.6	+0.5
....	OTH		0.0	-5.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Doyle *	ALP	35536	71.9	+8.3
Bruce	LIB	13893	28.1	-8.3
Exhausted		3627	6.8	
Formal		53056	97.9	+0.3
Informal		1143	2.1	-0.3
Total / Turnout		54199	91.7	

Cabramatta		Roll 61468		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Smaling	LDP	5046	9.8	+9.8
Chia	GRN	2645	5.2	-0.1
Hoang	IND	8522	16.6	+16.6
Nguyen	LIB	11604	22.6	+1.6
Vo	ALP	21213	41.3	-7.2
Moussa	AJP	2299	4.5	+3.9
.... (Le)	IND		0.0	-19.4
....	OTH		0.0	-5.3
<i>Final Count</i>				
Nguyen	LIB	15117	38.2	+7.5
Vo	ALP	24460	61.8	-7.5
Exhausted		11752	22.9	
Formal		51329	94.5	-1.1
Informal		3005	5.5	+1.1
Total / Turnout		54334	88.4	

Note: Labor MLA Nick Lalich retired. Independent Dai Le finished second at the 2019 election but a Labor versus Le margin could not be calculated on the new boundaries.

Camden (ALP gain)		Roll 61874		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Bijok	SAP	1868	3.5	+2.2
Dollin	ONP	7437	13.8	+0.4
Rivera	GRN	3136	5.8	+1.7
Quinnell	ALP	21945	40.6	+11.2
Sidgreaves *	LIB	19686	36.4	-5.7
....	OTH		0.0	-9.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Quinnell	ALP	25060	53.0	+10.3
Sidgreaves *	LIB	22222	47.0	-10.3
Exhausted		6790	12.6	
Formal		54072	96.3	..
Informal		2056	3.7	..
Total / Turnout		56128	90.7	

Campbelltown		Roll 58129		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Sicari	LDP	2339	4.9	+4.8
Twaddell	AJP	1866	3.9	+0.1
Paudel	LIB	8104	17.0	-9.8
Rivera	GRN	2876	6.0	+0.9
Jones	SAP	867	1.8	-0.4
Warren *	ALP	25629	53.7	+1.9
Galiell	IND	549	1.2	+1.2
Zahra	ONP	5498	11.5	+10.9
....	OTH		0.0	-9.6
<i>Final Count</i>				
Paudel	LIB	10481	26.7	-7.3
Warren *	ALP	28764	73.3	+7.3
Exhausted		8483	17.8	
Formal		47728	95.3	+0.4
Informal		2358	4.7	-0.4
Total / Turnout		50086	86.2	

Canterbury		Roll 58548		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Cotsis *	ALP	28892	59.8	+6.2
Sinacori	SAP	1379	2.9	+2.9
King	AJP	1376	2.8	+2.6
Schott	GRN	4354	9.0	-2.2
Hadchiti	LDP	3941	8.2	+8.2
Boumansour	LIB	8341	17.3	-12.5
....	OTH		0.0	-5.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Cotsis *	ALP	32829	75.8	+10.5
Boumansour	LIB	10494	24.2	-10.5
Exhausted		4960	10.3	
Formal		48283	95.3	-0.1
Informal		2386	4.7	+0.1
Total / Turnout		50669	86.5	

Castle Hill		Roll 60394		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Trinh	LDP	3642	6.8	+6.8
Organ	IND	1352	2.5	+2.5
Cartwright	ALP	15159	28.4	+8.3
Claus	SAP	1403	2.6	-0.5
Kordrostami	GRN	4786	9.0	+0.5
Hodges	LIB	27085	50.7	-13.4
....	OTH		0.0	-4.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Cartwright	ALP	18760	39.1	+11.5
Hodges	LIB	29223	60.9	-11.5
Exhausted		5444	10.2	
Formal		53427	97.6	+0.1
Informal		1300	2.4	-0.1
Total / Turnout		54727	90.6	

Note: Liberal MLA Ray Williams contested the new seat of Kellyville, more electors from his former seat having been included in Kellyville rather than the re-drawn Castle Hill.

Cessnock		Roll 62098		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Fenwick	LCN	6294	11.9	+11.9
Barnham	NAT	5877	11.1	-12.8
Jones	SAP	1215	2.3	-2.9
King	ONP	8059	15.3	+15.3
Davies	AJP	2141	4.1	-3.9
Nairn	GRN	3476	6.6	-1.5
Barr *	ALP	25719	48.7	-6.1
<i>Final Count</i>				
Barnham	NAT	0	0.0	-30.3
King	ONP	10865	26.6	+26.6
Barr *	ALP	29964	73.4	+3.7
Exhausted		11952	22.6	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Barnham	NAT	9103	23.2	-7.1
Barr *	ALP	30154	76.8	+7.1
Exhausted		13524	25.6	
Formal		52781	95.9	+1.0
Informal		2231	4.1	-1.0
Total / Turnout		55012	88.6	

Note: Ash Barnham was disendorsed as National Party candidate after the close of nominations. He continued to appear on ballot papers as a Nationals candidate.

Charlestown		Roll 60974		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Harrison *	ALP	30432	57.4	+7.7
Antcliff	LIB	13178	24.9	-6.7
Rolfe	SAP	2593	4.9	+4.7
Watkinson	GRN	6778	12.8	+1.6
....	OTH		0.0	-7.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Harrison *	ALP	35300	71.1	+8.0
Antcliff	LIB	14358	28.9	-8.0
Exhausted		3323	6.3	
Formal		52981	97.0	+0.6
Informal		1632	3.0	-0.6
Total / Turnout		54613	89.6	

Clarence		Roll 57265		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Rayner	LCN	3708	7.6	+7.6
Clancy	GRN	3739	7.6	-0.3
Novak	IND	3433	7.0	+0.9
Williamson	NAT	24247	49.6	+3.0
Ankersmit	ALP	10700	21.9	+0.9
Duroux	-	725	1.5	+1.5
Levi	IND	1320	2.7	+2.7
Keller	SAP	1061	2.2	+0.6
....	SFF		0.0	-16.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Williamson	NAT	26475	64.3	-0.2
Ankersmit	ALP	14731	35.7	+0.2
Exhausted		7727	15.8	
Formal		48933	96.2	-0.5
Informal		1911	3.8	+0.5
Total / Turnout		50844	88.8	

Note: Nationals MLA Chris Gulaptis retired.

Coffs Harbour		Roll 57830		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Judge	ALP	10263	20.8	+3.2
Singh *	NAT	25319	51.4	+8.6
Cully	SAP	842	1.7	+1.7
Elliston	LCN	2917	5.9	+5.9
Townley	IND	5978	12.1	-5.3
Pearce	AJP	1096	2.2	-0.5
Nott	GRN	2814	5.7	-0.8
....	SFF		0.0	-7.2
....	OTH		0.0	-5.6
<i>Final Count</i>				
Judge	ALP	15958	36.8	+36.8
Singh *	NAT	27458	63.2	+2.9
Townley	IND	0	0.0	-39.7
Exhausted		5813	11.8	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Judge	ALP	15958	36.8	-2.5
Singh *	NAT	27458	63.2	+2.5
Exhausted		5813	11.8	
Formal		49229	97.2	+1.0
Informal		1416	2.8	-1.0
Total / Turnout		50645	87.6	

Note: Independent Sally Townley had finished second at the 2019 election.

Coogee		Roll 59486		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Murray	SAP	1058	2.2	+0.8
Von Muenster	LIB	16121	32.9	-7.5
O'Neill *	ALP	22153	45.2	+10.7
Mosquera	IMOP	924	1.9	+1.9
Pandolfini	GRN	7927	16.2	+1.2
Garrod	AJP	821	1.7	-0.2
....	OTH		0.0	-6.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Von Muenster	LIB	17221	37.7	-10.0
O'Neill *	ALP	28440	62.3	+10.0
Exhausted		3343	6.8	
Formal		49004	98.1	+0.1
Informal		930	1.9	-0.1
Total / Turnout		49934	83.9	

Cronulla		Roll 58926		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Constance	ALP	14468	27.5	+4.3
Dyson	GRN	4585	8.7	+1.3
Ibbotson	ONP	3197	6.1	+6.1
Giannakis	IMOP	845	1.6	+1.6
Moran	SAP	1012	1.9	-0.5
Speakman *	LIB	28505	54.2	-9.3
....	OTH		0.0	-3.4
<i>Final Count</i>				
Constance	ALP	17263	36.2	+5.8
Speakman *	LIB	30407	63.8	-5.8
Exhausted		4942	9.4	
Formal		52612	97.7	+0.2
Informal		1251	2.3	-0.2
Total / Turnout		53863	91.4	

Cootamundra		Roll 56016		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Young	IND	1113	2.3	+2.3
Cooke *	NAT	34470	70.6	+9.4
Dahlitz	ALP	6566	13.4	-2.3
O'Rourke	SAP	618	1.3	-0.1
Cullen	SFF	4209	8.6	-7.0
Fisher	IND	674	1.4	+1.4
Passlow	GRN	1198	2.5	-0.4
....	LIB		0.0	-1.9
....	OTH		0.0	-1.4
<i>Final Count</i>				
Cooke *	NAT	36446	82.1	+5.5
Dahlitz	ALP	7959	17.9	-5.5
Exhausted		4443	9.1	
Formal		48848	97.7	+0.4
Informal		1143	2.3	-0.4
Total / Turnout		49991	89.2	

Davidson		Roll 59865		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Cross	LIB	28865	54.1	-10.3
Kitson	IND	6080	11.4	+11.4
Atkinson	GRN	6060	11.4	-2.1
Wills	SAP	1397	2.6	-1.1
Edelstein	ALP	10917	20.5	+6.3
....	OTH		0.0	-4.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Cross	LIB	30821	63.9	-10.9
Edelstein	ALP	17393	36.1	+10.9
Exhausted		5105	9.6	
Formal		53319	97.8	-0.1
Informal		1196	2.2	+0.1
Total / Turnout		54515	91.1	

Note: Liberal MLA Jonathan O'Dea retired.

Drummoyne		Roll 58939		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Di Pasqua	LIB	24526	47.5	-10.0
Conaghan	SAP	1782	3.5	+3.5
Jago	GRN	5149	10.0	+0.6
Little	ALP	20182	39.1	+12.5
....	OTH		0.0	-6.5
<i>Final Count</i>				
Di Pasqua	LIB	25308	51.3	-12.3
Little	ALP	24023	48.7	+12.3
Exhausted		2308	4.5	
Formal		51639	97.8	+0.1
Informal		1177	2.2	-0.1
Total / Turnout		52816	89.6	

Note: Retiring MLA John Sidoti had been elected as a Liberal in 2019. He was excluded from the Liberal party room over corruption allegations and the ICAC later made findings against him. Sidoti did not contest the 2023 election.

Dubbo		Roll 57922		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Black	ALP	10859	21.9	+7.1
Richardson	SFF	7035	14.2	+0.5
Thomas	GRN	1761	3.6	-0.1
Saunders *	NAT	26907	54.3	+16.9
Littlejohn	LCN	2197	4.4	+4.4
Nugent	SAP	785	1.6	+1.6
.... (Dickerson)	IND		0.0	-28.3
....	OTH		0.0	-2.1
<i>Final Count</i>				
Black	ALP	13515	31.4	+31.4
Saunders *	NAT	29479	68.6	+16.5
.... (Dickerson)	IND		0.0	-47.9
Exhausted		6550	13.2	
<i>2-Party Preferred (est)</i>				
Black	ALP	13515	31.4	-0.5
Saunders *	NAT	29479	68.6	+0.5
Exhausted		6550	13.2	
Formal		49544	96.9	+0.7
Informal		1595	3.1	-0.7
Total / Turnout		51139	88.3	

East Hills (ALP gain)		Roll 59684		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Wilkinson	ALP	22140	43.9	+3.2
Brogan	IND	2679	5.3	+2.6
Lindsay *	LIB	21996	43.6	+2.1
Hanna	GRN	3578	7.1	+2.2
....	OTH		0.0	-10.1
<i>Final Count</i>				
Wilkinson	ALP	24677	51.7	+1.8
Lindsay *	LIB	23013	48.3	-1.8
Exhausted		2703	5.4	
Formal		50393	95.2	-0.1
Informal		2544	4.8	+0.1
Total / Turnout		52937	88.7	

Epping		Roll 58728		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Bradley	GRN	5489	10.6	+0.7
Mascarenhas	ALP	17599	33.9	+5.4
Waterson	IND	1322	2.5	+0.9
Molloy	SAP	1045	2.0	+1.1
Perrottet *	LIB	25439	48.9	-5.4
Terceiro	AJP	1091	2.1	+1.7
....	OTH		0.0	-4.4
<i>Final Count</i>				
Mascarenhas	ALP	22013	45.2	+6.5
Perrottet *	LIB	26648	54.8	-6.5
Exhausted		3324	6.4	
Formal		51985	97.6	+0.2
Informal		1279	2.4	-0.2
Total / Turnout		53264	90.7	

Fairfield		Roll 60115		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Lovero	IND	3219	6.8	+6.8
Odesch	IND	4891	10.3	+10.3
Saliba	ALP	24340	51.1	-5.8
Potkonyak	LCN	1841	3.9	+3.9
Ball	GRN	2615	5.5	-1.7
Pillai	LIB	9675	20.3	-6.6
Leggatt	PEP	1017	2.1	+2.1
....	OTH		0.0	-9.0
<i>Final Count</i>				
Saliba	ALP	27792	70.9	+4.1
Pillai	LIB	11414	29.1	-4.1
Exhausted		8392	17.6	
Formal		47598	92.9	-1.2
Informal		3625	7.1	+1.2
Total / Turnout		51223	85.2	

Note: Labor MLA Guy Zangari retired.

Gosford		Roll 58134		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Van Haren	GRN	4553	9.3	+0.2
Bocking	LIB	13881	28.3	-7.8
Tesch *	ALP	24703	50.4	+6.3
Soetens	SAP	806	1.6	-0.8
Bellamy	IND	1668	3.4	+3.4
McCallum	AJP	1336	2.7	-0.7
Freeman	SFF	2071	4.2	-0.5
<i>Final Count</i>				
Bocking	LIB	15364	34.6	-8.3
Tesch *	ALP	29023	65.4	+8.3
Exhausted		4631	9.4	
Formal		49018	97.0	+0.5
Informal		1524	3.0	-0.5
Total / Turnout		50542	86.9	

Goulburn		Roll 57607		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Pilbrow	ALP	18028	35.5	+5.2
Logan	SAP	1532	3.0	+3.0
Tuckerman *	LIB	20737	40.8	+2.1
Wood	SFF	6891	13.6	+4.3
Olsen	GRN	3587	7.1	-1.2
....	ONP		0.0	-9.3
....	OTH		0.0	-4.1
<i>Final Count</i>				
Pilbrow	ALP	22015	48.7	+1.8
Tuckerman *	LIB	23185	51.3	-1.8
Exhausted		5575	11.0	
Formal		50775	97.0	+0.1
Informal		1553	3.0	-0.1
Total / Turnout		52328	90.8	

Granville		Roll 62236		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Saad	IND	3907	8.0	+8.0
Castle	GRN	2755	5.7	+1.5
Finn *	ALP	27163	55.8	+4.3
Laxmanalal	AJP	1304	2.7	+1.6
Hadchiti	LDP	3792	7.8	+7.8
Masum	LIB	9766	20.1	-15.4
....	OTH		0.0	-7.7
<i>Final Count</i>				
Finn *	ALP	30413	71.5	+12.0
Masum	LIB	12123	28.5	-12.0
Exhausted		6151	12.6	
Formal		48687	94.1	-0.5
Informal		3074	5.9	+0.5
Total / Turnout		51761	83.2	

Hawkesbury		Roll 61167		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Popovski	ONP	5476	10.3	+10.3
Maguire	IND	2275	4.3	+4.3
Dogramaci	SBP	2025	3.8	+3.8
Kotlash	ALP	13532	25.4	+5.7
Wheeler	GRN	3977	7.5	+1.2
Carrey	SAP	1125	2.1	-0.4
Preston *	LIB	23283	43.8	-6.8
Pettitt	IND	1486	2.8	+2.8
....	SFF		0.0	-9.0
....	OTH		0.0	-11.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Kotlash	ALP	17460	40.2	+6.7
Preston *	LIB	26004	59.8	-6.7
Exhausted		9715	18.3	
Formal		53179	95.7	-0.4
Informal		2368	4.3	+0.4
Total / Turnout		55547	90.8	

Heathcote		Roll 58415		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Stuart	ALP	23301	44.2	+6.2
Evans *	LIB	18122	34.4	-8.0
Riach	GRN	6571	12.5	-0.2
Bragg	SAP	1369	2.6	+1.8
Ambrose	SFF	1926	3.7	+0.6
Perkett	AJP	1434	2.7	-0.2
....	OTH		0.0	-0.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Stuart	ALP	29050	59.9	+8.3
Evans *	LIB	19408	40.1	-8.3
Exhausted		4265	8.1	
Formal		52723	97.6	+0.2
Informal		1317	2.4	-0.2
Total / Turnout		54040	92.5	

Note: Heathcote was transformed into a notional Labor seat by the redistribution and is not listed as a Labor gain. Liberal MLA Lee Evans was defeated contesting the seat on its new boundaries.

Heffron		Roll 56304		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Evans	SA	878	1.9	+1.9
Paull	AJP	1252	2.8	-0.5
Devine	LIB	9597	21.2	-6.5
Kilham	IND	1538	3.4	+3.4
Veitch	GRN	8559	18.9	+1.1
Hoening *	ALP	22458	49.7	+7.4
Godfrey	SAP	889	2.0	+2.0
....	OTH		0.0	-8.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Devine	LIB	10847	26.7	-8.0
Hoening *	ALP	29757	73.3	+8.0
Exhausted		4567	10.1	
Formal		45171	97.1	-0.2
Informal		1328	2.9	+0.2
Total / Turnout		46499	82.6	

Holsworthy		Roll 58054		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Ayyad	LIB	20449	41.9	-5.2
Maroney	ALP	19284	39.5	+4.4
Swinbourn	IND	2174	4.5	+4.5
Kerle	GRN	2719	5.6	+0.9
Ingarfill	ONP	4165	8.5	+1.5
....	OTH		0.0	-6.1
<i>Final Count</i>				
Ayyad	LIB	22359	50.4	-5.6
Maroney	ALP	22028	49.6	+5.6
Exhausted		4404	9.0	
Formal		48791	95.7	..
Informal		2182	4.3	..
Total / Turnout		50973	87.8	

Note: Liberal MLA Melanie Gibbons was defeated for Liberal pre-selection and did not re-contest Holsworthy. Gibbons was a last minute choice as Liberal candidate for Kiama where she was defeated.

Hornsby		Roll 60291		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Grimshaw	LDP	2125	3.9	+3.9
Busch	ONP	4298	7.9	+4.5
Caswell	IND	1557	2.9	+2.9
Thomas	SAP	918	1.7	+0.5
Salitra	GRN	7738	14.3	+3.3
Kean *	LIB	23451	43.3	-11.6
Dignam	IND	661	1.2	+1.2
Hoile	ALP	13418	24.8	+4.0
....	OTH		0.0	-8.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Kean *	LIB	26506	58.0	-8.8
Hoile	ALP	19163	42.0	+8.8
Exhausted		8497	15.7	
Formal		54166	97.6	+0.1
Informal		1308	2.4	-0.1
Total / Turnout		55474	92.0	

Keira		Roll 57630		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Docker	GRN	7297	14.6	+1.7
Park *	ALP	28938	57.8	+4.3
Anthony	SAP	2867	5.7	+1.7
Shipp	LIB	10924	21.8	-5.7
....	OTH		0.0	-1.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Park *	ALP	34592	74.2	+6.0
Shipp	LIB	12059	25.8	-6.0
Exhausted		3375	6.7	
Formal		50026	96.9	+0.2
Informal		1589	3.1	-0.2
Total / Turnout		51615	89.6	

Kellyville		Roll 58999		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Ghayyem	GRN	4235	8.0	+1.2
Williams *	LIB	29450	55.4	-11.1
Karki	ALP	16571	31.2	+9.6
Akkari	AJP	1368	2.6	+1.6
Boyd	SAP	1569	2.9	-0.1
....	OTH		0.0	-1.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Williams *	LIB	30682	61.0	-12.1
Karki	ALP	19653	39.0	+12.1
Exhausted		2858	5.4	
Formal		53193	97.7	+0.1
Informal		1273	2.3	-0.1
Total / Turnout		54466	92.3	

Note: Kellyville was a new seat largely formed from Castle Hill but including smaller numbers from the abolished seat of Baulkham Hills. Kellyville was contested by Castle Hill MLA Ray Williams while Baulkham Hills MLA David Elliott retired.

Kiama (IND gain)		Roll 60174		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Gill	SAP	1911	3.6	+0.7
Gray	GRN	5833	11.1	-0.7
Gibbons *	LIB	6301	12.0	-41.6
Ward *	IND	20316	38.8	+38.8
McInerney	ALP	18010	34.4	+6.2
....	OTH		0.0	-3.4
<i>Final Count</i>				
Gibbons *	LIB	0	0.0	-62.0
Ward *	IND	23018	50.8	+50.8
McInerney	ALP	22329	49.2	+11.2
Exhausted		7024	13.4	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Gibbons *	LIB	10665	30.3	-31.7
McInerney	ALP	24564	69.7	+31.7
Exhausted		17142	32.7	
Formal		52371	96.9	+0.1
Informal		1678	3.1	-0.1
Total / Turnout		54049	89.8	

Note: Kiama MLA Gareth Ward was excluded from the Liberal party room while being investigated over sexual assault offences on which he was later charged. He re-contested Kiama as an Independent. After delays in naming a new Liberal candidate, Holsworthy MLA Melanie Gibbons was nominated. She had lost pre-selection for her former seat.

