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**Election: 1997 Consolidated**

Jurisdiction: Macoupin

Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00

Registered Voters: 29260

Ballots Cast: 11807

Voter Turnout: 40%

Active Precincts: 66

**Contest: Virden Township Highway Commissioner**

Candidate Name	Total Votes	Vote %
Richard H. Richards (IND)	788	51.71
Harold F. Bruley (DEM)	736	48.29

Precinct: Virden 1

Candidate Name	Total Votes	Vote %
Richard H. Richards (IND)	150	52.82
Harold F. Bruley (DEM)	134	47.18

Precinct: Virden 2

Candidate Name	Total Votes	Vote %
Richard H. Richards (IND)	266	50.76
Harold F. Bruley (DEM)	258	49.24

Precinct: Virden 3

Candidate Name	Total Votes	Vote %
Richard H. Richards (IND)	227	64.31
Harold F. Bruley (DEM)	126	35.69

Precinct: Virden 4

Candidate Name	Total Votes	Vote %
Harold F. Bruley (DEM)	218	60.06
Richard H. Richards (IND)	145	39.94