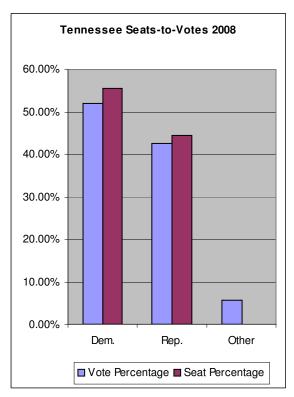
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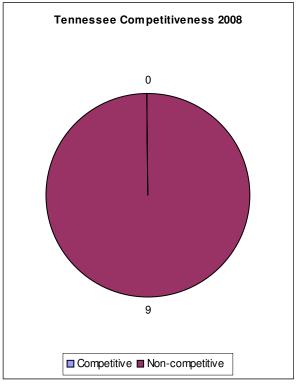
9 Seats: 4R, 5D

Tennessee Rankings 2008

| Democracy Index | 41th (30.8) | Representation | 37.5 |
|-------------------|-------------|----------------|------|
| Margin of Victory | 60.4 | Seats-to-Votes | 2.8 |
| Landslide Index | 100 | House Turnout | 50.8 |

Since 1974, all 132 incumbents in US House races in Tennessee have won





| | 1992 | 1994 | 1996 | 1998 | 2000 | 2002 | 2004 | 2006 | 2008 |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|
| Democracy Index | | | 28.3 | 34.6 | 28.4 | 28.8 | 29.4 | 25.2 | 30.8 |
| Voter Turnout | 47% | 36% | 44% | 22% | 44% | 35% | 52% | 39.1% | 50.8% |
| Representation Index | 30% | 23% | 28% | 17% | 33% | 25% | 38% | 26.4% | 37.5% |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| Wasted Votes | 36% | 38% | 37% | 24% | 26% | 29% | 26% | 32.5% | 26.2% |
| % Of Wasted R / D Votes | 47/20 | 35/38 | 30/41 | 17/27 | 20/26 | 32/21 | 32/19 | 31/29 | 18.4/24.6 |
| Drop-Off Voters | 13% | 4.7% | 5.9% | 6.4% | 10.6% | 7.5% | 9% | 6.4% | 11.5% |
| Avg Margin of Victory | 33% | 28% | 29% | 56% | 56% | 46% | 48% | 39.8% | 60.4% |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| Votes for (R-D- | 43-51- | 55-43- | 50-48- | 51-45- | 53-44- | 50-46- | 52-47- | 47-50- | 42.5- |
| O%) | 6 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 51.9-5.6 |
| Seats for (R-D- | 33-67- | 56-44- | 56-44- | 56-44- | 56-44- | 44-56- | 44-56- | 44-56- | 44.4- |
| O%) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 55.6-0 |
| Seat Changes | | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 (1D) | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Election Results and Analysis: 1996-2008

| Results 1996-2008 | 1996 | 1998 | 2000 | 2002 | 2004 | 2006 | 2008 |
|-------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| U.S. House (R-D-O) | 5-4 | 5-4 | 5-4 | 4-5 | 4-5 | 4-5 | 4-5-0 |
| Landslide Index | 67% | 78% | 100% | 89% | 89% | 100% | 100% |
| Scale of Competitiveness | | | | | | | |
| Tight: < 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Competitive: 5-10 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Comfortable: 10-20 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Landslide: 20-40 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 3 |
| No Contest: 40+ | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 3 |
| Uncontested | 0 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Incumbents | | | | | | | |
| Total Running / Total Seats | 7/9 | 9/9 | 9/9 | 6/9 | 9/9 | 7/9 | 8/9 |
| Re-Election / Total Incumbent | 7/7 | 9/9 | 9/9 | 6/6 | 9/9 | 7/7 | 8/8 |
| Landslide / Total Incumbent | 4/7 | 7/9 | 9/9 | 6/6 | 8/9 | 7/7 | 9/8 |
| R. Landslide / R. Incumbent | 2/4 | 4/5 | 5/5 | 3/3 | 4/4 | 3/3 | 4/3 |
| D. Landslide / D. Incumbent | 2/3 | 3/4 | 4/4 | 3/3 | 4/5 | 4/4 | 5/5 |
| Untouchable Repeat Landslide | 4 | 6 | 8 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| Uncontested Primary | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 | | | 8 |
| Elected Women | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Elected Racial Minorities | 1B | 1B | 1B | 1B | 1B | 0 | 0 |