Kogarah		Roll 59593		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Minns *	ALP	30916	60.6	+19.7
Yuen	GRN	3511	6.9	+0.5
Stolz	IND	2186	4.3	+4.3
Chung	LIB	14380	28.2	-15.4
....	ONP		0.0	-5.9
....	OTH		0.0	-3.1
<i>Final Count</i>				
Minns *	ALP	33393	68.3	+18.1
Chung	LIB	15523	31.7	-18.1
Exhausted		2077	4.1	
Formal		50993	96.0	+0.3
Informal		2145	4.0	-0.3
Total / Turnout		53138	89.2	

Lane Cove		Roll 58580		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Davidson	IND	10608	20.4	+20.4
Roberts *	LIB	23463	45.1	-7.2
Pedersen	ALP	12469	24.0	+3.8
Armstrong	GRN	4331	8.3	-2.1
Wise	SAP	1189	2.3	+0.3
....	OTH		0.0	-15.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Roberts *	LIB	26245	55.5	-9.2
Pedersen	ALP	21047	44.5	+9.2
Exhausted		4768	9.2	
Formal		52060	98.1	+0.1
Informal		1026	1.9	-0.1
Total / Turnout		53086	90.6	

Lake Macquarie		Roll 59020		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Lesage	SFF	3203	6.3	+6.3
Piper *	IND	29093	57.5	+3.0
Gore-Escalante	SAP	761	1.5	..
Beer	LIB	5091	10.1	-5.5
Ryan	ALP	10031	19.8	-0.8
Grierson	GRN	2430	4.8	-0.1
....	AJP		0.0	-2.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Piper *	IND	32905	74.1	+0.9
Ryan	ALP	11492	25.9	-0.9
Exhausted		6212	12.3	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Beer	LIB	10069	37.2	-6.3
Ryan	ALP	16981	62.8	+6.3
Exhausted		23559	46.6	
Formal		50609	97.3	+0.8
Informal		1386	2.7	-0.8
Total / Turnout		51995	88.1	

Leppington		Roll 60776		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Fedeli	LIB	17570	34.7	-5.4
Sajn	SAP	1254	2.5	+1.6
Shukla	GRN	2536	5.0	+0.6
Tamhankar	ONP	3807	7.5	+4.2
Hagarty	ALP	25499	50.3	+8.7
....	OTH		0.0	-9.6
<i>Final Count</i>				
Fedeli	LIB	19300	41.1	-7.4
Hagarty	ALP	27625	58.9	+7.4
Exhausted		3741	7.4	
Formal		50666	95.0	-0.1
Informal		2640	5.0	+0.1
Total / Turnout		53306	87.7	

Note: Leppington was an entirely new and notionally Labor seat with no sitting MLA.

Lismore		Roll 57384		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Bertalli	SFF	3347	6.9	+6.9
Saffin *	ALP	21615	44.4	+19.0
McKenzie	IND	791	1.6	+1.6
Crosthwaite	IND	511	1.0	+1.0
Rosayro	AJP	1196	2.5	..
Honniball	SAP	666	1.4	-0.2
Guise	GRN	6979	14.3	-10.8
Rubin	NAT	13581	27.9	-11.2
....	OTH		0.0	-6.3
<i>Final Count</i>				
Saffin *	ALP	28163	65.0	+13.0
Rubin	NAT	15172	35.0	-13.0
Exhausted		5351	11.0	
Formal		48686	97.4	+0.4
Informal		1312	2.6	-0.4
Total / Turnout		49998	87.1	

Liverpool		Roll 60552		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Kaliyanda	ALP	22681	47.2	-7.9
Ammoun	LIB	16409	34.1	+7.8
Croft	GRN	3039	6.3	+0.9
Hancock	AJP	1446	3.0	+3.0
Harris	-	982	2.0	+2.0
Andjelkovic	IND	3508	7.3	+2.6
....	OTH		0.0	-8.4
<i>Final Count</i>				
Kaliyanda	ALP	24913	58.3	-9.0
Ammoun	LIB	17783	41.7	+9.0
Exhausted		5369	11.2	
Formal		48065	94.0	-0.8
Informal		3047	6.0	+0.8
Total / Turnout		51112	84.4	

Note: Labor MLA Paul Lynch retired.

Londonderry		Roll 61482		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Car *	ALP	28079	54.3	+8.0
Talakola	LIB	15525	30.0	-11.4
Maurice	GRN	2611	5.0	+0.4
Tester	ONP	4228	8.2	+7.9
Bowen	SAP	1282	2.5	-1.3
....	OTH		0.0	-3.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Car *	ALP	30145	63.7	+10.7
Talakola	LIB	17164	36.3	-10.7
Exhausted		4416	8.5	
Formal		51725	96.2	+0.8
Informal		2061	3.8	-0.8
Total / Turnout		53786	87.5	

Macquarie Fields		Roll 59641		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Wilson	AJP	2346	4.8	+4.5
Clark	SAP	1606	3.3	+3.3
Noiosi	LDP	4122	8.4	+8.3
Chowdhury	LIB	10682	21.7	-6.8
Lee	GRN	2349	4.8	+0.6
Chanthivong *	ALP	28089	57.1	+3.7
....	OTH		0.0	-13.5
<i>Final Count</i>				
Chowdhury	LIB	13141	30.1	-5.0
Chanthivong *	ALP	30468	69.9	+5.0
Exhausted		5585	11.4	
Formal		49194	95.6	+0.2
Informal		2266	4.4	-0.2
Total / Turnout		51460	86.3	

Maitland		Roll 60409		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Knox	GRN	3725	7.2	+1.1
Cooper	LIB	11745	22.7	-2.6
Turner	ONP	4404	8.5	-2.7
Ferguson	SAP	861	1.7	+0.1
Lee	IND	1200	2.3	+2.3
Dryden	LCN	2906	5.6	+5.6
Aitchison *	ALP	26792	51.9	+6.6
....	OTH		0.0	-10.5
<i>Final Count</i>				
Cooper	LIB	14012	31.4	-3.9
Aitchison *	ALP	30647	68.6	+3.9
Exhausted		6974	13.5	
Formal		51633	96.5	+0.5
Informal		1890	3.5	-0.5
Total / Turnout		53523	88.6	

Maroubra		Roll 59449		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Aguilar	IMOP	1554	3.1	+3.1
Chapple	GRN	5835	11.7	+4.4
Isenheim	SAP	850	1.7	-0.2
Daley *	ALP	27076	54.4	+12.5
Williamson	AJP	1096	2.2	+2.2
Burst	LIB	13378	26.9	-5.1
.... (D'Souza)	IND		0.0	-13.2
....	OTH		0.0	-3.7
<i>Final Count</i>				
Daley *	ALP	31677	68.7	+10.4
Burst	LIB	14427	31.3	-10.4
Exhausted		3685	7.4	
Formal		49789	97.0	-0.2
Informal		1516	3.0	+0.2
Total / Turnout		51305	86.3	

Manly		Roll 61062		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Altman	IND	1395	2.6	+2.6
Hackman	IND	14365	27.2	+27.2
Le Roux	GRN	4734	9.0	-9.4
Paletto	SAP	711	1.3	-1.7
Mason	AJP	1062	2.0	-0.4
Thatcher	ALP	6794	12.9	-5.4
Griffin *	LIB	23764	45.0	-7.6
....	OTH		0.0	-5.3
<i>Final Count</i>				
Hackman	IND	21027	45.2	+45.2
Le Roux	GRN	0	0.0	-36.9
Griffin *	LIB	25541	54.8	-8.2
Exhausted		6257	11.8	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Thatcher	ALP	16592	37.5	+2.1
Griffin *	LIB	27679	62.5	-2.1
Exhausted		8554	16.2	
Formal		52825	97.8	+0.1
Informal		1189	2.2	-0.1
Total / Turnout		54014	88.5	

Miranda		Roll 59774		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Hughes	SAP	2512	4.8	+2.8
Petinos *	LIB	24017	45.4	-8.8
Moore	GRN	3842	7.3	+0.5
Earle	ALP	19781	37.4	+10.2
Cameron	IND	2712	5.1	+5.1
....	ONP		0.0	-6.4
....	OTH		0.0	-3.5
<i>Final Count</i>				
Petinos *	LIB	25503	52.3	-12.1
Earle	ALP	23214	47.7	+12.1
Exhausted		4147	7.8	
Formal		52864	97.1	-0.3
Informal		1601	2.9	+0.3
Total / Turnout		54465	91.1	

Note: Independent Gaye Cameron had been the One Nation candidate in 2019.

Monaro (ALP gain) Roll 59514

Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Whan	ALP	19401	38.1	+11.0
Thaler	IND	1855	3.6	+1.2
Pryor	SFF	3077	6.1	-1.7
Holgate	SAP	987	1.9	+1.9
Goldie	GRN	3924	7.7	-0.2
Tanson	LCN	1722	3.4	+3.4
Overall *	NAT	19890	39.1	-13.2
....	AJP		0.0	-2.3
<i>Final Count</i>				
Whan	ALP	23757	52.3	+13.9
Overall *	NAT	21676	47.7	-13.9
Exhausted		5423	10.7	
Formal		50856	97.5	+0.1
Informal		1313	2.5	-0.1
Total / Turnout		52169	87.7	

Note: National MLA Nichole Overall had been elected at a February 2022 by-election following the resignation of John Barilaro. (See by-elections page 55). Labor's Steve Whan had previously represented Monaro 2003-2011 and served in the Legislative Council 2011-2015.

Mount Druitt Roll 62334

Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Sunil Jayadevan	LIB	11470	23.5	-2.6
Dudas	AJP	3393	7.0	+7.0
Atalla *	ALP	29710	60.9	+2.0
Morshed	GRN	4173	8.6	+1.9
....	OTH		0.0	-8.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Sunil Jayadevan	LIB	12435	27.6	-3.8
Atalla *	ALP	32606	72.4	+3.8
Exhausted		3705	7.6	
Formal		48746	94.6	-0.3
Informal		2759	5.4	+0.3
Total / Turnout		51505	82.6	

Murray Roll 59138

Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Carle	LCN	1840	3.7	+3.7
Buljubasic	ALP	4124	8.3	-0.7
Florance	SAP	404	0.8	-0.3
Betts	NAT	12974	26.3	-8.4
Farrell	PEP	446	0.9	+0.9
Gregory	SFF	2369	4.8	-33.3
King	GRN	913	1.8	-0.8
Dalton *	IND	24824	50.2	+50.2
Adamson	IND	314	0.6	+0.6
Landini	IND	1207	2.4	+0.4
....	LIB		0.0	-1.1
....	ONP		0.0	-8.2
....	OTH		0.0	-3.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Betts	NAT	14035	34.0	-13.2
Gregory	SFF	0	0.0	-52.8
Dalton *	IND	27260	66.0	+66.0
Exhausted		8120	16.4	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Buljubasic	ALP	6570	27.9	+2.7
Betts	NAT	17003	72.1	-2.7
Exhausted		25842	52.3	
Formal		49415	96.8	+0.7
Informal		1631	3.2	-0.7
Total / Turnout		51046	86.3	

Note: MLA Helen Dalton had been elected as an SFF candidate in 2019. She resigned from the party in early 2022 and was re-elected as an Independent.

Myall Lakes Roll 61336

Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Manley	LCN	4747	9.0	+9.0
Spence	GRN	2843	5.4	-0.2
Vanstone	ALP	9460	18.0	-11.2
Bendall	IND	9567	18.2	+18.2
Thompson	NAT	24809	47.1	-1.5
McDonald-Pritchard	SAP	1260	2.4	+0.7
....	SFF		0.0	-6.9
....	IND		0.0	-8.1
<i>Final Count</i>				
Vanstone	ALP	14731	34.2	-6.5
Thompson	NAT	28362	65.8	+6.5
Exhausted		9593	18.2	
Formal		52686	96.7	+0.1
Informal		1786	3.3	-0.1
Total / Turnout		54472	88.8	

Note: National MLA Stephen Bromhead announced his retirement before the election and died shortly before the election.

Newcastle		Roll 59443		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Mackenzie	GRN	9487	18.7	+2.0
Triebsees	LIB	11348	22.4	-4.1
Leka	SA	586	1.2	-0.6
Claydon	LCN	3042	6.0	+6.0
Crakanthorp *	ALP	25078	49.4	+3.6
Taylor	SAP	1195	2.4	..
....	OTH		0.0	-6.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Triebsees	LIB	12620	27.4	-5.1
Crakanthorp *	ALP	33422	72.6	+5.1
Exhausted		4694	9.3	
Formal		50736	97.8	+1.0
Informal		1162	2.2	-1.0
Total / Turnout		51898	87.3	

Newtown		Roll 59588		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Leong *	GRN	26758	54.1	+9.9
Hetherington	ALP	15104	30.5	+1.9
Thomas	SAP	1275	2.6	+0.8
Douskou	LIB	6365	12.9	-1.7
....	OTH		0.0	-10.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Leong *	GRN	28015	62.1	+0.7
Hetherington	ALP	17094	37.9	-0.7
Exhausted		4393	8.9	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Hetherington	ALP	35145	82.3	+4.0
Douskou	LIB	7553	17.7	-4.0
Exhausted		6804	13.7	
Formal		49502	98.5	+0.6
Informal		769	1.5	-0.6
Total / Turnout		50271	84.4	

North Shore		Roll 56443		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Antares	IMOP	790	1.6	+1.6
Conway	IND	10527	21.9	+21.9
Santer	ALP	8239	17.1	+4.8
Commins	SAP	901	1.9	+0.5
Mullan	GRN	5305	11.0	-0.3
Wilson *	LIB	21308	44.2	-2.4
Walker	IND	1107	2.3	+2.3
.... (Corrigan)	IND		0.0	-19.6
....	OTH		0.0	-8.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Conway	IND	18329	44.3	+44.3
Wilson *	LIB	23040	55.7	-5.4
.... (Corrigan)	IND		0.0	-38.9
Exhausted		6808	14.1	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Santer	ALP	17371	41.8	+9.6
Wilson *	LIB	24208	58.2	-9.6
Exhausted		6598	13.7	
Formal		48177	98.1	-0.4
Informal		945	1.9	+0.4
Total / Turnout		49122	87.0	

Note: The Liberal victory in 2019 had been against Independent Carolyn Corrigan.

Northern Tablelands		Roll 57880		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Crowe	SAP	595	1.2	+1.2
O'Loghlin	LCN	1148	2.3	+2.3
Wood	IND	980	2.0	+2.0
Marshall *	NAT	35575	71.6	-1.8
Hampton	PEP	425	0.9	+0.9
Langenberg	ALP	5045	10.2	-0.8
Ledger	IND	496	1.0	+1.0
O'Hara	GRN	2369	4.8	-0.8
Hammond	LDP	783	1.6	+1.6
Hay	SFF	2239	4.5	-5.1
....	AJP		0.0	-0.4
<i>Final Count</i>				
Marshall *	NAT	37654	83.8	+0.7
Langenberg	ALP	7255	16.2	-0.7
Exhausted		4746	9.6	
Formal		49655	98.0	-0.1
Informal		1039	2.0	+0.1
Total / Turnout		50694	87.6	

Oatley		Roll 57351		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Hunt	SAP	1690	3.4	+3.4
Mort	IND	2677	5.3	+5.3
Ambihaipahar	ALP	19851	39.5	+3.8
Coure *	LIB	22877	45.6	-5.3
Vandijk	GRN	3101	6.2	-0.3
....	OTH		0.0	-6.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Ambihaipahar	ALP	23205	49.2	+6.0
Coure *	LIB	23959	50.8	-6.0
Exhausted		3032	6.0	
Formal		50196	96.9	+0.2
Informal		1625	3.1	-0.2
Total / Turnout		51821	90.4	

Orange		Roll 57960		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Bate	SAP	785	1.6	+1.6
Bramley	PEP	354	0.7	+0.7
Holt	LCN	1601	3.2	+3.2
Donato *	IND	26815	53.1	+53.1
Mallard	GRN	2149	4.3	-0.9
Kelly	SFF	2752	5.4	-43.7
Dunn	ALP	4939	9.8	-0.4
Mileto	NAT	11123	22.0	-3.8
....	OTH		0.0	-9.6
<i>Final Count</i>				
Donato *	IND	31212	71.9	+71.9
Kelly	SFF	0	0.0	-65.2
Mileto	NAT	12225	28.1	-6.7
Exhausted		7081	14.0	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Dunn	ALP	10165	37.2	+2.3
Mileto	NAT	17138	62.8	-2.3
Exhausted		23215	46.0	
Formal		50518	97.3	+0.8
Informal		1377	2.7	-0.8
Total / Turnout		51895	89.5	

Note: Philip Donato had been elected as an SFF candidate at a 2016 by-election and re-elected for the party in 2019. He resigned from the SFF in 2022 and re-contested as an Independent.

Oxley		Roll 62816		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
King	GRN	7420	14.1	+1.6
Drain	SAP	1400	2.7	-1.0
Mathew	LCN	4708	8.9	+8.9
Vigors	ALP	9899	18.8	-1.5
Fairhall	IND	2878	5.5	+5.5
Irwin	IND	1316	2.5	+2.5
Kemp	NAT	24987	47.5	-4.9
....	SFF		0.0	-11.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Vigors	ALP	16047	37.2	+2.6
Kemp	NAT	27132	62.8	-2.6
Exhausted		9429	17.9	
Formal		52608	96.5	+0.1
Informal		1880	3.5	-0.1
Total / Turnout		54488	86.7	

Note: Nationals MLA Melinda Pavey retired.

Parramatta (ALP gain)		Roll 57995		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Davis	ALP	22704	47.0	+13.0
Hammond	GRN	4852	10.0	+2.1
Mullens	LIB	17152	35.5	-14.5
Singh	ONP	2464	5.1	+5.1
Moll	SAP	1109	2.3	+1.2
....	OTH		0.0	-6.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Davis	ALP	26355	58.6	+15.0
Mullens	LIB	18655	41.4	-15.0
Exhausted		3271	6.8	
Formal		48281	96.9	+0.2
Informal		1519	3.1	-0.2
Total / Turnout		49800	85.9	

Note: Liberal MLA Geoff Lee retired.

Penrith (ALP gain)			Roll 59658	
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Blazi	AJP	1840	3.7	+2.0
Pateman	LCN	2467	4.9	+4.9
Toussi	GRN	2643	5.2	+0.6
Ayres *	LIB	19266	38.3	-1.4
Brown	SAP	744	1.5	-0.2
McKeown	ALP	19262	38.3	+1.4
McWilliams	ONP	4122	8.2	+1.4
....	OTH		0.0	-8.7
<i>Final Count</i>				
Ayres *	LIB	21226	48.4	-2.2
McKeown	ALP	22661	51.6	+2.2
Exhausted		6457	12.8	
Formal		50344	96.1	..
Informal		2047	3.9	..
Total / Turnout		52391	87.8	

Pittwater			Roll 56181	
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Amon	LIB	22137	44.7	-12.6
Scrubby	IND	17754	35.9	+35.9
Green	GRN	3386	6.8	-8.5
Law	SAP	1195	2.4	-1.3
Quinn	ALP	5039	10.2	-2.4
....	OTH		0.0	-11.1
<i>Final Count</i>				
Amon	LIB	23365	50.7	-20.2
Scrubby	IND	22759	49.3	+49.3
Green	GRN	0	0.0	-29.2
Exhausted		3387	6.8	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Amon	LIB	26796	63.3	-9.1
Quinn	ALP	15567	36.7	+9.1
Exhausted		7148	14.4	
Formal		49511	97.8	+0.4
Informal		1139	2.2	-0.4
Total / Turnout		50650	90.2	

Note: Liberal MLA Rob Stokes retired.

Port Macquarie			Roll 61078	
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Mogorovich	IMOP	1229	2.3	+2.3
Watson	GRN	3473	6.5	-1.4
Williams *	LIB	21044	39.5	+39.5
McMullen	ALP	10265	19.2	-4.1
McMahon	LCN	2212	4.1	+4.1
Pinson	NAT	13675	25.6	-37.9
Coleman	SAP	809	1.5	-3.7
Read	LDP	623	1.2	+1.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Williams *	LIB	25372	60.8	+60.8
McMullen	ALP	0	0.0	-29.9
Pinson	NAT	16379	39.2	-30.9
Exhausted		11579	21.7	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Williams *	LIB	28044	66.7	-3.4
McMullen	ALP	14003	33.3	+3.4
Exhausted		11283	21.2	
Formal		53330	97.2	+0.7
Informal		1559	2.8	-0.7
Total / Turnout		54889	89.9	

Note: Leslie Williams had served as Nationals MLA since 2011, but resigned from the party and joined the Liberal Party in 2021. While her victory in 2023 was for a different party, Port Macquarie is not shown as a 2023 Liberal gain.

Port Stephens			Roll 60278	
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Buckmaster	AJP	1569	3.0	+0.4
Jensen	GRN	2511	4.8	+1.0
Ketas	IMOP	769	1.5	+1.5
Washington *	ALP	27957	53.6	+5.5
Errington	LIB	11883	22.8	-17.1
Watson	ONP	6720	12.9	+12.9
Jelfs	SAP	752	1.4	-0.5
....	IND		0.0	-3.5
<i>Final Count</i>				
Washington *	ALP	30777	69.0	+13.3
Errington	LIB	13812	31.0	-13.3
Exhausted		7572	14.5	
Formal		52161	97.2	+0.7
Informal		1511	2.8	-0.7
Total / Turnout		53672	89.0	

Prospect		Roll 58840		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Biag	LIB	17903	36.0	-0.3
Selventhiran	GRN	3610	7.3	+2.5
Walsh	AJP	1775	3.6	+1.1
McDermott *	ALP	24519	49.3	-1.0
Shafer	SAP	1892	3.8	+3.6
....	OTH		0.0	-5.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Biag	LIB	19137	41.3	-0.1
McDermott *	ALP	27175	58.7	+0.1
Exhausted		3387	6.8	
Formal		49699	95.4	-0.4
Informal		2375	4.6	+0.4
Total / Turnout		52074	88.5	

Riverstone (ALP gain)		Roll 63427		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Vail	GRN	3969	7.1	+1.2
Belcastro	SFF	1816	3.3	+3.3
Horan	SAP	1282	2.3	+2.3
Kumar	LIB	22167	39.9	-14.1
Ponnambalam	IND	1761	3.2	+3.2
Kirby	ALP	24580	44.2	+4.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Kumar	LIB	23848	46.3	-9.9
Kirby	ALP	27662	53.7	+9.9
Exhausted		4065	7.3	
Formal		55575	96.9	-0.2
Informal		1793	3.1	+0.2
Total / Turnout		57368	90.4	

Note: Liberal MLA Kevin Conolly retired.

Rockdale		Roll 56797		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Rana	LIB	13942	29.6	-3.6
Morris	SAP	3127	6.6	+6.6
Kamper *	ALP	24893	52.9	+6.8
Strong	GRN	5109	10.9	+2.8
....	OTH		0.0	-12.7
<i>Final Count</i>				
Rana	LIB	15086	34.6	-5.4
Kamper *	ALP	28468	65.4	+5.4
Exhausted		3517	7.5	
Formal		47071	95.2	-0.2
Informal		2378	4.8	+0.2
Total / Turnout		49449	87.1	

Ryde		Roll 61829		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Lane	LIB	24383	45.3	-4.4
Devine	IMOP	1324	2.5	+2.5
Jelfs	SAP	1357	2.5	+0.9
Howison	ALP	21004	39.0	+8.6
Edington	GRN	5772	10.7	+2.0
....	OTH		0.0	-9.6
<i>Final Count</i>				
Lane	LIB	25431	50.1	-8.9
Howison	ALP	25377	49.9	+8.9
Exhausted		3032	5.6	
Formal		53840	97.4	+0.1
Informal		1441	2.6	-0.1
Total / Turnout		55281	89.4	

Note: Liberal MLA Victor Dominello retired.

Shellharbour		Roll 60799		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Davis	SAP	1306	2.5	-3.3
Homer	IND	10656	20.3	+20.3
Watson *	ALP	26418	50.4	-7.2
Granata	LDP	1574	3.0	+3.0
Willmott	LCN	2246	4.3	+4.3
Dixon	GRN	3189	6.1	-3.3
Barnes	LIB	7006	13.4	-13.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Homer	IND	14390	32.9	+32.9
Watson *	ALP	29403	67.1	-1.2
Barnes	LIB	0	0.0	-31.6
Exhausted		8602	16.4	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Watson *	ALP	31406	77.2	+8.8
Barnes	LIB	9298	22.8	-8.8
Exhausted		11691	22.3	
Formal		52395	96.2	+1.1
Informal		2049	3.8	-1.1
Total / Turnout		54444	89.5	

South Coast (ALP gain) Roll 60624

Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Korten	SFF	3996	7.8	+7.8
Sikora	LIB	17806	34.7	-20.8
Butler	ALP	17414	34.0	+2.7
Digiglio	IND	3284	6.4	+6.4
Buffier	SAP	764	1.5	+1.5
Findley	GRN	8021	15.6	+2.4
<i>Final Count</i>				
Sikora	LIB	19834	46.2	-14.3
Butler	ALP	23068	53.8	+14.3
Exhausted		8383	16.3	
Formal		51285	96.6	+0.6
Informal		1797	3.4	-0.6
Total / Turnout		53082	87.6	

Note: Liberal MLA Shelley Hancock retired.

Strathfield Roll 58791

Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Baladi	LIB	16775	33.1	-5.4
Li *	ALP	26249	51.9	+7.1
Buckley	GRN	4749	9.4	+0.6
Saidi	AJP	1257	2.5	+0.5
Crocker	SAP	1588	3.1	+3.1
....	OTH		0.0	-6.0
<i>Final Count</i>				
Baladi	LIB	17717	37.0	-7.8
Li *	ALP	30228	63.0	+7.8
Exhausted		2673	5.3	
Formal		50618	97.1	+0.3
Informal		1495	2.9	-0.3
Total / Turnout		52113	88.6	

Note: Jason Yat-Sen Li had been elected at a February 2022 by-election following the resignation of former Labor Leader Jodi McKay. See by-elections page 55.

Summer Hill Roll 57642

Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Haylen *	ALP	25922	52.1	+5.7
Swan	SAP	1333	2.7	+1.3
Cheng	LIB	8340	16.8	-7.3
Haddad	AJP	1567	3.1	+0.8
Antoniou	GRN	12596	25.3	+4.9
....	OTH		0.0	-5.5
<i>Final Count</i>				
Haylen *	ALP	28598	66.3	-5.3
Cheng	LIB	0	0.0	-28.4
Antoniou	GRN	14536	33.7	+33.7
Exhausted		6624	13.3	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Haylen *	ALP	37057	79.8	+8.2
Cheng	LIB	9373	20.2	-8.2
Exhausted		3328	6.7	
Formal		49758	97.5	+0.5
Informal		1277	2.5	-0.5
Total / Turnout		51035	88.5	

Swansea Roll 60916

Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Ellis	SAP	3253	6.2	+6.2
Foord	GRN	4463	8.6	+1.4
Anderson	LIB	14590	28.0	-4.9
Catley *	ALP	27943	53.6	+3.9
Jackson	LDP	1918	3.7	+3.7
....	AJP		0.0	-5.4
....	OTH		0.0	-4.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Anderson	LIB	16351	34.6	-4.8
Catley *	ALP	30972	65.4	+4.8
Exhausted		4844	9.3	
Formal		52167	96.3	+0.6
Informal		2010	3.7	-0.6
Total / Turnout		54177	88.9	

Sydney		Roll 62489		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Tito	ALP	10575	21.7	+5.5
Greenwich *	IND	20025	41.1	+4.4
Whitton	SAP	972	2.0	+0.3
Ward	GRN	5949	12.2	-0.8
Stanton	LIB	11219	23.0	-5.5
....	OTH		0.0	-3.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Tito	ALP	13921	34.4	+34.4
Greenwich *	IND	26600	65.6	+3.9
Stanton	LIB	0	0.0	-38.2
Exhausted		8219	16.9	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Tito	ALP	22054	61.3	+10.8
Stanton	LIB	13936	38.7	-10.8
Exhausted		12750	26.2	
Formal		48740	98.2	+0.1
Informal		900	1.8	-0.1
Total / Turnout		49640	79.4	

Tamworth		Roll 60747		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Brooke	GRN	1786	3.4	+0.6
McCredie	IMOP	887	1.7	+1.7
Raye	LCN	1554	2.9	+2.9
Rodda	IND	10418	19.7	+4.1
Anderson *	NAT	27333	51.7	-1.8
Drain	SAP	328	0.6	+0.5
McGrath	ALP	6864	13.0	+3.8
Scanlan	SFF	3705	7.0	-9.8
....	OTH		0.0	-2.0
<i>Final Count</i>				
Rodda	IND	15601	34.2	+34.2
Anderson *	NAT	29998	65.8	-12.3
McGrath	ALP	0	0.0	-22.0
Exhausted		7276	13.8	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Anderson *	NAT	32433	74.2	-3.9
McGrath	ALP	11292	25.8	+3.9
Exhausted		9150	17.3	
Formal		52875	97.5	-0.3
Informal		1374	2.5	+0.3
Total / Turnout		54249	89.3	

Note: Independent Mark Rodda finished second on the old boundaries in 2019 but it was not possible to calculate an adjusted two-candidate preferred result.

Terrigal		Roll 58056		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Rigg	SAP	2392	4.7	+2.8
Crouch *	LIB	23507	46.6	-6.3
da Silva	GRN	4868	9.6	-0.4
Boughton	ALP	19703	39.0	+12.9
....	OTH		0.0	-9.0
<i>Final Count</i>				
Crouch *	LIB	24467	51.2	-11.1
Boughton	ALP	23300	48.8	+11.1
Exhausted		2703	5.4	
Formal		50470	97.5	+0.8
Informal		1270	2.5	-0.8
Total / Turnout		51740	89.1	

The Entrance		Roll 58657		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Lamb	SAP	2131	4.3	+1.9
Mehan *	ALP	22153	45.0	+1.7
Pelarek	AJP	1896	3.9	-0.2
Bracken	LIB	17433	35.4	-2.3
Stephenson	GRN	4206	8.6	+0.7
Logan	LDP	1372	2.8	+2.8
....	OTH		0.0	-4.7
<i>Final Count</i>				
Mehan *	ALP	25782	57.8	+2.5
Bracken	LIB	18793	42.2	-2.5
Exhausted		4616	9.4	
Formal		49191	96.7	+1.0
Informal		1688	3.3	-1.0
Total / Turnout		50879	86.7	

Tweed		Roll 57646		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
McDonald	SAP	2298	4.9	+1.1
Selan	LCN	2534	5.4	+5.4
Provest *	NAT	20494	43.9	-3.7
Elliot	ALP	14425	30.9	-0.1
Denham	GRN	5517	11.8	-2.0
Header	AJP	1422	3.0	-0.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Provest *	NAT	22075	53.6	-1.4
Elliot	ALP	19125	46.4	+1.4
Exhausted		5490	11.8	
Formal		46690	96.3	+0.3
Informal		1777	3.7	-0.3
Total / Turnout		48467	84.1	

Upper Hunter		Roll 62282		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Lonergan	GRN	3207	6.0	+0.5
White	SFF	6302	11.7	-7.3
Layzell *	NAT	19868	37.0	+7.6
McNamara	IND	5190	9.7	+9.7
Watson	ALP	15488	28.9	-2.0
Lillicrap	LCN	2743	5.1	+5.1
Blair	SAP	862	1.6	-0.7
....	LIB		0.0	-4.0
....	OTH		0.0	-8.7
<i>Final Count</i>				
Layzell *	NAT	22964	53.8	+3.3
Watson	ALP	19732	46.2	-3.3
Exhausted		10964	20.4	
Formal		53660	96.6	+0.1
Informal		1871	3.4	-0.1
Total / Turnout		55531	89.2	

Note: David Layzell had been elected at a May 2021 by-election following the resignation of Michael Johnsen. See by-elections page 55.

Vaucluse		Roll 59352		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Dunne	SAP	863	1.8	+0.4
Cameron	AJP	846	1.8	+0.4
Kanak	GRN	5632	11.7	-2.1
Merten	ALP	7336	15.2	+2.5
Freyer	IND	8236	17.1	+17.1
Stevens	LDP	1166	2.4	+2.4
Sloane	LIB	24184	50.1	-6.8
....	OTH		0.0	-13.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Kanak	GRN	0	0.0	-30.6
Freyer	IND	15206	37.1	+37.1
Sloane	LIB	25763	62.9	-6.5
Exhausted		7294	15.1	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Merten	ALP	13960	34.4	+5.0
Sloane	LIB	26574	65.6	-5.0
Exhausted		7729	16.0	
Formal		48263	97.9	-0.3
Informal		1055	2.1	+0.3
Total / Turnout		49318	83.1	

Note: Liberal MLA Gabrielle Upton retired.

Wagga Wagga		Roll 57413		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Goodlass	GRN	2764	5.6	+2.8
Gentles	PEP	464	0.9	+0.9
Smith	SFF	3777	7.7	-1.1
Ham	LIB	6526	13.2	+13.2
Foley	ALP	6729	13.6	-1.1
McGirr *	IND	21783	44.2	-1.9
Benjamin	NAT	7267	14.7	-11.3
....	OTH		0.0	-1.7
<i>Final Count</i>				
McGirr *	IND	28435	72.4	+6.9
Benjamin	NAT	10847	27.6	-6.9
Exhausted		10028	20.3	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Foley	ALP	12719	43.8	+1.4
Benjamin	NAT	16287	56.2	-1.4
Exhausted		20304	41.2	
Formal		49310	96.6	-0.2
Informal		1721	3.4	+0.2
Total / Turnout		51031	88.9	

Wahroonga		Roll 59086		
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Abedini	ALP	12242	23.1	+3.9
Henskens *	LIB	26727	50.5	-7.7
Molloy	SAP	1676	3.2	+0.2
Haywood	IND	4927	9.3	+9.3
Dashwood	GRN	7387	13.9	+1.1
....	OTH		0.0	-6.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Abedini	ALP	18849	39.4	+8.4
Henskens *	LIB	28940	60.6	-8.4
Exhausted		5170	9.8	
Formal		52959	97.9	+0.2
Informal		1116	2.1	-0.2
Total / Turnout		54075	91.5	

Note: New name for the abolished seat of Ku-ring-gai.

Wakehurst (IND gain)			Roll 58085	
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Wright	ALP	7617	14.8	-2.1
Mawson	SAP	1127	2.2	-0.7
Sorensen	AJP	1220	2.4	-0.8
Hrnjak	GRN	4000	7.8	-2.4
Williams	LIB	18940	36.9	-23.0
Regan	IND	18430	35.9	+35.9
....	OTH		0.0	-6.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Wright	ALP	0	0.0	-28.1
Williams	LIB	20555	45.5	-26.4
Regan	IND	24589	54.5	+54.5
Exhausted		6190	12.1	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Wright	ALP	16054	40.4	+12.3
Williams	LIB	23685	59.6	-12.3
Exhausted		11595	22.6	
Formal		51334	97.4	+0.3
Informal		1353	2.6	-0.3
Total / Turnout		52687	90.7	

Note: Liberal MLA Brad Hazzard retired.

Wallsend			Roll 60138	
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Watkins	GRN	5545	10.7	+1.5
Nolan	AJP	1088	2.1	-2.2
Di Girolamo	ONP	3532	6.8	+6.8
Hornery *	ALP	33127	63.9	+1.4
Starrett	IND	811	1.6	+1.6
Pull	LIB	6988	13.5	-6.5
Akers	SAP	717	1.4	+1.3
....	OTH		0.0	-3.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Hornery *	ALP	38043	81.8	+5.9
Pull	LIB	8489	18.2	-5.9
Exhausted		5276	10.2	
Formal		51808	97.4	+1.0
Informal		1365	2.6	-1.0
Total / Turnout		53173	88.4	

Willoughby			Roll 60285	
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Griffin	ALP	10577	20.0	+5.3
McGrath	GRN	4190	7.9	-3.4
Penn	IND	14064	26.6	+17.6
Want	SAP	967	1.8	+0.1
James *	LIB	23032	43.6	-13.4
....	OTH		0.0	-6.2
<i>Final Count</i>				
Griffin	ALP	0	0.0	-29.3
Penn	IND	22277	47.4	+47.4
James *	LIB	24727	52.6	-18.1
Exhausted		5826	11.0	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Griffin	ALP	20665	44.1	+14.8
James *	LIB	26152	55.9	-14.8
Exhausted		6013	11.4	
Formal		52830	98.1	+0.1
Informal		1014	1.9	-0.1
Total / Turnout		53844	89.3	

Note: Tim James was elected at a February 2022 by-election following the resignation of former Premier Gladys Berejiklian. See by-election details page 55. Independent Larissa Penn had finished a distant third at the 2019 election but second at the by-election and the 2023 election.

Winston Hills			Roll 61457	
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Taylor *	LIB	25251	47.5	-1.9
Chadszinow	SAP	2262	4.3	+2.9
Pandey	ALP	21030	39.5	+3.0
Atkins	GRN	4669	8.8	+1.9
....	OTH		0.0	-5.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Taylor *	LIB	26203	51.8	-3.9
Pandey	ALP	24381	48.2	+3.9
Exhausted		2628	4.9	
Formal		53212	96.7	..
Informal		1813	3.3	..
Total / Turnout		55025	89.5	

Note: New name for the abolished seat of Seven Hills.

Wollondilly (IND gain)			Roll 59758	
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Braiden	ALP	11505	22.0	+6.9
Haag	SAP	792	1.5	+1.5
Hannan	IND	13586	25.9	+6.1
Thompson	ONP	6158	11.8	+0.7
Smith *	LIB	17712	33.8	-4.7
Webster	GRN	2616	5.0	-0.6
....	SFF		0.0	-6.3
....	OTH		0.0	-3.6
<i>Final Count</i>				
Hannan	IND	21588	51.5	+7.6
Smith *	LIB	20312	48.5	-7.6
Exhausted		10469	20.0	
<i>2-Party Preferred</i>				
Braiden	ALP	18212	45.0	+9.1
Smith *	LIB	22300	55.0	-9.1
Exhausted		11857	22.6	
Formal		52369	96.9	+0.4
Informal		1698	3.1	-0.4
Total / Turnout		54067	90.5	

Wyong			Roll 56809	
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Squires	LIB	9929	21.1	-10.4
Williamson	GRN	3795	8.1	-1.3
Newbury	SAP	1897	4.0	+4.0
Harris *	ALP	24575	52.2	-0.3
Stevenson	ONP	6850	14.6	+14.6
....	OTH		0.0	-6.6
<i>Final Count</i>				
Squires	LIB	12048	30.2	-6.9
Harris *	ALP	27899	69.8	+6.9
Exhausted		7099	15.1	
Formal		47046	96.0	+1.2
Informal		1968	4.0	-1.2
Total / Turnout		49014	86.3	

Note: Matt Squires was disendorsed as the Liberal candidate after the close of nominations. He remained on the ballot paper as a Liberal candidate.

Wollongong			Roll 58845	
Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Johnson	LIB	10776	22.0	+0.8
Scully *	ALP	27723	56.5	+4.9
Blakey	GRN	8216	16.7	+3.4
Nelson	AJP	2347	4.8	+2.3
....	OTH		0.0	-11.3
<i>Final Count</i>				
Johnson	LIB	11727	25.7	-1.5
Scully *	ALP	33962	74.3	+1.5
Exhausted		3373	6.9	
Formal		49062	96.1	+0.5
Informal		2011	3.9	-0.5
Total / Turnout		51073	86.8	

Legislative Assembly: Summary of two-party results by district

Electoral District	2PP Votes		2PP Percent		Swing
	Labor	Coalition	Labor	Coalition	
Albury	14626	28811	33.7	66.3	0.5 to Coalition
Auburn	30701	10793	74.0	26.0	10.3 to Labor
Badgerys Creek	18866	28868	39.5	60.5	0.7 to Coalition
Ballina ^{1,2}	22445	17492	56.2	43.8	2.3 to Labor
Balmain ^{1,2}	32752	11208	74.5	25.5	4.0 to Labor
Bankstown	29210	12322	70.3	29.7	0.1 to Coalition
Barwon ^{1,2}	10316	15971	39.2	60.8	8.2 to Coalition
Bathurst	11801	32850	26.4	73.6	5.7 to Coalition
Bega	27835	18248	60.4	39.6	17.3 to Labor
Blacktown	30091	13442	69.1	30.9	2.5 to Labor
Blue Mountains	35536	13893	71.9	28.1	8.3 to Labor
Cabramatta	24460	15117	61.8	38.2	7.5 to Coalition
Camden	25060	22222	53.0	47.0	10.3 to Labor
Campbelltown	28764	10481	73.3	26.7	7.3 to Labor
Canterbury	32829	10494	75.8	24.2	10.5 to Labor
Castle Hill	18760	29223	39.1	60.9	11.5 to Labor
Cessnock ¹	30154	9103	76.8	23.2	7.1 to Labor
Charlestown	35300	14358	71.1	28.9	8.0 to Labor
Clarence	14731	26475	35.7	64.3	0.2 to Labor
Coffs Harbour ²	15958	27458	36.8	63.2	2.5 to Coalition
Coogee	28440	17221	62.3	37.7	10.0 to Labor
Cootamundra	7959	36446	17.9	82.1	5.5 to Coalition
Cronulla	17263	30407	36.2	63.8	5.8 to Labor
Davidson	17393	30821	36.1	63.9	10.9 to Labor
Drummoyne	24023	25308	48.7	51.3	12.3 to Labor
Dubbo ²	13515	29479	31.4	68.6	0.5 to Coalition
East Hills	24677	23013	51.7	48.3	1.8 to Labor
Epping	22013	26648	45.2	54.8	6.5 to Labor
Fairfield	27792	11414	70.9	29.1	4.0 to Labor
Gosford	29023	15364	65.4	34.6	8.3 to Labor
Goulburn	22015	23185	48.7	51.3	1.8 to Labor
Granville	30413	12123	71.5	28.5	12.1 to Labor
Hawkesbury	17460	26004	40.2	59.8	6.7 to Labor
Heathcote	29050	19408	59.9	40.1	8.3 to Labor
Heffron	29757	10847	73.3	26.7	8.0 to Labor
Holsworthy	22028	22359	49.6	50.4	5.7 to Labor
Hornsby	19163	26506	42.0	58.0	8.8 to Labor
Keira	34592	12059	74.2	25.8	5.9 to Labor
Kellyville	19653	30682	39.0	61.0	12.1 to Labor
Kiama ¹	24564	10665	69.7	30.3	31.7 to Labor
Kogarah	33393	15523	68.3	31.7	18.1 to Labor
Lake Macquarie ^{1,2}	16981	10069	62.8	37.2	6.3 to Labor
Lane Cove	21047	26245	44.5	55.5	9.2 to Labor
Leppington	27625	19300	58.9	41.1	7.4 to Labor
Lismore	28163	15172	65.0	35.0	13.0 to Labor
Liverpool	24913	17783	58.3	41.7	9.0 to Coalition
Londonderry	30145	17164	63.7	36.3	10.7 to Labor
Macquarie Fields	30468	13141	69.9	30.1	5.0 to Labor
Maitland	30647	14012	68.6	31.4	3.9 to Labor
Manly ^{1,2}	16592	27679	37.5	62.5	2.1 to Labor
Maroubra	31677	14427	68.7	31.3	10.4 to Labor
Miranda	23214	25503	47.7	52.3	12.1 to Labor
Monaro	23757	21676	52.3	47.7	13.9 to Labor
Mount Druitt	32606	12435	72.4	27.6	3.8 to Labor
Murray ^{1,2}	6570	17003	27.9	72.1	2.7 to Labor
Myall Lakes	14731	28362	34.2	65.8	6.5 to Coalition

Legislative Assembly: Summary of two-party results by district (cont)

Electoral District	2PP Votes		2PP Percent		Swing
	Labor	Coalition	Labor	Coalition	
Newcastle	33422	12620	72.6	27.4	5.1 to Labor
Newtown ^{1,2}	35145	7553	82.3	17.7	4.0 to Labor
North Shore ^{1,2}	17371	24208	41.8	58.2	9.6 to Labor
Northern Tablelands	7255	37654	16.2	83.8	0.7 to Coalition
Oatley	23205	23959	49.2	50.8	6.0 to Labor
Orange ^{1,2}	10165	17138	37.2	62.8	2.3 to Labor
Oxley	16047	27132	37.2	62.8	2.6 to Labor
Parramatta	26355	18655	58.6	41.4	15.0 to Labor
Penrith	22661	21226	51.6	48.4	2.2 to Labor
Pittwater ^{1,2}	15567	26796	36.7	63.3	9.1 to Labor
Port Macquarie ¹	14003	28044	33.3	66.7	3.4 to Labor
Port Stephens	30777	13812	69.0	31.0	13.3 to Labor
Prospect	27175	19137	58.7	41.3	0.1 to Labor
Riverstone	27662	23848	53.7	46.3	9.9 to Labor
Rockdale	28468	15086	65.4	34.6	5.4 to Labor
Ryde	25377	25431	49.9	50.1	8.9 to Labor
Shellharbour ¹	31406	9298	77.2	22.8	8.8 to Labor
South Coast	23068	19834	53.8	46.2	14.3 to Labor
Strathfield	30228	17717	63.0	37.0	7.8 to Labor
Summer Hill ¹	37057	9373	79.8	20.2	8.2 to Labor
Swansea	30972	16351	65.4	34.6	4.8 to Labor
Sydney ^{1,2}	22054	13936	61.3	38.7	10.8 to Labor
Tamworth ^{1,2}	11292	32433	25.8	74.2	3.9 to Labor
Terrigal	23300	24467	48.8	51.2	11.1 to Labor
The Entrance	25782	18793	57.8	42.2	2.5 to Labor
Tweed	19125	22075	46.4	53.6	1.4 to Labor
Upper Hunter	19732	22964	46.2	53.8	3.3 to Coalition
Vaucluse ^{1,2}	13960	26574	34.4	65.6	5.0 to Labor
Wagga Wagga ^{1,2}	12719	16287	43.8	56.2	1.4 to Labor
Wahroonga	18849	28940	39.4	60.6	8.4 to Labor
Wakehurst ¹	16054	23685	40.4	59.6	12.3 to Labor
Wallsend	38043	8489	81.8	18.2	5.9 to Labor
Willoughby ¹	20665	26152	44.1	55.9	14.8 to Labor
Winston Hills	24381	26203	48.2	51.8	3.9 to Labor
Wollondilly ^{1,2}	18212	22300	45.0	55.0	9.1 to Labor
Wollongong	33962	11727	74.3	25.7	1.5 to Labor
Wyang	27899	12048	69.8	30.2	6.9 to Labor
Total	2202932	1856227	54.3	45.7	6.3 to Labor

Notes:

¹ – did not finish as a two-party preferred contest in 2023. See next page for two-candidate preferred results.

² – did not finish as a two-party preferred contest in 2019.

Legislative Assembly: Two-candidate preferred results

Electoral District	Winning Candidate			Defeated Candidate			Swing
	Party	Vote	%	Party	Vote	%	
Ballina	GRN	23897	57.7	NAT	17506	42.3	+2.9
Balmain	GRN	22118	51.8	ALP	20580	48.2	-8.2
Barwon	IND	23868	66.0	NAT	12299	34.0	+9.4
Cessnock	ALP	29964	73.4	ONP	10865	26.6	(+3.7)
<u>Kiama</u>	IND	23018	50.8	ALP	22329	49.2	n.a.
Lake Macquarie	IND	32905	74.1	ALP	11492	25.9	+0.9
Manly	LIB	25541	54.8	IND	21027	45.2	(-8.2)
Murray	IND	27260	66.0	NAT	14035	34.0	+13.2
Newtown	GRN	28015	62.1	ALP	17094	37.9	+0.7
North Shore	LIB	23040	55.7	IND	18329	44.3	-5.4
Orange	IND	31212	71.9	NAT	12225	28.1	+6.7
Pittwater	LIB	23365	50.7	IND	22759	49.3	(-20.2)
Port Macquarie	LIB	25372	60.8	NAT	16379	39.2	n.a.
Shellharbour	ALP	29403	67.1	IND	14390	32.9	(-1.2)
Summer Hill	ALP	28598	66.3	GRN	14536	33.7	(-5.3)
Sydney	IND	26600	65.6	ALP	13921	34.4	(+3.9)
Tamworth	NAT	29998	65.8	IND	15601	34.1	n.a.
Vaucluse	LIB	25763	62.9	IND	15206	37.1	(-6.5)
Wagga Wagga	IND	28435	72.4	NAT	10847	27.6	+6.9
<u>Wakehurst</u>	IND	24589	54.5	LIB	20555	45.5	n.a.
Willoughby	LIB	24727	52.6	IND	22277	47.4	(-18.1)
<u>Wollondilly</u>	IND	21588	51.5	LIB	20312	48.5	+7.6

Notes:

Swing measured against percentage vote for the winning candidate shown on each line. Swings in (brackets) indicate swing to or from the winning candidate but where there was a change in the second placed candidate. n.a. means a swing to or from the winning candidate is not available. Underline indicates districts changing party. In Barwon, Murray and Orange, the swing for Independent MLAs is measured against 2019 SFF result. Former Nationals MLA Leslie Williams was re-elected as a Liberal in Port Macquarie.

In **Kiama** there was an 11.2% two-candidate preferred swing towards the second placed Labor candidate but a change from Liberal to Independent for the winning candidate. The Liberal Party slipped to second place in **Wakehurst** representing a 26.4% two-candidate preferred swing against the Liberal Party. No meaningful two-candidate preferred swing can be calculated for **Port Macquarie** or **Tamworth** owing to the lack of a two-candidate preferred count for 2019.

Comparing state-wide two-candidate preferred vote 2019-2023

Party	Votes		Pcts including exhausted			Pcts excluding exhausted		
	2019	2023	2019	2023	Change	2019	2023	Change
2-Candidate Preferred								
Labor	1,669,560	1,940,269	36.7	41.3	+4.6	41.5	46.6	+5.1
Liberal	1,516,254	1,314,192	33.3	28.0	-5.4	37.7	31.6	-6.1
National	473,462	441,032	10.4	9.4	-1.0	11.8	10.6	-1.2
Greens	125,009	88,566	2.7	1.9	-0.9	3.1	2.1	-1.0
SFF	68,412	..	1.5	..	-1.5	1.7	..	-1.7
One Nation	..	10,865	..	0.2	+0.2	..	0.3	+0.3
Independents	173,335	369,064	3.8	7.8	+4.0	4.3	8.9	+4.6
Exhausted	525,854	537,942	11.6	11.4	-0.1			
Formal	4,551,886	4,701,930						
2-Party Preferred								
Labor	1,893,618	2,202,932	41.6	46.9	+5.3	48.0	54.3	+6.3
Coalition	2,053,185	1,856,227	45.1	39.5	-5.6	52.0	45.7	-6.3
Exhausted	605,083	642,771	13.3	13.7	+0.4			

Legislative Assembly: New electoral pendulum

District	Margin	District	Margin
Labor Party (45)		Liberal (25) / National (11)	
<u>Penrith</u>	1.6	Ryde	0.1
<u>East Hills</u>	1.7	Holsworthy	0.4
<u>Monaro</u>	2.3	Oatley	0.8
<u>Camden</u>	3.0	Terrigal	1.2
<u>Riverstone</u>	3.7	Goulburn	1.3
<u>South Coast</u>	3.8	Drummoyne	1.3
Ballina (GRN HELD)	6.2	Winston Hills	1.8
The Entrance	7.8	Miranda	2.3
Liverpool	8.3	Tweed (NAT)	3.6
<u>Parramatta</u>	8.6	Upper Hunter (NAT)	3.8
Prospect	8.7	Epping	4.8
Leppington	8.9	Wollondilly (IND HELD)	5.0
Heathcote	9.9	Lane Cove	5.5
Bega	10.4	Willoughby (2.6 v IND)	5.9
Sydney (IND HELD)	11.3	Wagga Wagga (IND HELD)	6.2
Cabramatta	11.8	Hornsby	8.0
Coogee	12.3	North Shore (5.7 v IND)	8.2
Lake Macquarie (IND HELD)	12.8	Wakehurst (IND HELD)	9.6
Strathfield	13.0	Hawkesbury	9.8
Londonderry	13.7	Badgerys Creek	10.5
Lismore	15.0	Wahroonga	10.6
Rockdale	15.4	Barwon (IND HELD)	10.8
Gosford	15.4	Castle Hill	10.9
Swansea	15.4	Kellyville	11.0
Kogarah	18.3	Manly (4.8 v IND)	12.5
Maitland	18.6	Oxley (NAT)	12.8
Maroubra	18.7	Orange (IND HELD)	12.8
Port Stephens	19.0	Coffs Harbour (NAT)	13.2
Blacktown	19.1	Pittwater (0.7 v IND)	13.3
Kiama (IND HELD)	19.7	Cronulla	13.8
Wyong	19.8	Davidson	13.9
Macquarie Fields	19.9	Clarence (NAT)	14.3
Bankstown	20.3	Vaucluse (12.9 v IND)	15.6
Fairfield	20.9	Myall Lakes (NAT)	15.8
Charlestown	21.1	Albury	16.3
Granville	21.5	Port Macquarie (10.8 v NAT)	16.7
Blue Mountains	21.9	Dubbo (NAT)	18.6
Mount Druitt	22.4	Murray (IND HELD)	22.1
Newcastle	22.6	Bathurst (NAT)	23.6
Heffron	23.3	Tamworth (NAT) (15.8 v IND)	24.2
Campbelltown	23.3	Cootamundra (NAT)	32.1
Auburn	24.0	Northern Tablelands (NAT)	33.8
Keira	24.2		
Wollongong	24.3	Independent (9) / Greens (3)	
Balmain (GRN HELD)	24.5	<u>Kiama</u> (v ALP)	0.8
Canterbury	25.8	<u>Wollondilly</u> (v LIB)	1.5
Cessnock (23.4 v ONP)	26.8	Balmain (GRN v ALP)	1.8
Shellharbour (17.1 v IND)	27.2	<u>Wakehurst</u> (v LIB)	4.5
Summer Hill (16.3 v GRN)	29.8	Ballina (GRN v NAT)	7.7
Wallsend	31.8	Newtown (GRN v ALP)	12.1
Newtown (GRN HELD)	32.3	Sydney (v ALP)	15.6
		Barwon (v NAT)	16.0
		Murray (v NAT)	16.0
		Orange (v NAT)	21.9
		Wagga Wagga (v NAT)	22.4
		Lake Macquarie (v ALP)	24.1

All 93 districts are listed in order of Labor or Coalition two-party preferred margin. Seats in **bold** are Independent or Green held seats. Crossbench seats are listed twice, with two-candidate preferred margins bottom right, and with a Labor-Coalition two-party margins in bold Alternate two-candidate preferred margins for some Labor and Coalition seats are shown in brackets. Underlining indicates districts changing party status at the 2023 election.

Legislative Assembly: Districts ranked by two-party preferred swing

Electorate	2-Party Swing	Electorate	2-Party Swing
Swing to Labor		Keira	5.9
<u>Kiama</u> ¹	31.7	Wallsend	5.9
Kogarah	18.1	Cronulla	5.8
Bega	17.3	Holsworthy	5.7
<u>Parramatta</u>	15.0	Rockdale	5.4
Willoughby ¹	14.8	Newcastle	5.1
<u>South Coast</u>	14.3	Vaucluse ¹	5.0
<u>Monaro</u>	13.9	Macquarie Fields	5.0
Port Stephens	13.3	Swansea	4.8
Lismore	13.0	Fairfield	4.0
Drummoyne	12.3	Balmain ¹	4.0
<u>Wakehurst</u> ¹	12.3	Newtown ¹	4.0
Kellyville	12.1	Winston Hills	3.9
Miranda	12.1	Maitland	3.9
Granville	12.1	Tamworth ¹	3.9
Castle Hill	11.5	Mount Druitt	3.8
Terrigal	11.1	Port Macquarie ¹	3.4
Davidson	10.9	Murray ¹	2.7
Sydney ¹	10.8	Oxley	2.6
Londonderry	10.7	The Entrance	2.5
Canterbury	10.5	Blacktown	2.5
Maroubra	10.4	Ballina ¹	2.3
<u>Camden</u>	10.3	Orange ¹	2.3
Auburn	10.3	<u>Penrith</u>	2.2
Coogee	10.0	Manly ¹	2.1
<u>Riverstone</u>	9.9	<u>East Hills</u>	1.8
North Shore ¹	9.6	Goulburn	1.8
Lane Cove	9.2	Wollongong	1.5
<u>Wollondilly</u> ¹	9.1	Tweed	1.4
Pittwater ¹	9.1	Wagga Wagga ¹	1.4
Ryde	8.9	Clarence	0.2
Hornsby	8.8	Prospect	0.1
Shellharbour ¹	8.8		
Wahroonga	8.4	Swing to Coalition	
Blue Mountains	8.3	Bankstown	0.1
Heathcote	8.3	Albury	0.5
Gosford	8.3	Dubbo	0.5
Summer Hill ¹	8.2	Northern Tablelands	0.7
Heffron	8.0	Badgerys Creek	0.7
Charlestown	8.0	Coffs Harbour	2.5
Strathfield	7.8	Upper Hunter	3.3
Leppington	7.4	Cootamundra	5.5
Campbelltown	7.3	Bathurst	5.7
Cessnock ¹	7.1	Myall Lakes	6.5
Wyong	6.9	Cabramatta	7.5
Hawkesbury	6.7	Barwon ¹	8.2
Epping	6.5	Liverpool	9.0
Lake Macquarie ¹	6.3		
Oatley	6.0		

Notes:

Underlining indicates seats that changed party status at the 2023 elections.

¹ – indicates seats that were not two-party preferred contests at the 2023 election.

Legislative Assembly: District swings ranked by 2019 two-party margin

Electorate	Old 2PP Margin	2PP Swing	Electorate	Old 2PP Margin	2PP Swing
2019 Coalition 2-Party Majority Seats			2019 Labor 2-Party Majority Seats		
<u>East Hills</u>	0.1	+1.8	Cootamundra (NAT)	26.6	-5.5
Upper Hunter (NAT)	0.5	-3.3	Tamworth ¹ (NAT)	28.0	+3.9
<u>Penrith</u>	0.6	+2.2	Northern Tablelands (NAT)	33.2	-0.7
Barwon ¹ (IND held)	2.5	-8.2			
Goulburn	3.1	+1.8			
Tweed (NAT)	5.0	+1.4	Kogarah	0.1	+18.1
Winston Hills	5.7	+3.9	Sydney ¹ (IND held)	0.5	+10.8
Holsworthy	6.0	+5.7	Leppington (New seat)	1.5	+7.4
<u>Riverstone</u>	6.2	+9.9	<u>Heathcote</u> (ALP gain redist)	1.7	+8.3
<u>Parramatta</u>	6.5	+15.0	Lismore	2.0	+13.0
Oatley	6.8	+6.0	Coogee	2.3	+10.0
<u>Bega</u> (ALP by-elec gain)	6.9	+17.3	Londonderry	3.0	+10.7
<u>Camden</u>	7.3	+10.3	Ballina ¹ (GRN held)	3.9	+2.3
Wagga Wagga ¹ (IND held)	7.5	+1.4	Strathfield	5.2	+7.8
Ryde	8.9	+8.9	The Entrance	5.3	+2.5
Myall Lakes (NAT)	9.3	-6.5	Port Stephens	5.8	+13.3
Badgerys Creek	9.7	-0.7	Lake Macquarie ¹ (IND held)	6.5	+6.3
<u>South Coast</u>	10.6	+14.3	Gosford	7.1	+8.3
Coffs Harbour (NAT)	10.8	-2.5	Maroubra	8.3	+10.4
North Shore ¹	17.8	+9.6	Prospect	8.6	+0.1
Epping	11.3	+6.5	Granville	9.4	+12.1
<u>Monaro</u> (NAT)	11.6	+13.9	Rockdale	10.0	+5.4
<u>Kiama</u> ¹	12.0	+31.7	Swansea	10.6	+4.8
Terrigal	12.3	+11.1	Wyong	12.9	+6.9
Drummoyne	13.6	+12.3	Charlestown	13.1	+8.0
<u>Wollondilly</u> ¹	14.2	+9.1	Blue Mountains	13.6	+8.3
Miranda	14.4	+12.1	Auburn	13.7	+10.3
Clarence (NAT)	14.5	+0.2	Maitland	14.7	+3.9
Manly ¹	14.6	+2.1	Macquarie Fields	14.9	+5.0
Lane Cove	14.7	+9.2	Canterbury	15.2	+10.5
Orange ¹ (IND held)	15.1	+2.3	Heffron	15.3	+8.0
Oxley (NAT)	15.4	+2.6	Campbelltown	16.0	+7.3
Albury	15.9	-0.5	Blacktown	16.7	+2.5
Hawkesbury	16.6	+6.7	Fairfield	16.8	+4.0
Hornsby	16.9	+8.8	Liverpool	17.4	-9.0
Bathurst (NAT)	17.9	-5.7	Newcastle	17.5	+5.1
Dubbo (NAT)	18.1	-0.5	Keira	18.2	+5.9
Wahroonga	19.0	+8.4	Shellharbour ¹	18.4	+8.8
Cronulla	19.6	+5.8	Mount Druitt	18.5	+3.8
Port Macquarie ¹	20.1	+3.4	Cabramatta	19.3	-7.5
Vaucluse ¹	20.6	+5.0	Cessnock ¹	19.7	+7.1
Willoughby ¹	20.7	+14.8	Balmain ¹ (GRN held)	20.5	+4.0
<u>Wakehurst</u> ¹	21.9	+12.3	Bankstown	20.5	-0.1
Pittwater ¹	22.4	+9.1	Summer Hill ¹	21.6	+8.2
Castle Hill	22.4	+11.5	Wollongong	22.9	+1.5
Kellyville	23.1	+12.1	Wallsend	25.8	+5.9
Davidson	24.8	+10.9	Newtown ¹ (GRN held)	28.3	+4.0
Murray ¹ (IND held)	24.8	+2.7			

Notes:

Electorates are listed in **2019 two-party preferred margin order** adjusted for the redistribution. Seats won by Independents and Greens in 2019 are indicated. Underlining indicates seats that changed party status at the 2023 election, including Bega and Heathcote for reasons noted. '+' indicates a two-party preferred swing towards Labor, '-' a swing to the Coalition. ¹ indicates seats that were not two-party preferred contests in 2023.

Legislative Assembly: Two-party swing by party and district status

Safety Category and Party (Seats)	2PP Votes		2PP Percent		Swing
	Labor	Coalition	Labor	Coalition	
Marginal Labor (10)	291438	172358	62.8	37.2	10.9 to Labor
Safe Labor (6)	177728	92488	65.8	34.2	6.8 to Labor
Very Safe Labor (22)	689609	265249	72.2	27.8	4.8 to Labor
Labor (38)	1158775	530095	68.6	31.4	6.7 to Labor
Marginal Liberal (7)	154639	164438	48.5	51.5	5.6 to Labor
Safe Liberal (10)	233541	224338	51.0	49.0	10.7 to Labor
Very Safe Liberal (17)	310927	465695	40.0	60.0	8.5 to Labor
Liberal (34)	699107	854471	45.0	55.0	8.6 to Labor
Marginal National (2)	38857	45039	46.3	53.7	0.9 to Coalition
Safe National (3)	54446	77496	41.3	58.7	1.8 to Labor
Very Safe National (7)	82600	222469	27.1	72.9	0.7 to Coalition
National (12)	175903	345004	33.8	66.2	0.1 to Coalition
Marginal Greens (1)	22445	17492	56.2	43.8	2.3 to Labor
Safe Greens (2)	67897	18761	78.4	21.6	4.0 to Labor
Greens (3)	90342	36253	71.4	28.6	4.1 to Labor
Marginal Others (1)	6570	17003	27.9	72.1	2.7 to Labor
Safe Others (2)	32370	29907	52.0	48.0	2.9 to Labor
Very Safe Others (3)	39865	43494	47.8	52.2	3.3 to Labor
Others (6)	78805	90404	46.6	53.4	3.4 to Labor

Notes:

Districts have been classified by party and 2019 margin adjusted for the redistribution. Greens and Others are based on two-candidate preferred margins, Labor, Liberal and National seats on 2019 two-party margins as listed on the previous page except for:

- Bega is treated as marginal Labor based on the 2022 by-election
- Willoughby is treated as marginal Liberal based on by-election two-candidate margin
- Wollondilly is treated as marginal Liberal based on 2019 two-candidate margin
- North Shore is treated as safe Liberal based on 2019 two-candidate preferred margin
- Port Macquarie is treated as very safe Liberal based on changed party status of sitting MLA.

Districts with margins under 6% are classed as Marginal, from 6% to 12% as Safe, while electorates with margins above 12% are classed as Very Safe.

Final count percentages and results basis

The table on the next two pages calculates two-candidate preferred percentages as a percentage of the formal vote. This differs from the rest of this publication which calculates percentages based on final preference counts, that is formal votes minus exhausted preferences. In this table, final two-candidate preferred percentages plus the exhausted percentages add to 100%, a calculation not used in other tables.

The final two columns in the table show the 'Result Basis' and 'Required Preferences' category for each district. These categories are defined as follows.

Results basis categories

<u>First Preferences</u> (45)	The winning candidate received more than 50% of the first preference vote.
<u>Majority</u> (20)	The winning candidate reached a majority of the <u>formal vote</u> after preferences.
<u>Plurality</u> (23)	The winning candidate achieved a majority of the <u>votes remaining in the count</u> after preferences, but a plurality (less than 50%) of the formal vote.
<u>Plurality from 2nd</u> (5)	The winning candidate was placed second on first preferences.

The five seats won from second places were Labor victories in Monaro, Penrith and South Coast, and Independent victories in Wakehurst and Wollondilly.

Required preferences categories

<u>(no entry)</u> (45)	Preferences were not required. (First preference win)
<u>Full</u> (34)	All other candidates were distributed before the winning candidate was elected with either a majority or plurality of votes.
<u>Partial</u> (14)	The winning candidate achieved a plurality or majority before all candidates needed to be excluded.

Full distributions of preferences were completed in all seats whether required or not. Of the 14 districts that required only a partial distribution, 12 were majority wins and two pluralities. Of the 34 that required a full distribution, eight were majority wins and 26 plurality wins, including the five plurality wins from second place

Summary of seats won on preferences by party

Party	First Preferences	Majority	Plurality	Plurality from 2nd	Total
Labor	27	11	4	3	45
Liberal	8	2	15	..	25
National	6	3	2	..	11
Greens	1	1	1	..	3
Independents	3	3	1	2	9
Total	45	20	23	5	93

The highest exhausted vote percentages at the end of a count were 22.9% in Cabramatta and 22.6% in Cessnock. The lowest winning votes as a percentage of the formal vote were 42.8% in Upper Hunter, 44.0% in Kiama and 44.2% in Balmain.

On a two-party preferred basis, there was a higher rate of exhaustion in the seats of elected Independents. 2PP exhaustion reached 52.3% in Murray, 46.6% in Lake Macquarie and 46.0% in Orange. The National 2PP in Wagga Wagga was only 33.0% of the formal vote.

Legislative Assembly: Final count percentages and result basis

District (Other party)	Final Pct after Preferences				Won By	Result Basis	Required Preferences
	ALP	L/NP	OTH	Exhst			
Albury	29.4	57.9	..	12.8	LIB	First Preferences	
Auburn	65.5	23.0	..	11.4	ALP	First Preferences	
Badgerys Creek	36.2	55.4	..	8.3	LIB	First Preferences	
Ballina (GRN)	..	36.7	50.1	13.3	GRN	Majority	Full
Balmain (GRN)	41.2	..	<u>44.2</u>	14.6	GRN	Plurality	Full
Bankstown	63.7	26.9	..	9.5	ALP	First Preferences	
Barwon (IND)	..	28.1	54.4	17.5	IND	Majority	Partial
Bathurst	22.5	62.7	..	14.8	NAT	First Preferences	
Bega	53.9	35.3	..	10.8	ALP	Majority	Partial
Blacktown	61.7	27.6	..	10.7	ALP	First Preferences	
Blue Mountains	67.0	26.2	..	6.8	ALP	First Preferences	
Cabramatta	<u>47.7</u>	29.5	..	22.9	ALP	Plurality	Full
Camden	<u>46.3</u>	41.1	..	12.6	ALP	Plurality	Full
Campbelltown	60.3	22.0	..	17.8	ALP	First Preferences	
Canterbury	68.0	21.7	..	10.3	ALP	First Preferences	
Castle Hill	35.1	54.7	..	10.2	LIB	First Preferences	
Cessnock (ONP)	56.8	..	20.6	22.6	ALP	Majority	Partial
Charlestown	66.6	27.1	..	6.3	ALP	First Preferences	
Clarence	30.1	54.1	..	15.8	NAT	Majority	Partial
Coffs Harbour	32.4	55.8	..	11.8	NAT	First Preferences	
Coogee	58.0	35.1	..	6.8	ALP	Majority	Full
Cootamundra	16.3	74.6	..	9.1	NAT	First Preferences	
Cronulla	32.8	57.8	..	9.4	LIB	First Preferences	
Davidson	32.6	57.8	..	9.6	LIB	First Preferences	
Drummoyne	46.5	<u>49.0</u>	..	4.5	LIB	Plurality	Full
Dubbo	27.3	59.5	..	13.2	NAT	First Preferences	
East Hills	<u>49.0</u>	45.7	..	5.4	ALP	Plurality	Full
Epping	42.3	51.3	..	6.4	LIB	Majority	Partial
Fairfield	58.4	24.0	..	17.6	ALP	First Preferences	
Gosford	59.2	31.3	..	9.4	ALP	First Preferences	
Goulburn	43.4	<u>45.7</u>	..	11.0	LIB	Plurality	Full
Granville	62.5	24.9	..	12.6	ALP	First Preferences	
Hawkesbury	32.8	<u>48.9</u>	..	18.3	LIB	Plurality	Partial
Heathcote	55.1	36.8	..	8.1	ALP	Majority	Full
Heffron	65.9	24.0	..	10.1	ALP	Majority	Partial
Holsworthy	45.1	<u>45.8</u>	..	9.0	LIB	Plurality	Full
Hornsby	35.4	<u>48.9</u>	..	15.7	LIB	Plurality	Partial
Keira	69.1	24.1	..	6.7	ALP	First Preferences	
Kellyville	36.9	57.7	..	5.4	LIB	First Preferences	
Kiama (IND)	42.6	..	<u>44.0</u>	13.4	IND	Plurality	Full
Kogarah	65.5	30.4	..	4.1	ALP	First Preferences	
Lake Macquarie (IND)	22.7	..	65.0	12.3	IND	First Preferences	
Lane Cove	40.4	50.4	..	9.2	LIB	Majority	Full
Leppington	54.5	38.1	..	7.4	ALP	First Preferences	
Lismore	57.8	31.2	..	11.0	ALP	Majority	Full
Liverpool	51.8	37.0	..	11.2	ALP	Majority	Partial
Londonderry	58.3	33.2	..	8.5	ALP	First Preferences	
Macquarie Fields	61.9	26.7	..	11.4	ALP	First Preferences	
Maitland	59.4	27.1	..	13.5	ALP	First Preferences	
Manly (IND)	..	<u>48.4</u>	39.8	11.8	LIB	Plurality	Full
Maroubra	63.6	29.0	..	7.4	ALP	First Preferences	
Miranda	43.9	<u>48.2</u>	..	7.8	LIB	Plurality	Full

Legislative Assembly: Final count percentages and result basis (cont)

District (Other party)	Final Pct after Preferences				Won By	Result basis	Required Preferences
	ALP	L/NP	OTH	Exhst			
Monaro	<u>46.7</u>	42.6	..	10.7	ALP	Plurality from 2nd	Full
Mount Druitt	66.9	25.5	..	7.6	ALP	First Preferences	
Murray (IND)	..	28.4	55.2	16.4	IND	First Preferences	
Myall Lakes	28.0	53.8	..	18.2	NAT	Majority	Partial
Newcastle	65.9	24.9	..	9.3	ALP	Majority	Partial
Newtown (GRN)	34.5	..	56.6	8.9	GRN	First Preferences	
North Shore (IND)	..	<u>47.8</u>	38.0	14.1	LIB	Plurality	Full
Northern Tablelands	14.6	75.8	..	9.6	NAT	First Preferences	
Oatley	46.2	<u>47.7</u>	..	6.0	LIB	Plurality	Full
Orange (IND)	..	24.2	61.8	14.0	IND	First Preferences	
Oxley	30.5	51.6	..	17.9	NAT	Majority	Partial
Parramatta	54.6	38.6	..	6.8	ALP	Majority	Full
Penrith	<u>45.0</u>	42.2	..	12.8	ALP	Plurality from 2nd	Full
Pittwater (IND)	..	<u>47.2</u>	46.0	6.8	LIB	Plurality	Full
Port Macquarie (NAT)	..	<u>47.6</u>	30.7	21.7	LIB	Plurality	Full
Port Stephens	59.0	26.5	..	14.5	ALP	First Preferences	
Prospect	54.7	38.5	..	6.8	ALP	Majority	Partial
Riverstone	<u>49.8</u>	42.9	..	7.3	ALP	Plurality	Full
Rockdale	60.5	32.0	..	7.5	ALP	First Preferences	
Ryde	47.1	<u>47.2</u>	..	5.6	LIB	Plurality	Full
Shellharbour (IND)	56.1	..	27.5	16.4	ALP	First Preferences	
South Coast	<u>45.0</u>	38.7	..	16.3	ALP	Plurality from 2nd	Full
Strathfield	59.7	35.0	..	5.3	ALP	First Preferences	
Summer Hill (GRN)	57.5	..	29.2	13.3	ALP	First Preferences	
Swansea	59.4	31.3	..	9.3	ALP	First Preferences	
Sydney (IND)	28.6	..	54.6	16.9	IND	Majority	Full
Tamworth (IND)	..	56.7	29.5	13.8	NAT	First Preferences	
Terrigal	46.2	<u>48.5</u>	..	5.4	LIB	Plurality	Full
The Entrance	52.4	38.2	..	9.4	ALP	Majority	Full
Tweed	41.0	<u>47.3</u>	..	11.8	NAT	Plurality	Full
Upper Hunter	36.8	<u>42.8</u>	..	20.4	NAT	Plurality	Full
Vaucluse (IND)	..	53.4	31.5	15.1	LIB	First Preferences	
Wagga Wagga (IND)	..	22.0	57.7	20.3	IND	Majority	Partial
Wahroonga	35.6	54.6	..	9.8	LIB	First Preferences	
Wakehurst (IND)	..	40.0	<u>47.9</u>	12.1	IND	Plurality from 2nd	Full
Wallsend	73.4	16.4	..	10.2	ALP	First Preferences	
Willoughby (IND)	..	<u>46.8</u>	42.2	11.0	LIB	Plurality	Full
Winston Hills	45.8	<u>49.2</u>	..	4.9	LIB	Plurality	Full
Wollondilly (IND)	..	38.8	41.2	20.0	IND	Plurality from 2nd	Full
Wollongong	69.2	23.9	..	6.9	ALP	First Preferences	
Wyong	59.3	25.6	..	15.1	ALP	First Preferences	
State-wide 2CP	46.6	42.2	11.2	11.4			
State-wide 2PP	46.9	39.5	..	13.7			

Notes:

Underlining indicates winning party percentage in plurality contests. Elsewhere in this publication, two-candidate preferred percentages are calculated as a percentage of the votes remaining in the count. In this table, they are calculated as a percentage of the formal vote, so the sum of the two-candidate preferred percentages and the exhausted percentage will round to 100.

Legislative Assembly: Party percentage vote by vote type

	Category of Votes (see definitions below)					Total
	Polling Day	Pre-Poll	Postal *	Absent	Other	
Category as % of Total Vote						
2019 election	61.5	21.7	7.9	6.9	2.0	100
2023 election	50.8	32.3	8.5	6.4	2.0	100
Change	-10.7	+10.6	+0.6	-0.5	..	
First Preference Percentage						
Labor	37.4	36.8	35.3	36.3	36.7	37.0
Liberal	26.7	25.7	32.5	25.7	23.6	26.8
National	7.3	11.6	7.9	5.5	4.9	8.6
Coalition Total	34.0	37.3	40.4	31.2	28.5	35.4
Greens	10.5	7.8	7.7	14.0	15.6	9.7
Independents	8.5	9.6	8.1	6.5	6.7	8.7
Others	9.6	8.4	8.4	12.0	12.5	9.3
Informal	3.9	2.9	2.7	2.9	3.1	3.4
Two-Party Preferred Percentage						
Labor	55.7	52.4	49.4	57.4	60.0	54.3
Coalition	44.3	47.6	50.6	42.6	40.0	45.7
Exhausted	13.2	13.7	13.2	16.3	17.7	13.7
Two-Party Preferred Swing						
Labor	+7.3	+6.1	+3.7	+6.0	+7.2	+6.3
Coalition	-7.3	-6.1	-3.7	-6.0	-7.2	-6.3

Note: (*) In 2019 Postal votes were 2.9% of all votes and recorded a Labor two-party preferred of 38.8%, while iVotes made up 5.0% of all votes and recorded a Labor two-party preferred vote of 49.7%. These figures have been merged for comparison with the larger Postal vote in 2023.

Category	Definition
Ordinary Vote	Any ballot paper placed directly into a ballot box
Declaration Vote	Any ballot paper placed into a declaration envelope. Declaration envelopes have the validity of their details verified, and if passed as valid, the ballot papers are extracted and admitted to the count.
Polling Day	Ordinary Votes cast at a proclaimed polling place for a district.
Pre-Poll	Ordinary Votes cast at a proclaimed Early Vote Centre for a district.
Postal	Declaration Votes completed and returned by post.
Absent	Declaration Votes cast at a polling place or Early Vote Centre that is not proclaimed as part of the voter's home district.
Other	Includes Declared Institution, Telephone Assisted, New Enrolment and Provisional votes.
iVote	A vote cast using the Electoral Commission's iVote system. iVote was not used at the 2023 election.

Regional summaries

The following tables summarise the election result for different regions of the state. All districts have been classified into three broad regions, Sydney Metropolitan, Hunter/Illawarra and Regional/Rural. The districts in each region have been categorised into sub-regions as set out below.

The 2023 winning party in each district is shown in (brackets). Seats that changed party status at the election, through either redistribution or by-elections, have been underlined. More detail on seat classification can be found in the redistribution summary on page 72.

Regional/rural (24)

North Coast (8)	Ballina (GRN), Clarence (NAT), Coffs Harbour (NAT), Lismore (ALP), Myall Lakes (NAT), Oxley (NAT), <u>Port Macquarie</u> (LIB), Tweed (NAT)
Southern Rural (7)	Albury (LIB), <u>Bega</u> (ALP), Goulburn (LIB), <u>Monaro</u> (ALP), <u>South Coast</u> (ALP), Wagga Wagga (IND), <u>Wollondilly</u> (IND)
Western Rural (9)	<u>Barwon</u> (IND), Bathurst (NAT), Cootamundra (NAT), Dubbo (NAT), <u>Murray</u> (IND), Northern Tablelands (NAT), <u>Orange</u> (IND), Tamworth (NAT), Upper Hunter (NAT)

Hunter/Illawarra (12)

Hunter Valley (8)	Cessnock (ALP), Charlestown (ALP), Lake Macquarie (IND), Maitland (ALP), Newcastle (ALP), Port Stephens (ALP), Swansea (ALP), Wallsend (ALP)
Illawarra (4)	Keira (ALP), <u>Kiama</u> (IND), Shellharbour (ALP), Wollongong (ALP)

Sydney metropolitan (57)

Central Coast (4)	Gosford (ALP), Terrigal (LIB), The Entrance (ALP), Wyong (ALP)
Inner-City (10)	Balmain (GRN), Coogee (ALP), Drummoyne (LIB), Heffron (ALP), Maroubra (ALP), Newtown (GRN), Strathfield (ALP), Summer Hill (ALP), Sydney (IND), Vacluse (LIB)
North Shore (14)	Castle Hill (LIB), Davidson (LIB), Epping (LIB), Hawkesbury (LIB), Hornsby (LIB), Kellyville (LIB), Lane Cove (LIB), Manly (LIB), North Shore (LIB), Pittwater (LIB), Ryde (LIB), Wahroonga (LIB), <u>Wakehurst</u> (IND), Willoughby (LIB)
Southern Suburbs (7)	Canterbury (ALP), Cronulla (LIB), <u>Heathcote</u> (ALP), Kogarah (ALP), Miranda (LIB), Oatley (LIB), Rockdale (ALP)
Western Suburbs (22)	Auburn (ALP), Badgerys Creek (LIB), Bankstown (ALP), Blacktown (ALP), Blue Mountains (ALP), Cabramatta (ALP), <u>Camden</u> (ALP), Campbelltown (ALP), <u>East Hills</u> (ALP), Fairfield (ALP), Granville (ALP), Holsworthy (LIB), Leppington (ALP), Liverpool (ALP), Londonderry (ALP), Macquarie Fields (ALP), Mount Druitt (ALP), <u>Parramatta</u> (ALP), <u>Penrith</u> (ALP), Prospect (ALP), <u>Riverstone</u> (ALP), Winston Hills (LIB)

Sydney		Roll 3386973	
Party (Seats)	Votes	%	Swing
Labor (31)	1155811	40.2	+4.7
Liberal (22)	1022962	35.6	-6.8
Greens (2)	295668	10.3	+0.3
SFF	5813	0.2	-0.1
One Nation	55810	1.9	+1.0
Sustainable Aust.	66103	2.3	+1.0
Legalise Cannabis	6832	0.2	+0.2
Animal Justice	39426	1.4	+0.6
Liberal Democrats	32266	1.1	+1.1
Others (2)	195790	6.8	-2.0
Labor 2PP	1446072	56.2	+7.2
Coalition 2PP	1129175	43.8	-7.2
Exhausted	301234	10.5	
Formal	2876481	96.6	..
Informal	101422	3.4	..
Total / Turnout	2977903	87.9	

Regional Rural		Roll 1413991	
Party (Seats)	Votes	%	Swing
Labor (4)	274102	22.7	+0.5
Liberal (3)	126461	10.5	-1.9
National (11)	398085	33.0	-2.9
Greens (1)	97342	8.1	-0.8
SFF	64343	5.3	-6.8
One Nation	6158	0.5	-0.7
Sustainable Aust.	21163	1.8	-0.4
Legalise Cannabis	38737	3.2	+3.2
Animal Justice	4977	0.4	-0.1
Liberal Democrats	3722	0.3	+0.3
Others (5)	171629	14.2	+5.6
Labor 2PP	386040	39.8	+2.6
Coalition 2PP	584489	60.2	-2.6
Exhausted	236190	19.6	
Formal	1206719	97.0	+0.3
Informal	37282	3.0	-0.3
Total / Turnout	1244001	88.0	

Hunter/Illawarra		Roll 720724	
Party (Seats)	Votes	%	Swing
Labor (10)	308168	49.8	+2.4
Liberal	109830	17.8	-9.2
National	5877	0.9	-1.0
Greens	62950	10.2	+0.6
SFF	3203	0.5	+0.5
One Nation	22715	3.7	+2.8
Sustainable Aust.	17431	2.8	+0.7
Legalise Cannabis	14488	2.3	+2.3
Animal Justice	7145	1.2	-1.0
Liberal Democrats	3492	0.6	+0.6
Others (2)	63431	10.3	+1.3
Labor 2PP	370820	72.2	+8.7
Coalition 2PP	142563	27.8	-8.7
Exhausted	105347	17.0	
Formal	618730	96.8	+0.7
Informal	20514	3.2	-0.7
Total / Turnout	639244	88.7	

Central Coast		Roll 231656	
Party (Seats)	Votes	%	Swing
Labor (3)	91134	46.6	+5.3
Liberal (1)	64750	33.1	-6.7
Greens	17422	8.9	-0.2
SFF	2071	1.1	-0.1
One Nation	6850	3.5	+3.5
Sustainable Aust.	7226	3.7	+1.9
Animal Justice	3232	1.7	-0.3
Liberal Democrats	1372	0.7	+0.7
Others	1668	0.9	-4.2
Labor 2PP	106004	60.0	+6.9
Coalition 2PP	70672	40.0	-6.9
Exhausted	19049	9.7	
Formal	195725	96.8	+0.9
Informal	6450	3.2	-0.9
Total / Turnout	202175	87.3	

North Shore		Roll 830995	
Party (Seats)	Votes	%	Swing
Labor	171177	23.4	+4.1
Liberal (13)	341327	46.6	-9.8
Greens	71390	9.7	-1.4
SFF	0	0.0	-0.6
One Nation	9774	1.3	+1.1
Sustainable Aust.	16580	2.3	-0.2
Animal Justice	4741	0.6	+0.2
Liberal Democrats	5767	0.8	+0.8
Others (1)	112049	15.3	+5.8
Labor 2PP	265964	41.2	+9.4
Coalition 2PP	379020	58.8	-9.4
Exhausted	87821	12.0	
Formal	732805	97.6	+0.1
Informal	17947	2.4	-0.1
Total / Turnout	750752	90.3	

Western Suburbs		Roll 1324093	
Party (Seats)	Votes	%	Swing
Labor (19)	535788	48.7	+2.5
Liberal (3)	346630	31.5	-4.6
Greens	72389	6.6	+0.8
SFF	1816	0.2	+0.2
One Nation	35989	3.3	+1.5
Sustainable Aust.	19409	1.8	+0.9
Legalise Cannabis	6832	0.6	+0.6
Animal Justice	21804	2.0	+1.3
Liberal Democrats	20020	1.8	+1.8
Others	40051	3.6	-5.0
Labor 2PP	601589	61.0	+4.2
Coalition 2PP	384939	39.0	-4.2
Exhausted	114200	10.4	
Formal	1100728	95.4	-0.1
Informal	53055	4.6	+0.1
Total / Turnout	1153783	87.1	

Inner City		Roll 590825	
Party (Seats)	Votes	%	Swing
Labor (5)	195610	39.7	+7.6
Liberal (2)	140071	28.4	-5.7
Greens (2)	103394	21.0	+1.7
Sustainable Aust.	11799	2.4	+1.3
Animal Justice	6839	1.4	+0.3
Liberal Democrats	1166	0.2	+0.2
Others (1)	33602	6.8	-5.4
Labor 2PP	285093	64.9	+8.5
Coalition 2PP	154164	35.1	-8.5
Exhausted	53224	10.8	
Formal	492481	97.8	+0.1
Informal	11267	2.2	-0.1
Total / Turnout	503748	85.3	

Southern Suburbs		Roll 409404	
Party (Seats)	Votes	%	Swing
Labor (4)	162102	45.7	+8.1
Liberal (3)	130184	36.7	-9.0
Greens	31073	8.8	+0.3
SFF	1926	0.5	+0.1
One Nation	3197	0.9	-0.9
Sustainable Aust.	11089	3.1	+2.4
Animal Justice	2810	0.8	+0.3
Liberal Democrats	3941	1.1	+1.1
Others	8420	2.4	-2.5
Labor 2PP	187422	57.2	+9.6
Coalition 2PP	140380	42.8	-9.6
Exhausted	26940	7.6	
Formal	354742	96.5	+0.1
Informal	12703	3.5	-0.1
Total / Turnout	367445	89.8	

Hunter Seats		Roll 483276	
Party (Seats)	Votes	%	Swing
Labor (7)	207079	49.9	+2.7
Liberal	74823	18.0	-6.2
National	5877	1.4	-1.5
Greens	38415	9.3	+0.9
SFF	3203	0.8	+0.8
One Nation	22715	5.5	+4.1
Sustainable Aust.	11347	2.7	+1.2
Legalise Cannabis	12242	3.0	+3.0
Animal Justice	4798	1.2	-1.7
Liberal Democrats	1918	0.5	+0.5
Others (1)	32459	7.8	-3.6
Labor 2PP	246296	71.4	+6.9
Coalition 2PP	98814	28.6	-6.9
Exhausted	69766	16.8	
Formal	414876	96.9	+0.7
Informal	13187	3.1	-0.7
Total / Turnout	428063	88.6	

North Coast		Roll 474326	
Party (Seats)	Votes	%	Swing
Labor (1)	97507	24.4	+0.3
Liberal (1)	21044	5.3	+5.3
National (5)	161647	40.4	-6.9
Greens (1)	49577	12.4	-1.4
SFF	3347	0.8	-4.5
Sustainable Aust.	10158	2.5	+0.1
Legalise Cannabis	20826	5.2	+5.2
Animal Justice	3714	0.9	-0.2
Liberal Democrats	623	0.2	+0.2
Others	31458	7.9	+1.9
Labor 2PP	145203	43.0	+1.7
Coalition 2PP	192210	57.0	-1.7
Exhausted	62488	15.6	
Formal	399901	96.8	+0.2
Informal	13096	3.2	-0.2
Total / Turnout	412997	87.1	

Illawarra		Roll 237448	
Party (Seats)	Votes	%	Swing
Labor (3)	101089	49.6	+1.7
Liberal	35007	17.2	-15.2
Greens	24535	12.0	+0.2
Sustainable Aust.	6084	3.0	-0.3
Legalise Cannabis	2246	1.1	+1.1
Animal Justice	2347	1.2	+0.5
Liberal Democrats	1574	0.8	+0.8
Others (1)	30972	15.2	+11.1
Labor 2PP	124524	74.0	+12.3
Coalition 2PP	43749	26.0	-12.3
Exhausted	35581	17.5	
Formal	203854	96.5	+0.5
Informal	7327	3.5	-0.5
Total / Turnout	211181	88.9	

Southern Rural		Roll 414509	
Party (Seats)	Votes	%	Swing
Labor (3)	107452	30.2	+1.9
Liberal (2)	105417	29.6	-12.1
National	27157	7.6	-3.6
Greens	29906	8.4	-1.0
SFF	25552	7.2	+1.6
One Nation	6158	1.7	-1.2
Sustainable Aust.	6002	1.7	-0.2
Legalise Cannabis	3765	1.1	+1.1
Animal Justice	1263	0.4	..
Liberal Democrats	1224	0.3	+0.3
Others (2)	42171	11.8	-0.2
Labor 2PP	142232	48.6	+8.6
Coalition 2PP	150341	51.4	-8.6
Exhausted	63494	17.8	
Formal	356067	96.9	+0.3
Informal	11372	3.1	-0.3
Total / Turnout	367439	88.6	

Western Rural		Roll 525156	
Party (Seats)	Votes	%	Swing
Labor	69143	15.3	-0.5
Liberal	0	0.0	-0.8
National (6)	209281	46.4	+1.7
Greens	17859	4.0	-0.2
SFF	35444	7.9	-15.3
One Nation	0	0.0	-0.9
Sustainable Aust.	5003	1.1	-1.0
Legalise Cannabis	14146	3.1	+3.1
Liberal Democrats	1875	0.4	+0.4
Others (3)	98000	21.7	+13.4
Labor 2PP	98605	29.0	-1.8
Coalition 2PP	241938	71.0	+1.8
Exhausted	110208	24.4	
Formal	450751	97.2	+0.3
Informal	12814	2.8	-0.3
Total / Turnout	463565	88.3	

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Upper Hunter (22 May 2021 – Resignation of Michael Johnsen)

Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
O'Connell	IND	4176	8.8	+8.8
Lea	IND	156	0.3	+0.3
Pears	LDP	698	1.5	-3.0
McNamara	ONP	5845	12.3	+12.3
Layzell	NAT	14805	31.2	-2.8
Norman	IND	1951	4.1	+4.1
Reynolds	IND	1027	2.2	+2.2
Abbott	GRN	1648	3.5	-1.3
Drayton	ALP	10055	21.2	-7.5
Blair	SAP	375	0.8	-1.4
Dello-Iacovo	AJP	397	0.8	-1.1
Gilroy	SFF	5676	12.0	-10.1
Fraser	IND	644	1.4	+1.4
....	CDP		0.0	-1.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Layzell	NAT	18484	55.8	+3.3
Drayton	ALP	14631	44.2	-3.3
Exhausted		14338	30.2	
Formal		47453	97.5	
Informal		1234	2.5	-0.9
Total Vote / Turnout		48687	86.7	

Note: Michael Johnsen resigned after the disclosure of several personal scandals.

Bega (ALP gain) (12 Feb 2022 – Resignation of Andrew Constance)

Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Hawkins	IND	1379	2.8	+2.8
Geiselhart	SAP	1011	2.0	+2.0
Bennett	IND	811	1.6	+1.6
Holland	ALP	21361	43.2	+12.6
Haggar	GRN	3453	7.0	-2.8
Hazir	SFF	2312	4.7	-1.8
Kotvojs	LIB	19165	38.7	-10.2
....	OTH		0.0	-4.3
<i>Final Count</i>				
Holland	ALP	24837	55.1	+12.0
Kotvojs	LIB	20269	44.9	-12.0
Exhausted		4386	8.9	
Formal		49492	98.2	
Informal		884	1.8	-1.
Total Vote / Turnout		50376	85.7	

Note: Andrew Constance resigned to contest Liberal pre-selection for the Federal seat of Gilmore. He was defeated contesting the 2022 Federal election.

Monaro (12 Feb 2022 – Resignation of John Barilaro)

Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Thaler	IND	2986	6.3	+3.8
Overall	NAT	21728	46.0	-6.3
Holgate	SAP	1920	4.1	+4.1
Seymour	AJP	1361	2.9	+0.5
Moore	GRN	4178	8.8	+0.9
Wilson	ALP	15102	31.9	+4.8
....	SFF		0.0	-7.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Overall	NAT	23474	55.2	-6.4
Wilson	ALP	19055	44.8	+6.4
Exhausted		4746	10.0	
Formal		47275	97.8	
Informal		1081	2.2	-0.3
Total Vote / Turnout		48356	83.4	

Note: John Barilaro announced his retirement as Nationals Leader and MLA shortly after the resignation of Premier Berejiklian.

Strathfield (12 Feb 2022 – Resignation of Jodi McKay)

Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Robertson	SAP	1795	4.1	+4.1
Li	ALP	18034	41.1	-3.2
Farrelly	IND	4328	9.9	+9.9
Laxmanalal	AJP	920	2.1	-0.1
Buckley	GRN	2930	6.7	-2.1
Sakr	LIB	15921	36.2	-2.6
....	OTH		0.0	-5.8
<i>Final Count</i>				
Li	ALP	21670	55.8	+0.8
Sakr	LIB	17160	44.2	-0.8
Exhausted		5098	11.6	
Formal		43928	98.4	
Informal		703	1.6	-1.4
Total Vote / Turnout		44631	80.8	

Note: Jodi McKay resigned as Labor Leader after the party failed to win the Upper Hunter by-election. She announced her intention to resign from Parliament shortly after the resignation of Premier Berejiklian.

Willoughby **Roll 54988**
(12 Feb 2022 – Resignation of Gladys Berejiklian)

Candidate	Party	Votes	%	Swing
<i>First Count</i>				
Bourke	SAP	2122	4.9	+3.2
Penn	IND	12920	29.7	+19.7
Gunning	LDP	1104	2.5	+2.5
Saville	GRN	5892	13.5	+2.4
James	LIB	18949	43.5	-13.5
Hackett	REA	2576	5.9	+5.9
....	ALP		0.0	014.4
....	OTH		0.0	-5.9
<i>Final Count</i>				
Penn	IND	17421	46.7	+46.7
James	LIB	19886	53.3	-17.7
....	ALP		0.0	-29.0
Exhausted		6256	14.4	
Formal		43563	98.4	
Informal		697	1.6	-0.3
Total Vote / Turnout		44260	80.5	

Note: Gladys Berejiklian resigned as Premier and as Member for Willoughby after the ICAC announced formal hearings into her involvement with former Wagga Wagga MLA Daryl Maguire.

Legislative Assembly: Final count percentages and result basis

District (Other party)	Final Pct after Preferences				Won By	Result basis	Required Preferences
	ALP	L/NP	OTH	Exhst			
Upper Hunter	30.8	<u>39.0</u>	..	30.2	NAT	Plurality	Full
Bega	50.2	41.0	..	8.9	ALP	Majority	Full
Monaro	40.3	<u>49.7</u>	..	10.0	NAT	Plurality	Partial
Strathfield	<u>49.3</u>	39.1	..	11.6	ALP	Plurality	Full
Willoughby	..	<u>45.6</u>	40.0	14.4	LIB	Plurality	Full

Explanation of table can be found on page 46.

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Legislative Council: State-wide totals

Party (Group)	Votes	% Vote	Swing	Quotas	Seats	
					Won	Change
Labor Party (D)	1,690,445	36.61	+6.93	8.0552	8	+1
Liberal / National (I)	1,374,857	29.78	-5.04	6.5514	7	-2
Greens (R)	419,346	9.08	-0.64	1.9982	2	..
One Nation (Q)	273,496	5.92	-0.97	1.3032	1	+1
Legalise Cannabis (O)	169,482	3.67	+3.67	0.8076	1	+1
Liberal Democrats (J)	162,755	3.53	+1.35	0.7755	1	+1
Shooters Fishers Farmers (N)	144,043	3.12	-2.42	0.6864	1	..
Animal Justice (C)	101,183	2.19	+0.24	0.4821	..	-1
Elizabeth Farrelly Inds (H)	61,163	1.32	+1.32	0.2914	..	..
#Family First (A)	58,361	1.26	+1.26	0.2781	..	..
Sustainable Australia (S)	42,902	0.93	-0.53	0.2044	..	..
#Australia One (U)	35,888	0.78	+0.78	0.1710	..	..
Public Education Party (L)	34,523	0.75	+0.75	0.1645	..	..
Informed Medical Options (M)	21,362	0.46	+0.46	0.1018	..	..
Socialist Alliance (F)	17,056	0.37	+0.05	0.0813	..	..
IND – Kelly group (B) ^B	3,891	0.08	+0.08	0.0185	..	..
IND – Nile group (G) ^B	2,507	0.05	+0.05	0.0119	..	-1
IND – Lim group (P) ^B	1,356	0.03	+0.03	0.0065	..	..
Ungrouped ^B	965	0.02	+0.02	0.0046	..	..
IND – Maksimovic group (E) ^B	722	0.02	+0.02	0.0034	..	..
IND – Caine group (T) ^B	306	0.01	+0.01	0.0015	..	..
#Socialist Equality (K) ^B	249	0.01	+0.01	0.0012	..	..
Others	0	0.00	-7.41	..	..	..
Formal	4,616,858	94.31			21	
Informal	278,477	5.69	-0.66			
Total Votes/Turnout	4,895,335	88.66	-1.50			
Quota	209,858					
Enrolment	5,521,688					

Note: Change in vote is calculated compared to percentage vote at the 2019 election, seat change compared to seats won by party in 2015. '#' indicates unregistered parties whose names did not appear on the ballot paper. Groups without an ATL group voting square are marked (^B) meaning totals consist of only BTL votes.

Party composition of retiring and continuing legislative councillors

	Rotation Composition			Chamber Composition		
	Continuing	Term end	Elected	Old	New	Change
Labor	7	7	8	14	15	+1
Liberal/National	5/3	6/3	5/2	11/6	10/5	-2
Greens	2	1	2	3	4	+1
One Nation	2	..	1	2	3	+1
SFF	1	1	1	2	2	..
Animal Justice	1	1	..	2	1	-1
Legalise Cannabis	..	..	1	..	1	+1
Liberal Democrats	..	..	1	..	1	+1
Others	..	2	..	2	..	-2
Total	21	21	21	42	42	42

Note – The departing 'Others' were Fred Nile (ex-Christian Democrat) and Justin Field (ex-Greens)

Legislative Councillors: Order of election

Elected at Count	Order of Election	Member (Party)	Order of Election	Member (Party)
1	1	Courtney Houssos (ALP)	2	Natasha Maclaren-Jones (LIB)
	3	Cate Faehrmann (GRN)	4	Mark Latham (ONP)
5	5	Rose Jackson (ALP)	6	Bronnie Taylor (NAT)
7	7	Cameron Murphy (ALP)	8	Chris Rath (LIB)
9	9	Emily Suvaal (ALP)	10	Susan Carter (LIB)
11	11	John Graham (ALP)	12	Ben Franklin (NAT)
13	13	Bob Nanva (ALP)	14	Jacqui Munro (LIB)
15	15	Stephen Lawrence (ALP)		
16	16	Sarah Kaine (ALP)		
277	17	Amanda Cohn (GRN)		
287	18	Jeremy Buckingham (LCN)	19	John Ruddick (LDP)
	20	Robert Borsak (SFF)	21	Rachel Merton (LIB)

Four MLCs were elected on first preferences at Count 1. The next 15 counts elected a further 12 MLCs as each party's surplus-to-quota votes trickled down the party ticket. Sixteen candidates were elected by Count 17 at which point no further candidates had a quota and the count switched to the exclusion of the lowest polling candidates.

On first preferences the total vote for the Greens was just short of two quotas. At Count 276 only 15 candidates remained in the race for the final five vacancies. The candidates remaining were the ninth Labor candidate, seventh Coalition candidate, the second Green and One Nation candidates, plus the lead candidates for the other 11 groups with an ATL group voting square. All ungrouped candidates, candidates for the six groups without an ATL group voting square, and all lower listed candidates for the 15 groups remaining in the count had been excluded.

At Count 276, the second Green candidate Amanda Cohn had 0.9995 quotas, just 96 votes short of the quota. Count 277 distributed the 6,468 votes held by the ninth Labor candidate Mick Veitch and elected Cohn to the 17th vacancy. Nine further exclusions took place until only five candidates remained. At Count 287, fifth placed Alison Waters (Animal Justice) was excluded though her preferences were not distributed. With only four candidates remaining to fill four vacancies, all four were declared elected with less than a quota. The final tallies and overall flow of preferences to the final five candidates are shown in the table below.

Final totals at Count 287 and preference flows during Counts 277-286

Candidate	Party	Votes	Quotas	Prefs Received	% Prefs
Jeremy Buckingham	Legalise Cannabis	189,312	0.9021	19,438	5.6
John Ruddick	Liberal Democrat	178,985	0.8529	14,741	4.2
Robert Borsak	SFF	158,316	0.7544	14,031	4.0
Rachel Merton	Liberal	137,857	0.6569	21,958	6.3
Alison Waters	Animal Justice	127,229	0.6063	25,614	7.4
Exhausted		257,573	1.2274	251,105	72.4

As the above table shows, between Count 277 and Count 286, 72.4% of distributed ballot papers exhausted their preferences with only 27.6% reaching one of the final five candidates as preferences. Of the distributed ballot papers, 7.4% flowed to Animal Justice's Alison Waters, 6.3% to Liberal Rachel

Merton, 5.6% to Jeremy Buckingham of Legalise Cannabis, 4.2% to Liberal Democrat John Ruddick and 4.0% to Robert Borsak of the Shooters, Fishers and Farmers Party.

On first preferences, Buckingham, Ruddick and Borsak had been far enough ahead to be certain of election to vacancies 18 to 20. The 21st vacancy was a contest between Alison Waters (Animal Justice) and the seventh Coalition candidate Rachel Merton (Liberal). Waters trailed in the count, but Animal Justice had won from trailing positions at both the 2015 and 2019 elections. Despite a party's higher vote in 2023, weaker preference flows meant that Animal Justice was unable to repeat the feat.

At Count 277, Merton led Waters by 14,377 votes. Preference distributions by Count 285 had narrowed Merton's lead over Waters to 3,942 votes. Waters had received stronger preference flows from a range of groups, including a 'donkey vote' flow of preferences from Lyle Shelton (Family First) in Group A. The exclusion of Tania Mihailuk (One Nation) ended the favourable preference flows to Waters and the final victory margin of Rachel Merton (Liberal) over Alison Waters (Animal Justice) was 10,628 votes.

The exhaustion rates and more significant percentage preference flows for exclusions between Counts 277 and 286 are shown in the table below.

Votes distributed at Legislative Council exclusions – Counts 277-286 (Quota 209,858)

Count	Votes	Quotas	Excluded	Exhst%	Main % Preference Flows (>5%)
277	8,918	0.0425	Veitch (ALP)	66.3	Greens 17.2
278	17,427	0.0830	O'Brien (SA)	56.2	Animal Justice 11.1, Legalise Cannabis 9.3, Public Education Party 5.7, Elizabeth Farrelly Inds 5.7
279	22,057	0.1051	O'Neill (IMOP)	57.1	One Nation 8.2, Legalise Cannabis 7.7, Liberal Democrats 5.1
280	1,434	0.0068	Green surplus (delayed)	21.7	Animal Justice 42.6, Public Education Party 11.9, Legalise Cannabis 6.3, Sustainable Australia 5.3
281	37,014	0.1764	Khay (PEP)	66.4	Legalise Cannabis 6.6, Animal Justice 6.1, Sustainable Australia 5.0
282	37,210	0.1773	Bosi (AOP)	74.8	One Nation 11.6
283	47,899	0.2282	Bourke (SAP)	60.5	Legalise Cannabis 10.1, Animal Justice 9.0, One Nation 5.6
284	58,961	0.2810	Shelton (FFP)	62.0	Animal Justice 12.4, One Nation 11.5, Liberal 5.4
285	67,825	0.3232	Farrelly (EFI)	71.3	Animal Justice 9.2, Liberal 7.9, Legalise Cannabis 5.3
286	81,583	0.3888	Mihailuk (ONP)	68.9	Liberal 10.2, SFF 7.9, Liberal Democrats 6.6

Notes: The Green surplus distributed at Count 280 was sourced from the distribution of Mick Veitch (Labor) preferences at Count 277. As the distribution of the Green surplus would not change the order of exclusion for the next two candidates, the distribution of Cohn's surplus was delayed until Count 280.

Comparison of exhaustion rates

Since the current Legislative Council electoral system was introduced in 2003, there has been a very high rate of ballot paper preference exhaustion towards the end of the preference distribution. This point of the count is when only candidates from groups with ATL group voting squares remain. With the bulk of ballot papers completed as 1-only ATL votes, the exclusions of the final candidate from each group produces the high rates of exhaustion shown in the above table.

Under the current system, exhaustion rates during this final group candidate exclusion phase have been 84.8% (2003), 83.4% (2007), 82.7% (2011), 83.4% (2015), 72.2% (2019) and 72.4% (2023).

The lower exhaustion rates in 2019 and 2023 followed the changes to the Senate's electoral system. The new Senate ballot paper instructs voters to complete a minimum six ATL preferences. As discussed on the next page, the Senate changes have educated voters on marking ATL preferences and produced the lower exhaustion rates seen at the 2019 and 2023 Legislative Council elections.

Incidence of above and below the line voting

Party (Group)	No. Cands.	% Vote	% of ATL Votes with		Change	% BTL Votes
			No Prefs	With Prefs		
Labor (D)	21	36.61	60.3	38.3	+11.8	1.4
Liberal/National (I)	15	29.78	69.1	29.9	+3.8	1.0
Greens (R)	18	9.08	35.8	61.4	+18.3	2.9
One Nation (Q)	16	5.92	70.0	25.4	+9.7	4.6
Legalise Cannabis (O)	18	3.67	53.1	43.3	..	3.6
Liberal Democrats (J)	17	3.53	64.1	33.9	+13.1	2.1
Shooters Fishers Farmers (N)	17	3.12	68.0	29.6	+8.5	2.4
Animal Justice (C)	17	2.19	52.0	44.7	+11.3	3.2
Elizabeth Farrelly Inds (H)	16	1.32	58.9	35.7	..	5.4
#Family First (A)	15	1.26	53.7	32.3	..	13.9
Sustainable Australia (S)	21	0.93	52.6	43.9	+8.1	3.5
#AustraliaOne (U)	18	0.78	71.3	20.9	..	7.8
Public Education (L)	17	0.75	59.3	36.7	..	4.1
Informed Medical Options (M)	18	0.46	54.1	40.9	..	5.1
Socialist Alliance (F)	15	0.37	47.2	47.9	+4.7	4.9
IND – Kelly Group (B)	9	0.08	..	..	..	100.0
IND – Nile Group (G)	2	0.05	..	..	..	100.0
IND – Lim Group (P)	2	0.03	..	..	..	100.0
Ungrouped	11	0.02	..	..	..	100.0
IND – Maksimovic Group (E)	3	0.02	..	..	..	100.0
IND – Caine Group (T)	2	0.01	..	..	..	100.0
#Socialist Equality (K)	2	0.01	..	..	..	100.0
Election Totals	290		60.9	36.8	+9.2	2.3

Notes:

The percentage for ATL votes with no preferences, of ATL votes with preferences, and of BTL votes, have been calculated as a percentage of total party vote. The three entries for each party add to 100%. The 'Change' column shows the change in the percentage of ATL votes with preferences since 2019. An entry for change is only shown for parties that contested both the 2019 and 2023 elections. The figure for Election Totals is calculated based on all votes cast at both elections.

As a percentage of all votes, ATL votes with preferences increased from 15.3% in 2015 to 27.6% in 2019 and 36.8% in 2023. Single '1' ATL votes declined from 83.0% in 2015 to 69.7% in 2019 and 60.9% in 2023. The rate of BTL voting is largely unchanged.

The increase in above the line voting with preferences is due to voter experience with the new Senate voting system introduced in 2016. This system was used once before the 2019 NSW election, and twice more before the 2023 election. Around 90% of NSW voters completed ATL votes with preferences at the last three Senate elections. This Senate use of ATL votes with preferences has caused the increase in ATL votes with preferences at Legislative Council elections.

The percentage of 1-only ATL voting was highest with three right of centre parties that did not recommend preferences on how-to-vote material. The highest rates were Australia One (Group U) 71.3%, One Nation 70.0% and the Shooters Fishers and Farmers Party 68.0. Left of centre parties that recommended preferences saw lower rates of 1-only voting, with 35.8% for the Greens, 47.2% for Socialist Alliance and 52.0% for Animal Justice.

More analysis of above and below the line voting rates by party will be included in a separate publication on the Legislative Council election to be published in the future.

Detailed Legislative Council results

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

(Roll 5,521,688, Quota 209,858)

Grp	Party / Candidate	Votes	% Vote	Quotas	% Ticket
A	#Family First	58,361	1.26	0.2781	86.09
	Group Votes (no preferences)	31,368	0.68	0.1495	53.75
	Group Votes (with preferences)	18,876	0.41	0.0899	32.34
	SHELTON Lyle	5,482	0.12	0.0261	
	HELVADJIAN Barbara	369	0.01	0.0018	
	MODARELLI Don	270	0.01	0.0013	
	STRETTON Richard	272	0.01	0.0013	
	GREEN Jamie	509	0.01	0.0024	
	BUTT Robyn	276	0.01	0.0013	
	McLENNAN Graham	177	..	0.0008	
	DENGATE Craig	99	..	0.0005	
	MARSH Nathaniel	137	..	0.0007	
	BRADBURY Tracey	124	..	0.0006	
	WINDEYER Penelope	64	..	0.0003	
	IRAWAN Benjamin	71	..	0.0003	
	DUIGNAN Prue	52	..	0.0002	
	RYAN Glen	86	..	0.0004	
	CHAPLIN Michael	129	..	0.0006	
B	(Kelly group)	3,891	0.08	0.0185	0.00
	KELLY Craig	3,498	0.08	0.0167	
	ROBERTSON Andrew	79	..	0.0004	
	SAAD Rosemary	100	..	0.0005	
	KHOURY Anne	56	..	0.0003	
	MACKIN Dean	55	..	0.0003	
	NALBANDIAN Robert	32	..	0.0002	
	ROBERTSON Amber	20	..	0.0001	
	WRIGHTSON M	16	..	0.0001	
	KELLY Philip	35	..	0.0002	
C	Animal Justice Party	101,183	2.19	0.4821	96.75
	Group Votes (no preferences)	52,635	1.14	0.2508	52.02
	Group Votes (with preferences)	45,260	0.98	0.2157	44.73
	WATERS Alison	2,190	0.05	0.0104	
	WARD Louise	188	..	0.0009	
	STELLINO Matt	131	..	0.0006	
	BLASONATO Catherine	81	..	0.0004	
	JONES Petra	101	..	0.0005	
	MURPHY Patrick	76	..	0.0004	
	WOODGATE Naomi	89	..	0.0004	
	JANAWAY Ann	51	..	0.0002	
	WARD Catherine	59	..	0.0003	
	WATERS Susannah	48	..	0.0002	
	ROMANOVSKY Teresa	33	..	0.0002	
	BERTRAM Jordy	18	..	0.0001	
	THOMPSON Kramer	26	..	0.0001	
	ROBERTSON Ellie	49	..	0.0002	
	HAHN Christine	27	..	0.0001	
	PATERSON Kate	48	..	0.0002	
	MUELLER Lana	73	..	0.0003	

Grp	Party / Candidate	Votes	% Vote	Quotas	% Ticket
D	Labor	1,690,445	36.61	8.0552	98.61
	Group Votes (no preferences)	1,018,955	22.07	4.8554	60.28
	Group Votes (with preferences)	647,936	14.03	3.0875	38.33
	* HOUSSOS Courtney (Re-elected 1)	12,949	0.28	0.0617	
	* JACKSON Rose (Re-elected 5)	2,013	0.04	0.0096	
	MURPHY Cameron (Elected 7)	1,154	0.02	0.0055	
	SUVAAL Emily (Elected 9)	712	0.02	0.0034	
	* GRAHAM John (Re-elected 11)	856	0.02	0.0041	
	NANVA Bob (Elected 13)	372	0.01	0.0018	
	LAWRENCE Stephen (Elected 15)	837	0.02	0.0040	
	KAINE Sarah (Elected 16)	628	0.01	0.0030	
	* VEITCH Mick (Defeated)	684	0.01	0.0033	
	PRINS Stewart	172	..	0.0008	
	MIRAN Michelle	303	0.01	0.0014	
	BROWNE Marion	220	..	0.0010	
	CHOWDHURY Rizwan	518	0.01	0.0025	
	SHAMS Shoaib	297	0.01	0.0014	
	SEKFY Paul	104	..	0.0005	
	WARD Pamela	269	0.01	0.0013	
	CHALMERS Stef	175	..	0.0008	
	DAVIS Greg	312	0.01	0.0015	
	McGREGOR Tori	294	0.01	0.0014	
	FAIREY Lynne	143	..	0.0007	
	FORDHAM Lorraine	542	0.01	0.0026	
E	(Maksimovic group)	722	0.02	0.0034	0.00
	MAKSIMOVIC Milan	614	0.01	0.0029	
	LIONS Deborah	78	..	0.0004	
	VILLATORA Mianda	30	..	0.0001	
F	Socialist Alliance	17,056	0.37	0.0813	95.06
	Group Votes (no preferences)	8,042	0.17	0.0383	47.15
	Group Votes (with preferences)	8,171	0.18	0.0389	47.91
	O'BRIEN Steve	511	0.01	0.0024	
	SANCHEZ Paula	91	..	0.0004	
	CHUTER Andrew	19	..	0.0001	
	ASHBY Samantha	46	..	0.0002	
	McALEAR Joel	20	..	0.0001	
	LEEDHAM Steffi	11	..	0.0001	
	McILROY Jim	15	..	0.0001	
	WYNTER Coral	19	..	0.0001	
	NELLIST Isaac	21	..	0.0001	
	HINMAN Pip	28	..	0.0001	
	BOYLE Peter	16	..	0.0001	
	FUENTES Federico	9	..	..
	RADFORD Ben	9	..	..
	RODEN Duncan	5	..	..
	WYNER James	23	..	0.0001	
G	(Nile group)	2,507	0.05	0.0119	0.00
	NILE Silvana	1,500	0.03	0.0071	
	* NILE Fred (Defeated)	1,007	0.02	0.0048	

Grp	Party / Candidate	Votes	% Vote	Quotas	% Ticket
H	Elizabeth Farrelly Independents	61,163	1.32	0.2914	94.62
	Group Votes (no preferences)	36,037	0.78	0.1717	58.92
	Group Votes (with preferences)	21,836	0.47	0.1041	35.70
	FARRELLY Elizabeth	2,745	0.06	0.0131	
	RUSSELL Teresa	55	..	0.0003	
	BADAMI Sunil	51	..	0.0002	
	MURRAY Philippa	60	..	0.0003	
	CHAN Hugo	63	..	0.0003	
	CRAWFORD Jennifer	69	..	0.0003	
	McGOWAN Anne	29	..	0.0001	
	PIDCOCK Caroline	42	..	0.0002	
	WALTON Julie	25	..	0.0001	
	STANHAM Jane	21	..	0.0001	
	RICKETSON Rose	22	..	0.0001	
	POTTS Andrew	32	..	0.0002	
	McKENZIE Deni	17	..	0.0001	
	SHEEHAN Maire	9	..	..
	SHARPE Freddy	11	..	0.0001	
	FORD Edilia	39	..	0.0002	
I	Liberal / The Nationals	1,374,857	29.78	6.5514	99.04
	Group Votes (no preferences)	950,124	20.58	4.5275	69.11
	Group Votes (with preferences)	411,539	8.91	1.9610	29.93
	* MACLAREN-JONES Natasha (Re-elected 2)	7,521	0.16	0.0358	
	* TAYLOR Bronnie (NAT) (Re-elected 6)	1,346	0.03	0.0064	
	* RATH Chris (Re-elected 8)	632	0.01	0.0030	
	CARTER Susan (Elected 10)	451	0.01	0.0021	
	* FRANKLIN Ben (NAT) (Re-elected 12)	546	0.01	0.0026	
	MUNRO Jacqui (Elected 14)	395	0.01	0.0019	
	MERTON Rachel (Elected 21)	250	0.01	0.0012	
	* BARRETT Scott (NAT) (Defeated)	460	0.01	0.0022	
	DHALIWAL Jag	284	0.01	0.0014	
	WHITE Sophie	300	0.01	0.0014	
	NILAND Ben (NAT)	97	..	0.0005	
	LI-CANTWELL Ying	215	..	0.0010	
	McGAHEY Vicky	129	..	0.0006	
	CESTAR Mirjana	136	..	0.0006	
	COXHEAD Steve (NAT)	432	0.01	0.0021	
J	Liberal Democrats	162,755	3.53	0.7755	97.93
	Group Votes (no preferences)	104,265	2.26	0.4968	64.06
	Group Votes (with preferences)	55,129	1.19	0.2627	33.87
	RUDDICK John (Elected 19)	2,034	0.04	0.0097	
	FONTANA Millie	181	..	0.0009	
	DUMER Natalie	151	..	0.0007	
	MEAD Clinton	80	..	0.0004	
	SINOSIC Elvis	127	..	0.0006	
	LARTER John	239	0.01	0.0011	
	WHEELER Michael	79	..	0.0004	
	WHELAN Peter	62	..	0.0003	
	BEAZLEY Phillip	81	..	0.0004	
	GRAHAM Michael	67	..	0.0003	
	CRIBB Robert	28	..	0.0001	
	SHAMSABAD Cameron	31	..	0.0001	
	RUNGE Peter	20	..	0.0001	
	RIOS Charles	15	..	0.0001	
	GUNNING Samuel	25	..	0.0001	
	DE LIMA Joaquim	40	..	0.0002	
	MANNING Matthew	101	..	0.0005	

Grp	Party / Candidate	Votes	% Vote	Quotas	% Ticket
K	#Socialist Equality	249	0.01	0.0012	0.00
	GRENFELL Oscar	206	..	0.0010	
	HEAD Mike	43	..	0.0002	
L	Public Education Party	34,523	0.75	0.1645	95.91
	Group Votes (no preferences)	20,458	0.44	0.0975	59.26
	Group Votes (with preferences)	12,653	0.27	0.0603	36.65
	KHAY Khalil	777	0.02	0.0037	
	McBRIDE Cheryl	150	..	0.0007	
	FLINT Anne	61	..	0.0003	
	FURNESS Peter	56	..	0.0003	
	MCNALLY Edith	45	..	0.0002	
	REYNOLDS Barbara	45	..	0.0002	
	HACKETT Penelope	43	..	0.0002	
	POOLE Warren	31	..	0.0001	
	ROBERTSON Neil	26	..	0.0001	
	ROBERTSON Sue	25	..	0.0001	
	ACKROYD Gemma	29	..	0.0001	
	ACKROYD Hugh	6	..	..
	STEEP Sandi	10	..	..
	FOX Harry	13	..	0.0001	
	FOX Lynne	11	..	0.0001	
	KNOX Kerryanne	22	..	0.0001	
	WALSH Vicki	62	..	0.0003	
M	Informed Medical Options Party (IMOP)	21,362	0.46	0.1018	94.95
	Group Votes (no preferences)	11,548	0.25	0.0550	54.06
	Group Votes (with preferences)	8,735	0.19	0.0416	40.89
	O'NEILL Michael	752	0.02	0.0036	
	BURNUM BURNUM Marelle	112	..	0.0005	
	KINNEY Lesley	22	..	0.0001	
	MUND Kevin	6	..	..
	DAVIES Alison	30	..	0.0001	
	CURNOW Robyn	16	..	0.0001	
	BENNETTS Megan	20	..	0.0001	
	MIDDLETON Christeena	8	..	..
	BURKE Karen	12	..	0.0001	
	O'NEILL Gerard	13	..	0.0001	
	OTTO Wan	8	..	..
	FOX Benjamin	12	..	0.0001	
	GRECH Craig	2	..	..
	SHEPHERD Monica	17	..	0.0001	
	TAYLOR Graham	9	..	..
	TITTELBACH Karen	9	..	..
	DAVIES Ian	7	..	..
	FENWICK John	24	..	0.0001	
N	Shooters Fishers and Farmers	144,043	3.12	0.6864	97.56
	Group Votes (no preferences)	97,912	2.12	0.4666	67.97
	Group Votes (with preferences)	42,618	0.92	0.2031	29.59
	* BORSAK Robert (Re-elected 20)	2,485	0.05	0.0118	
	DJURIC Shane	190	..	0.0009	
	NOUJAIM Alain	53	..	0.0003	
	BODDAN Kyle	75	..	0.0004	
	RICHARDS Steven	107	..	0.0005	
	THOMPSON William	88	..	0.0004	
	POWELL Alexander	74	..	0.0004	
	NOUJAIM Therese	38	..	0.0002	
	BOYLE Brian	47	..	0.0002	
	HOWDEN John	51	..	0.0002	

Grp	Party / Candidate	Votes	% Vote	Quotas	% Ticket
	LESAGE Kelly	51	..	0.0002	
	GRASSO Raffaele	22	..	0.0001	
	NOUJAIM Angelique	20	..	0.0001	
	EL SALIM Moses	33	..	0.0002	
	VAN BYSTERVELD Mark	26	..	0.0001	
	CAPPETTA Grant	18	..	0.0001	
	ROSSI Joe	135	..	0.0006	
O	Legalise Cannabis Party	169,482	3.67	0.8076	96.43
	Group Votes (no preferences)	89,973	1.95	0.4287	53.09
	Group Votes (with preferences)	73,459	1.59	0.3500	43.34
	BUCKINGHAM Jeremy (Elected 18)	4,537	0.10	0.0216	
	MATHISON James	225	..	0.0011	
	HESTER Gail	113	..	0.0005	
	BALDERSTONE Michael	136	..	0.0006	
	BURGE Karen	113	..	0.0005	
	HOOD Frances	93	..	0.0004	
	SMITH Ross	88	..	0.0004	
	ELLIS Lincoln	74	..	0.0004	
	LINDNER Nicole	81	..	0.0004	
	DAKHILI Elyas	36	..	0.0002	
	WILLIAMSON Kathleen	44	..	0.0002	
	EDEN Ian	33	..	0.0002	
	GRAVES Louise	35	..	0.0002	
	FUGGLE Donald	49	..	0.0002	
	GREEN Max	147	..	0.0007	
	HARPER Michael	32	..	0.0002	
	BEST Crystal	100	..	0.0005	
	REYNOLDS Reece	114	..	0.0005	
P	(Lim group)	1,356	0.03	0.0065	0.00
	LIM Danny	1,338	0.03	0.0064	
	LIM Lee	18	..	0.0001	
Q	One Nation	273,496	5.92	1.3032	95.40
	Group Votes (no preferences)	191,381	4.15	0.9120	69.98
	Group Votes (with preferences)	69,531	1.51	0.3313	25.42
	LATHAM Mark (Elected 4)	11,971	0.26	0.0570	
	+ MIHAILUK Tania (Defeated)	170	..	0.0008	
	BATISH Amit	33	..	0.0002	
	GRIGG Colin	78	..	0.0004	
	SMITH Roger	44	..	0.0002	
	TRIPP Steven	32	..	0.0002	
	FENTON Charlie	20	..	0.0001	
	ORCHARD Richard	28	..	0.0001	
	SAKER Adrian	7	..	..
	SAKER Vicki	19	..	0.0001	
	LANYON Alan	19	..	0.0001	
	ROBERTS Quenten	27	..	0.0001	
	TURNER Nicholas	28	..	0.0001	
	DONOVAN Samuel	15	..	0.0001	
	WHITTAKER Anastasia	36	..	0.0002	
	RUGLESS Kellie	57	..	0.0003	
R	The Greens	419,346	9.08	1.9982	97.14
	Group Votes (no preferences)	150,046	3.25	0.7150	35.78
	Group Votes (with preferences)	257,306	5.57	1.2261	61.36
	* FAEHRMANN Cate (Re-elected 3)	8,591	0.19	0.0409	
	COHN Amanda (Elected 17)	590	0.01	0.0028	
	COE Lynda-June	595	0.01	0.0028	

Grp	Party / Candidate	Votes	% Vote	Quotas	% Ticket
	CASEY Jim	261	0.01	0.0012	
	FRAIL Trish	109	..	0.0005	
	THOMPSON Elizabeth	256	0.01	0.0012	
	SCOTT Jane	174	..	0.0008	
	MILLER Kashmir	112	..	0.0005	
	LLOYD Eddie	98	..	0.0005	
	ATKINS Liz	179	..	0.0009	
	COX Mithra	116	..	0.0006	
	DAVIS Jan	51	..	0.0002	
	O'NEILL Astrid	126	..	0.0006	
	SHAHAMAT Vida	131	..	0.0006	
	HICKEY Tony	51	..	0.0002	
	TASTAN Ismet	115	..	0.0005	
	WESTON Russell	27	..	0.0001	
	ELLSMORE Sylvie	412	0.01	0.0020	
S	Sustainable Australia Party - Stop Overdevelopment / Corruption	42,902	0.93	0.2044	96.48
	Group Votes (no preferences)	22,564	0.49	0.1075	52.59
	Group Votes (with preferences)	18,827	0.41	0.0897	43.88
	BOURKE William	1,022	0.02	0.0049	
	OH Hana	75	..	0.0004	
	MORELLI Bradd	37	..	0.0002	
	SMYTHE Deborah	38	..	0.0002	
	KUIPERS Herman	9	..	..
	YUE Xiaowei	46	..	0.0002	
	LANDWEHR Torsten	6	..	..
	ALDEN John	13	..	0.0001	
	HILLEARD Lisa	32	..	0.0002	
	REID Peter	30	..	0.0001	
	GREEN Jill	39	..	0.0002	
	BURKE Ann	15	..	0.0001	
	COTTEE Mike	8	..	..
	TAYLOR David	14	..	0.0001	
	KITCHENER Susan	30	..	0.0001	
	WILDER Michael	8	..	..
	NOONAN Alison	14	..	0.0001	
	EGGLETON Robert	3	..	..
	BLACKER Cheryl	18	..	0.0001	
	MAGNUSSON Alan	7	..	..
	WINTER Dean	47	..	0.0002	
T	(Caine group)	306	0.01	0.0015	0.00
	CAINE Milton	280	0.01	0.0013	
	SKILLIN Robert	26	..	0.0001	
U	#AustraliaOne	35,888	0.78	0.1710	92.19
	Group Votes (no preferences)	25,589	0.55	0.1219	71.30
	Group Votes (with preferences)	7,495	0.16	0.0357	20.88
	BOSI Riccardo	2,613	0.06	0.0125	
	GRAHAM David	31	..	0.0001	
	GEORGE Jackie	33	..	0.0002	
	TODISCO Franco	11	..	0.0001	
	HEATH David	7	..	..
	McKINLAY Garry	9	..	..
	KLOEPFER Frank	6	..	..
	KLOEPFER Reagan	8	..	..
	GEORGE Robyn	5	..	..
	GEORGE Logan	10	..	..

GrpParty / Candidate	Votes	% Vote	Quotas	% Ticket
BOWDEN Scott	13	..	0.0001	
WALKER Kevin	7	..	..
GEORGE Luke	11	..	0.0001	
KIRKELS Brad	3	..	..
KAFER Barbara	6	..	..
ANDERSON Noel	6	..	..
POLIN Matt	5	..	..
FSADNI Josephine	20	..	0.0001	
UNG Ungrouped	965	0.02	0.0046	0.00
PRASAD Stefan	153	..	0.0007	
FULLER Colleen	156	..	0.0007	
GRZIC Warren	33	..	0.0002	
HUYNH Van	83	..	0.0004	
LEA Archie	35	..	0.0002	
MARTIN Michelle	89	..	0.0004	
HOWE Lee	134	..	0.0006	
ALLEN Mick	39	..	0.0002	
CHEETHAM R	11	..	0.0001	
LU Guitang	158	..	0.0008	
POTKONYAK George	74	..	0.0004	
Formal Vote	4,616,858	94.31		97.69
Informal	278,477	5.69		
Total Votes/Turnout	4,895,335	88.66		
Enrolment	5,521,688			
Quota	209,858	4.55		
Group Votes (Total)	4,510,268	97.69		
Group Votes (no preferences)	2,810,897	60.88		
Group Votes (with preferences)	1,699,371	36.81		
Below the Line Votes	106,590	2.31		

New and departing members

Legislative Assembly

Sixty-eight members of the Legislative Assembly were re-elected at the 2023 election, 33 Labor, 17 Liberal, eight National, two Greens and three Independents. The other five re-elected members were returned under a different party label, the three ex-SFF members returned as Independents, ex-Liberal Gareth Ward as an Independent, and former National Leslie Williams elected for the first time as a Liberal. **Seventeen members retired**, nine Liberals, three Nationals, three Labor, one Green and ex-Liberal MLA John Sidoti. **Seven members were defeated**, six Liberals and a National. Bankstown MLA Tania Mihailuk contested the Legislative Council for One Nation.

There were 25 new MLAs, 12 Labor, seven Liberal, three Nationals, two Independents and a Green. Of the 12 new Labor MLAs, five defeated sitting government members, four Liberal and one National. Three replaced retiring Labor MLAs, three gained seats from retiring Liberal MLAs, and Nathan Hagarty won the new seat of Leppington. The seven new Liberals replaced retiring Liberal MLAs, as was the case with the three new Nationals and one Greens MLAs. The two new Independents won Liberal seats, Wakehurst from a retiring Liberal by and Wollondilly defeating a Liberal.

Legislative Assembly: Changes in membership

Electorate	Departing MP (Party)	Reason	New MP (Party)
Balmain	Jamie Parker (GRN)	Retired	Kobi Shetty (GRN)
Bankstown	Tania Mihailuk (ex-ALP)	Contested LC	Jihad Dib (ALP) (former Lakemba)
Barwon ¹	Roy Butler (ex-SFF)	Ex-party	Roy Butler (IND)
Baulkham Hills	David Elliott (LIB)	Retired	Seat abolished
Cabramatta	Nick Lalich (ALP)	Retired	Tri Vo (ALP)
Camden	Peter Sidgreaves (LIB)	Defeated	Sally Quinnell (ALP)
Castle Hill	Ray Williams (LIB)	Changed seat	Mark Hodges (LIB)
Clarence	Chris Gulaptis (NAT)	Retired	Richie Williamson (NAT)
Davidson	Jonathan O'Dea (LIB)	Retired	Matt Cross (LIB)
Drummoyne	John Sidoti (ex-LIB)	Retired	Stephanie Di Pasqua (LIB)
East Hills	Wendy Lindsay (LIB)	Defeated	Kylie Wilkinson (ALP)
Fairfield	Guy Zangari (ALP)	Retired	David Saliba (ALP)
Heathcote ²	Lee Evans (LIB)	Defeated	Maryanne Stuart (ALP)
Holsworthy ³	Melanie Gibbons (LIB)	Changed seat	Tina Ayyad (LIB)
Kellyville	New seat		Ray Williams (LIB)
Kiama ¹	Gareth Ward (ex-LIB)	Ex-party	Gareth Ward (IND)
Kiama ³	Melanie Gibbons (LIB)	Changed seat	(Defeated)
Leppington	New seat		Nathan Hagarty (ALP)
Liverpool	Paul Lynch (ALP)	Retired	Charishma Kaliyanda (ALP)
Monaro	Nichole Overall (NAT)	Defeated	Steven Whan (ALP)
Murray ¹	Helen Dalton (ex-SFF)	Ex-party	Helen Dalton (IND)
Myall Lakes	Stephen Bromhead (NAT)	Retired	Tanya Thompson (NAT)
Orange ¹	Philip Donato (ex-SFF)	Ex-party	Philip Donato (IND)
Oxley	Melinda Pavey (NAT)	Retired	Michael Kemp (NAT)
Parramatta	Geoff Lee (LIB)	Retired	Donna Davis (ALP)
Penrith	Stuart Ayres (LIB)	Defeated	Karen McKeown (ALP)
Pittwater	Rob Stokes (LIB)	Retired	Rory Amon (LIB)
Port Macquarie ¹	Leslie Williams (ex-NAT)	Ex-party	Leslie Williams (LIB)
Riverstone	Kevin Conolly (LIB)	Retired	Warren Kirby (ALP)
Ryde	Victor Dominello (LIB)	Retired	Jordan Lane (LIB)
South Coast	Shelley Hancock (LIB)	Retired	Liza Butler (ALP)
Vaucluse	Gabrielle Upton (LIB)	Retired	Kellie Sloane (LIB)
Wakehurst	Brad Hazzard (LIB)	Retired	Michael Regan (IND)
Wollondilly	Nathaniel Smith (LIB)	Defeated	Judy Hannan (IND)

Notes:

Bold indicates seats that changed party status at the 2023 election.

1 – Member re-elected but change in party affiliation since 2019

2 – Sitting member defeated in a notional Labor seat after the redistribution

3 – Melanie Gibbons lost Liberal pre-selection for Holsworthy but was selected as candidate for Kiama

By-elections

There were five by-elections conducted during the 2019-23 Parliament, four retained by the holding party and one resulting in a change of party status.

Legislative Assembly by-election: Changes in membership 2015-2019

Electorate	Departing MP (Party)	Reason	New MP (Party)
Upper Hunter	Michael Johnsen (NAT)	Resigned	David Layzell (NAT)
Bega	Andrew Constance (LIB)	Resigned	Michael Holland (ALP)
Monaro	John Barilaro (NAT)	Resigned	Nichole Overall (NAT)
Strathfield	Jodi McKay (ALP)	Resigned	Jason Yat-Sen Li (ALP)
Willoughby	Gladys Berejiklian (LIB)	Resigned	Tim James (LIB)

Note: **Bold** indicates seats that changed party status. See details of by-elections on page 55.

Legislative Council

Eight MLCs in positions originally filled at the 2015 election were re-elected in 2023, three Labor, one Liberal, two Nationals and one Green, one SFF. Ten members did not contest the election (three Labor, five Liberal, one Animal Justice, one Independent ex-Green) and three MLCs were defeated (one Labor, one National, one Independent ex-Christian Democrat). Thirteen new MLCs were elected, five Labor, four Liberal, and one each from the Greens, One Nation, Legalise Cannabis and the Liberal Democrats.

Compared to the 2015 election, the change in party composition for the elected members was Labor (+1), Liberal (-1), National (-1), Greens (+1), One Nation (+1), Legalise Cannabis (+1), Liberal Democrats (+1) and Animal Justice (-1). Others were (-2) with the departure of ex-Green Justin Field and ex-Christian Democrat Fred Nile.

These numbers treat **Natasha Maclaren-Jones** (Liberal) and **Mark Latham** (One Nation) as newly elected rather than re-elected members. Both had been elected to eight-year terms in 2019 and resigned mid-way through their terms to contest new eight-year positions in 2023. Rather than being listed in the re-elected members table below, they are shown as newly elected in the changes to members table on the next page.

The resignation of Maclaren-Jones and Latham had consequence for other members. Natasha Maclaren-Jones was replaced by Scott Farlow, who had not been selected by the Liberal Party to re-contest his seat at the 2023 election. Maclaren-Jones and Farlow effectively swapped four and eight-year terms.

Mark Latham's vacancy was filled by Tania Mihailuk, a former Labor MLA for Bankstown who did not re-contest her seat in 2023. Mihailuk was appointed after failing to win election from the second position on One Nation's 2023 Legislative Council ticket.

Re-elected members (8) – 2023 election

Party (Number)	Re-elected Members
Labor Party (3)	John Graham, Courtney Houssos, Rose Jackson
Liberal Party (1)	Chris Rath
The Nationals (2)	Ben Franklin, Bronnie Taylor
The Greens (1)	Cate Faehrmann
Shooters, Fishers and Farmers (1)	Robert Borsak

Changes in Legislative Council membership (13) – 2023 election

Departing MLCs	New MLCs
Lou Amato (Liberal) ¹	Jeremy Buckingham (Legalise Cannabis) ⁵
Scott Barrett (National) ²	Susan Carter (Liberal)
Scott Farlow (Liberal) ^{1,4}	Amanda Cohn (Greens)
Justin Field (Independent, ex-Green) ¹	Sarah Kaine (Labor)
Shayne Mallard (Liberal) ¹	Mark Latham (ONP) ⁶
Matthew Mason-Cox (Liberal) ¹	Stephen Lawrence (Labor)
Shaoquett Moselmane (Labor) ¹	Natasha Maclaren-Jones (Liberal) ⁶
Fred Nile (Independent, ex-CDP) ³	Rachel Merton (Liberal)
Mark Pearson (Animal Justice) ¹	Jacqui Munro (Liberal)
Peter Poulos (Liberal) ¹	Cameron Murphy (Labor)
Adam Searle (Labor) ¹	Bob Nanva (Labor)
Walt Secord (Labor) ¹	John Ruddick (Liberal Democrat)
Mick Veitch (Labor) ³	Emily Suvaal (Labor)

Notes:

- ¹ Did not contest election
- ² Defeated
- ³ Defeated from a lower position on party ticket
- ⁴ Farlow was re-appointed after the election to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Natasha Maclaren-Jones to contest a new eight-year term at the 2023 election
- ⁵ Buckingham was a former Greens turned Independent MLC 2011-19
- ⁶ Members elected to new terms after resigning from positions to which they were elected to in 2019.

Legislative Council casual vacancies for members elected 2015

Member Elected 2015	Party	Replacement Member	When appointed
John Ajaka ¹	Liberal	Peter Poulos	May 2021
Sophie Cotsis ³	Labor	John Graham	October 2016
Mehreen Faruqi ⁴	Greens	Cate Faerhmann	August 2018
Ben Franklin ⁵	National	Ben Franklin	May 2019
Don Harwin ¹	Liberal	Chris Rath	March 2022
John Kaye ²	Greens	Justin Field ⁷	August 2016
Trevor Khan ¹	National	Scott Barrett	February 2022
Lynda Voltz ⁶	Labor	Rose Jackson	May 2019

Notes:

- ¹ Resigned
- ² Deceased
- ³ Elected MLA for Canterbury at a 2016 by-election
- ⁴ Appointed to fill Senate casual vacancy
- ⁵ Re-appointed after unsuccessfully contesting Ballina at 2019 election
- ⁶ Elected MLA for Auburn at 2019 election
- ⁷ Resigned from Greens to become an Independent after the 2019 election.

Summary of 2021 redistribution

(Details in this section taken from “2020/21 New South Wales Redistribution: Analysis of Final Electoral Boundaries”, NSW Parliamentary Research Service, Background Paper No. 1/2021.)

State of Parties	Seats Held by Party						Total
	Liberal	National	Labor	Greens	SFF	IND	
Old Boundaries	35	13	36	3	3	3	93
New Boundaries	34	13	37	3	3	3	93
Pre-election Status	34	12	38	3	..	6	93

The New Boundaries line in the above table reflect the following redistribution changes:

- The safe Labor seat of **Lakemba** (ALP 22.3%) was abolished, though it can be argued the redrawn **Bankstown** was a successor seat, having more electors from Lakemba than from the old Bankstown
- **Leppington** (ALP 1.5%) was created as a new and notionally Labor seat on Sydney's south-west fringe
- **Heathcote** (LIB 5.0%) was pushed south into the Illawarra and became a notional Labor seat (ALP 1.7%)
- **Baulkham Hills** was abolished and largely incorporated into the re-drawn Castle Hill, while most electors in the old Castle Hill were included in the new seat of **Kellyville**
- Three other districts adopted new names. **Ku-ring-gai** was largely replaced by **Wahroonga**, **Mulgoa** was replaced by **Badgerys Creek**, and **Seven Hills** replaced by **Winston Hills**.

The Pre-election Status line in the above table include the following representational changes:

- Liberal held **Bega** was won by the Labor Party at a 2022 by-election
- As noted above, **Heathcote** became a Labor held seat through the redistribution
- **Port Macquarie** Nationals MLA Leslie Williams resigned from the party and joined the Liberal Party in 2021
- The three elected SFF members, Roy Butler in **Barwon**, Helen Dalton in **Murray** and Philip Donato in **Orange**, resigned from the party in 2022 and contested the 2023 election as Independents.

The two seats below are classed as Liberal-held in this publication despite the sitting Liberal MLAs in both seats having been excluded from the party during the previous term:

- **Drummoyne** MLA John Sidoti was excluded from the Liberal party over corruption allegations. A later ICAC inquiry made findings against him and Sidoti did not contest the 2023 election
- **Kiama** MLA Gareth Ward was excluded from the Liberal Party over sexual assault investigations for which he was later charged. Ward re-contested as an Independent but Kiama has been treated as a Liberal held seat.

Summary of changes to district margins

Note: Margins are two-party preferred between Labor and the Coalition unless otherwise stated.

District Name	Old Margin %		New Margin %		Notes
Albury	LIB	16.0	LIB	15.9	
Auburn	ALP	9.1	ALP	13.7	
Badgerys Creek (ex-Mulgoa)	LIB	11.3	LIB	9.7	Mulgoa Liberal MLA Tanya Davies contested Badgerys Creek.
Ballina	GRN (v NAT)	5.4	GRN (v NAT)	4.9	
Balmain	GRN (v ALP)	10.0	GRN (v ALP)	10.0	Unchanged. Greens MLA Jamie Parker retired.
Bankstown	ALP	13.8	ALP	20.5	Merged with the abolished seat of Lakemba. More voters from Lakemba were included in the re-drawn Bankstown. Lakemba MLA Jihad Dib contested Bankstown while Bankstown MLA Tanya Mihailuk resigned from the Labor Party and contested the 2023 Legislative Council election as a One Nation candidate.
Barwon	SFF (v NAT)	6.6	IND (v NAT)	6.6	Unchanged. MLA Roy Butler resigned from the SFF in 2022 and re-contested as an Independent.
Bathurst	NAT	17.9	NAT	17.9	
Baulkham Hills	LIB	18.7	Abolished		Abolished with the majority of voters transferred to Castle Hill. Liberal MLA David Elliott did not contest pre-selection and retired.
Bega	LIB	6.9	LIB (ALP)	6.9 5.1)	Unchanged in redistribution. Won by the Labor Party at a February 2022 by-election and classed as a Labor-held seat with a margin of 5.1%.
Blacktown	ALP	17.7	ALP	16.7	
Blue Mountains	ALP	14.9	ALP	13.6	
Cabramatta	ALP	25.5	ALP	19.3	Labor MLA Nick Lalich retired.
Camden	LIB	7.6	LIB	7.3	
Campbelltown	ALP	17.0	ALP	16.0	
Canterbury	ALP	13.0	ALP	15.2	
Castle Hill	LIB	24.7	LIB	22.4	The majority of voters from the old Castle Hill were transferred to the new seat of Kellyville and Liberal MLA Ray Williams contested the new seat.
Cessnock	ALP	19.3	ALP	19.7	
Charlestown	ALP	12.4	ALP	13.1	
Clarence	NAT	14.5	NAT	14.5	Nationals MLA Chris Gulaptis retired.
Coffs Harbour	NAT	10.8	NAT	10.8	
Coogee	ALP	1.6	ALP	2.3	
Cootamundra	NAT	27.1	NAT	26.6	
Cronulla	LIB	19.6	LIB	19.6	Unchanged

District Name	Old Margin %		New Margin %		Notes
Davidson	LIB	25.5	LIB	24.8	Liberal MLA Jonathan O'Dea retired.
Drummoyne	LIB	15.0	LIB	13.6	Former Liberal MLA John Sidoti retired.
Dubbo	NAT	18.2	NAT	18.1	
East Hills	LIB	0.5	LIB	0.1	
Epping	LIB	12.4	LIB	11.3	
Fairfield	ALP	17.9	ALP	16.8	Labor MLA Guy Zangari retired.
Gosford	ALP	7.3	ALP	7.1	
Goulburn	LIB	3.5	LIB	3.1	
Granville	ALP	7.6	ALP	9.4	
Hawkesbury	LIB	17.5	LIB	16.6	
Heathcote	<u>LIB</u>	<u>5.0</u>	<u>ALP</u>	<u>1.7</u>	Liberal MLA Lee Evans re-contested though the seat had become a notional Labor seat in the redistribution.
Heffron	ALP	15.1	ALP	15.3	
Holsworthy	LIB	3.3	LIB	6.0	MLA Melanie Gibbons was defeated in Liberal pre-selection by Tina Ayyad. Shortly before the close of nominations, Gibbons was named as the Liberal candidate for Kiama.
Hornsby	LIB	16.3	LIB	16.9	
Keira	ALP	19.7	ALP	18.2	
Kellyville	New seat		LIB	23.1	Contested by Castle Hill Liberal MLA Ray Williams, the majority of electors in his former seat having been transferred to Kellyville.
Kiama	LIB	12.8	LIB	12.0	Unchanged. Ex-Liberal MLA Gareth Ward contested as an Independent. The new Liberal candidate was Holsworthy MLA Melanie Gibbons.
Kogarah	ALP	1.8	ALP	0.1	
Ku-ring-gai	LIB	20.5	Abolished		(see Wahroonga)
Lake Macquarie	IND (v ALP)	22.1	IND (v ALP)	23.2	
Lakemba	ALP	22.4	(abolished)		Labor MLA Jihad Dib contested Bankstown.
Lane Cove	LIB	14.3	LIB	14.7	
Leppington	(new seat)		ALP	1.5	Created from parts of Camden, Campbelltown, Holsworthy, Liverpool, Macquarie Fields and Mulgoa.
Lismore	ALP	1.3	ALP	2.0	
Liverpool	ALP	16.7	ALP	17.4	Liverpool MLA Paul Lynch retired.
Londonderry	ALP	6.5	ALP	3.0	
Macquarie Fields	ALP	14.8	ALP	14.9	
Maitland	ALP	13.2	ALP	14.7	
Manly	LIB	14.7	LIB	14.6	Liberal margin versus Greens 13.1%
Maroubra	ALP	8.5	ALP	8.3	

District Name	Old Margin %		New Margin %		Notes
Miranda	LIB	14.6	LIB	14.4	
Monaro	NAT	11.6	NAT	11.6	National MLA Nichole Overall succeeded John Barilaro at a February 2022 by-election. Based on the by-election the National margin was 5.2%.
Mount Druitt	ALP	16.4	ALP	18.5	
Mulgoa	LIB	11.3	Abolished		(see Badgerys Creek)
Murray	SFF (v NAT)	3.5	IND (v NAT)	2.8	MLA Helen Dalton resigned from the SFF in 2022 and re-contested as an Independent.
Myall Lakes	NAT	9.2	NAT	9.3	Nationals MLA Stephen Bromhead chose not to contest the election due to ill-health. He died shortly before the election.
Newcastle	ALP	17.7	ALP	17.5	
Newtown	GRN (v ALP)	13.8	GRN (v ALP)	11.4	
North Shore	LIB	17.8	LIB	17.8	Unchanged. Liberal margin versus Independent Carolyn Corrigan 11.1%.
Northern Tablelands	NAT	32.8	NAT	33.2	
Oatley	LIB	10.5	LIB	6.8	
Orange	SFF (v NAT)	15.2	IND (v NAT)	15.2	Change involves fewer than 10 voters. MLA Philip Donato resigned from the SFF in 2022 and re-contested as an Independent.
Oxley	NAT	14.9	NAT	15.4	National MLA Melinda Pavey retired.
Parramatta	LIB	10.6	LIB	6.5	Liberal MLA Geoff Lee retired.
Penrith	LIB	1.3	LIB	0.6	
Pittwater	LIB	22.4	LIB	22.4	Unchanged. Liberal MLA Rob Stokes retired. Liberal margin versus Greens 20.8%.
Port Macquarie	NAT	20.3	LIB	20.1	MLA Leslie Williams resigned from the National Party in 2021 and contested the 2023 election as a Liberal candidate.
Port Stephens	ALP	5.8	ALP	5.8	
Prospect	ALP	10.7	ALP	8.6	
Riverstone	LIB	6.3	LIB	6.2	Liberal MLA Kevin Conolly retired.
Rockdale	ALP	9.5	ALP	10.0	
Ryde	LIB	9.0	LIB	8.9	Liberal MLA Victor Dominello retired.
Seven Hills	LIB	6.4	Abolished		(see Winston Hills)
Shellharbour	ALP	18.3	ALP	18.4	
South Coast	LIB	10.6	LIB	10.6	Unchanged
Strathfield	ALP	5.0	ALP	5.2	Labor MLA Jason Yat-Sen Li succeeded Jodi McKay at a February 2022 by-election.
Summer Hill	ALP	22.3	ALP	21.6	

District Name	Old Margin %		New Margin %		Notes
Swansea	ALP	10.6	ALP	10.6	
Sydney	IND (v LIB)	11.8	IND (v LIB)	11.8	
Tamworth	NAT	29.5	NAT	28.0	Two-Party preferred margin. Two-candidate preferred margin versus Independent Mark Rodda not calculated on changed boundaries.
Terrigal	LIB	12.3	LIB	12.3	Unchanged
The Entrance	ALP	5.2	ALP	5.3	
Tweed	NAT	5.0	NAT	5.0	Unchanged
Upper Hunter	NAT	2.6	NAT	0.5	Nationals MLA David Layzell had succeeded David Johnsen at a May 2021 by-election. On old boundaries the National margin was 5.8% after the by-election.
Vaucluse	LIB	20.6	LIB	20.6	Liberal MLA Gabrielle Upton retired. Liberal margin versus Greens 19.4%.
Wagga Wagga	IND (v NAT)	15.5	IND (v NAT)	15.5	
Wahroonga (ex-Ku-ring-gai)	LIB	20.5	LIB	19.0	Contested by Ku-ring-gai MLA Alister Henskens..
Wakehurst	LIB	21.0	LIB	21.9	Liberal MLA Brad Hazzard retired.
Wallsend	ALP	25.4	ALP	25.8	
Willoughby	LIB	21.0	LIB	20.7	Liberal MLA Tim James had been elected to replace Gladys Berejiklian at a February 2022 by-election. On old boundaries, the by-election Liberal margin was 3.3% versus Independent Larissa Penn.
Winston Hills (ex-Seven Hills)	LIB	6.4	LIB	5.7	Contested by Seven Hills MLA Mark Taylor.
Wollondilly	LIB	13.8	LIB	14.2	The estimated Liberal margin versus Independent Judy Hannan rose from 5.5% to 6.0%.
Wollongong	ALP	21.4	ALP	22.9	
Wyong	ALP	12.4	ALP	12.9	

Note: Underlining indicates seats changing party status on the new boundaries.

New South Wales election results 1947-2023

Notes on parties at past results

Several parties in the following tables have undergone name changes. The National Party was known as the Country Party then National Country Party until the late 1980s. The Christian Democratic Party (Fred Nile Group) was originally known as the Call To Australia (Fred Nile Group). The Shooters, Fishers and Farmers Party was known originally as the Shooters Party, then the Shooters and Fishers Party. LIB/NAT denotes the Coalition joint ticket for Legislative Council tables.

Legislative Assembly: Percentage vote by party 1947-2023

Election	ALP	LIB	NAT	DLP	OTH
1947	45.9	30.5	10.2	..	13.4
1950	46.7	37.5	9.0	..	6.8
1953	55.0	27.9	11.6	..	5.4
1956	47.2	36.1	10.2	..	6.5
1959	49.1	35.4	8.4	1.3	5.8
1962	48.6	34.9	9.4	1.5	5.7
1965	43.3	39.6	10.2	2.1	4.8
1968	43.1	38.5	10.6	2.3	5.5
1971	45.0	36.1	8.6	3.2	7.1
1973	42.9	33.8	10.5	6.0	6.8
1976	49.8	36.3	10.0	..	3.9

Changed parties

Election	ALP	LIB	NAT	DEM	CDP	GRN	ONP	SFF	OTH
1978	57.8	27.0	9.9	2.6	..	..	..	..	2.7
1981	55.7	27.6	11.2	2.5	..	..	..	..	2.9
1984	48.8	32.2	10.8	2.8	..	..	..	..	5.4
1988	38.5	35.8	13.7	1.8	0.4	..	..	..	9.7
1991	39.1	34.2	10.5	5.4	1.2	0.5	..	..	9.2
1995	41.3	32.8	11.1	2.8	1.4	2.6	..	..	7.9
1999	42.2	24.8	8.9	3.3	1.5	3.9	7.5	..	7.9
2003	42.7	24.7	9.6	0.9	1.7	8.3	1.3	..	10.8
2007	39.0	26.9	10.1	0.5	2.5	9.0	..	..	12.1
2011	25.6	38.6	12.6	..	3.1	10.3	..	..	9.9
2015	34.1	35.1	10.5	..	3.2	10.3	..	..	6.8
2019	33.3	32.0	9.6	..	0.8	9.6	1.1	3.5	10.1
2023	37.0	26.8	8.6	..	..	9.7	1.8	1.6	14.5

Legislative Assembly: Seats won by party 1947-2023

Election	ALP	LIB	NAT	DLP	GRN	SFF	OTH	Total
1947	<u>52</u>	19	15	..	..	..	4	90
1950	<u>46</u>	29	17	..	..	..	2	94
1953	<u>57</u>	22	14	..	..	..	1	94
1956	<u>50</u>	27	15	..	..	..	2	94
1959	<u>49</u>	28	16	..	..	..	1	94
1962	<u>54</u>	25	14	..	..	..	1	94
1965	45	<u>31</u>	<u>16</u>	..	..	..	2	94
1968	39	<u>36</u>	<u>17</u>	..	..	..	2	94
1971	45	<u>32</u>	<u>17</u>	..	..	..	2	96
1973	44	<u>34</u>	<u>18</u>	1	..	..	2	99
1976	<u>50</u>	30	18	..	..	..	1	99
1978	<u>63</u>	18	17	..	..	..	1	99
1981	<u>69</u>	14	14	..	..	..	2	99
1984	<u>58</u>	22	15	..	..	..	4	99
1988	43	<u>39</u>	<u>20</u>	..	..	..	7	109
1991	46	<u>32</u>	<u>17</u>	..	..	..	4	99
1995	<u>50</u>	29	17	..	..	..	3	99
1999	<u>55</u>	20	13	..	..	..	5	93
2003	<u>55</u>	20	12	..	..	..	6	93
2007	<u>52</u>	22	13	..	..	..	6	93
2011	20	<u>51</u>	<u>18</u>	..	1	..	3	93
2015	34	<u>37</u>	<u>17</u>	..	3	..	2	93
2019	36	<u>35</u>	<u>13</u>	..	3	3	3	93
2023	<u>45</u>	25	11	..	3	..	9	93

Note: Underlining indicates the party/parties that formed government after each election.

Legislative Council: Percentage votes by party 1978-2023

Election	ALP	LIB/NAT	DEM	CDP	GRN	SFF	ONP	AJP	Others	Informal
1978	54.9	36.3	2.8	..	..	..	..	..	6.0	4.1
1981	51.8	33.8	4.0	9.1	..	..	..	..	1.3	6.8
1984	46.9	42.6	3.2	6.1	..	..	..	..	1.2	6.7
1988	37.5	46.1	2.7	5.7	1.6	..	..	..	6.3	8.1
1991	37.3	45.3	6.7	3.6	3.3	..	..	..	3.6	5.7
1995	35.3	38.5	3.2	3.0	3.7	2.8	..	..	13.5	6.1
1999	37.3	27.4	4.0	3.2	2.9	1.7	6.3	..	17.2	7.2
2003	43.5	33.3	1.6	3.0	8.6	2.0	1.5	..	6.5	5.3
2007	39.1	34.2	1.8	4.4	9.1	2.8	..	..	8.6	6.1
2011	23.7	47.7	0.8	3.1	11.1	3.7	..	..	9.9	5.3
2015	31.1	42.6	0.5	2.9	9.9	3.9	..	1.8	7.2	5.6
2019	29.7	34.8	..	2.3	9.7	5.5	6.9	2.0	9.1	6.3

Changed parties

Election	ALP	LIB/NAT	GRN	SFF	ONP	AJP	LDP	LCN	Others	Informal
2019 (new)	29.7	34.8	9.7	5.5	6.9	2.0	2.2	..	9.2	6.3
2023	36.6	29.8	9.1	3.1	5.9	2.2	3.5	3.7	6.1	5.7

Note: Second entry for 2019 shows changed parties.

Legislative Council: Seats won by party 1978-2019

Election	ALP	LIB/NAT	DEM	CDP	GRN	SFF	ONP	AJP	Others	Elected
1978	9	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15
1981	8	5	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	15
1984	7	7	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	15
1988	6	7	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	15
1991	6	7	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	15
1995	8	8	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	21
1999	8	6	1	1	1	..	1	..	3	21
2003	10	7	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	21
2007	9	8	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	21
2011	5	11	..	1	3	1	..	..	..	21
2015	7	9	..	1	2	1	..	1	..	21

Changed parties

Election	ALP	LIB/NAT	GRN	SFF	ONP	AJP	LDP	LCN	Others	Elected
2019	7	8	2	1	2	1	..	..	..	21
2023	8	7	2	1	1	..	1	1	..	21

Note: Numbers are party affiliation at the time of election.

Other parties in the above table are:

- 1995 – A Better Future for Our Children
- 1999 – Unity, Reform the Legal System, Outdoor Recreation Party

Composition of the Legislative Council by party 1978-2019

	ALP	LIB/NAT	DEM	CDP	GRN	SFF	ONP	AJP	Others	Seats
1978-81	23	20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	43
1981-84	24	18	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	44
1984-88	24	18	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	45
1988-91	21	19	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	45
1991-95	18	20	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	42
1995-99	17	18	2	2	1	1	..	..	1	42
1999-2003	16	14	2	2	2	1	1	..	4	42
2003-07	18	13	1	2	3	1	1	..	3	42
2007-11	19	15	..	2	4	2	..	..	..	42
2011-15	14	19	..	2	5	2	..	..	..	42
2015-19	12	20	..	2	5	2	..	1	..	42
2019-23	14	17	..	1	4	2	2	2	..	42
2023-27	15	15	..	..	4	2	3	1	2	42

Notes: Composition uses party affiliation at time of election and does not take account of changes in party affiliation between elections. There were 28 continuing members from the former Legislative Council in 1978 and 14 after 1981. The Council become fully elected at the 1984 election. A referendum in 1991 re-structured the Council from three rotations of 15 members to two rotations of 21.

Other Parties in the above table are:

- 1995-1999 – A Better Future for Our Children
- 1999-2003 – A Better Future for Our Children, Unity, Reform the Legal System, Outdoor Recreation Party
- 2003-2007 – Unity, Reform the Legal System, Outdoor Recreation Party
- 2023-2027 – Legalise Cannabis, Liberal Democrats

Candidates and groups contesting Legislative Council elections 1978-2023

Election	1978	1981	1984	1988	1991
Vacancies	15	15	15	15	15
Ballot columns	8	9	8	13	12
Candidates	46	48	43	56	54
Election	1995	1999	2003	2007	2011
Vacancies	21	21	21	21	21
Ballot columns	28	81	16	20	17
Candidates	99	264	284	333	311
Election	2015	2019	2023		
Vacancies	21	21	21		
Ballot columns	25	21	22		
Candidates	394	346	290		

Notes: All ballot papers included an 'Ungrouped' column, so the number of groups is one less than the number of ballot paper columns. Three groups at the 2015 election, one at the 2019 election and six in 2023 did not have an 'above the line' group voting square.

Changes to Legislative Council electoral system

There were 15 MLCs elected with a quota of 6.25% at elections from 1978 to 1991. Since 1995 there have been 21 MLCs elected with a quota of 4.55%. The current divided ballot paper with 'above' and 'below' the line voting was introduced in 1988 along with party-controlled preferences through Group Voting Tickets. Party names were added to the ballot paper 1991. The reforms introduced ahead of the 2003 election abolished group voting tickets, retained the divided ballot paper but required groups to nominate a minimum 15 candidates for a group voting square. As a result, the 2003 changes increased the number of candidates but reduced the number of groups.

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