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INTRODUCTION

The information contained herein is not intended for a report nor was it written to justify the Birmingham Voter-Registration Drive. But rather, it is to be looked upon as the basis for the Director and Staff to evaluate the progress of community organization and community mobilization in the past with anticipation of determining our weak areas and program in light of productive areas and program.....

In essence, the material you are now holding is intended to serve as "THE WORKING PAPERS FOR BIRMINGHAM" and suggestive outlines to The Department of Justice; Director of Voter-Registration for SCLC; and, The Field Director of that Department

Before closing, my appreciation is extended to Miss Jo Freeman whose ingenuity and intelligence allowed her to produce the pages hereafter.

> Benjamin Van Clarke Field Director Birmingham, Alabama March 14, 1966

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ANALYSIS

In the period from January 24 to February 19 the Federal Examiners registered about 12% of the Negro Voting Age Population (NVAP) of Jefferson County of approximately 120,000. Of the 15,300 people registered during this time the official records do not specify how many were Negro and how many white but general observation indicated that less than 5% were white. In the following areas the attempt was made to ascertain the closest congruency possible for the Negro neighborhoods, the 1960 Census Tracts and the latest Voting Box divisions. The maps and the statistics used as the basis of the analysis appear, with explanations of sources and errors, in the appendices. It must be realized that a breakdown of the registration statistics by Voting Box was available only for those people registered by the Federal Examiners and only for this four week period. Thus the total number registered, and the percentage of the corresponding NVAP, is actually much larger than that stated.

| SW B'hamBrownsvilleIshkooda | | NVAP | Voting Box Rev |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| 17.5% Registered | 38 52 57 130 131 TOTAL | 586 2557 2115 210 7 | 9-5 20, 9-6 2, 9-8 757 25-6 46 33-16 <u>362</u> TOTAL 1394 |
| Pratt City | ĊT | WAP | VB Reg. 29-1 297 |
| 6% Registered | J2 TOTAL | 4382 | 29-1 291 |

| Ensley 10% Registered | CT 32 33 TOTAL | NVAP 2686 <u>3394</u> 6080 | VB 45-1 45-2 45-3 45-4 TOTAL | Reg. 532 73 64 <u>28</u> 688 |
|---|---|--|---|---|
| TitusvilleHoneysuckle Hills . 9% Registered | 6T 41 42 51 TOTAL | NVAP 1640 2955 <u>4711</u> 9306 | VB 9-4 9-11 TOTAL | Reg. 802 <u>71</u> 873 |
| Southside 10% Registered | CT 43 44 49 TOTAL | NVAP 2156 396 <u>472</u> 3024 | VB 21-8 21-14 TOTAL | Reg. 199 <u>121</u> 320 |
| Southtown 10% Registered | CT 45 46 TOTAL | NVAP 2563 <u>1376</u> 3939 | VB 21-5 21-4 TOTAL | Reg. 382 <u>16</u> 398 |
| Smithfield 12% Registered | CT 13 14 29 TOTAL | NVAP 1733 2938 <u>4827</u> 9498 | VB 9-1 9-13 21-13 29-3 TOTAL | Reg. 708 127 152 <u>168</u> 1155 |
| FinleySlossfield 6% Registered | CT 9 10 TOTAL | NVAP 3982 2020 6002 | VB 42-2 42-5 TOTAL | Reg. 216 124 409 |
| Central Business District (CBD) 5% Registered | CT 16 26 27 28A 28B 101AL | NVAP 480 2132 347 1304 2994 8254 | VB 21=7 21-9 TOTAL | Reg. 81 <u>328</u> 409 |
| West Hooper City 26% Registered | ĊŤ 8 | NVAP 1708 | VB 42-1 | Reg. 435 |
| East Hooper CityFairmont Collegeville 18% Registered It would be desirable to three component parts out the | CT 7 55 FOTAL o break t e voting | boxes ar | VB 42-3 42-4 TOTAL a down into id census | tracts were |

not sufficiently congruent on a smaller scale to allow this.

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| Woodlawn 7% Registered | CT 18 19 23A TOTAL | NVAP 1900 844 800 3544 | VB 10-1 10-7 10-8 TOTAL | Reg. 64 162 288 |
| (North) Brown Springs 14% Registered | CT 20 22 TOTAL | NVAP 148 <u>434</u> 552 | VB 10-2 | Reg. 70 |
| Zion CityNewcastle 7% Registered | CT 53 119 TOTAL | NVAP 441 <u>2484</u> 2925 | VB 10-5 10-14 16-3 22-2 TOTAL | Reg. 36 82 49 <u>31</u> 198 |

An analysis of that part of Zion City within the Birmingham city limits can be made by looking at the figures for Census Tract 53 and Voting Box 10-5. However this neighborhood exyends a good deal beyond the city limits (boundaries not shown due to lack of information) so a larger comparison was felt to be more informative.

Wylam

| CT | NVAP | VB | Reg. |
|----|------|----|------|
| 35 | 627 | 52 | 217 |

Percentage indeterminate. Precinct 52 includes significant parts of Census Tracts 124 and 125 but is not sufficiently coexterminous with either to justify inclusion. Furthermore, as there are no separate voting boxes it is impossible to break down the 217 registration figure sufficiently to determine those registered who reside in census tract 35.

| East Birmingham | C.T. | NVAP | VB | Reg. |
|-----------------|-------|------|---------|------|
| 201 5 | 4 | 538 | 10-11 | 74 |
| 12% Registered | 2 | 875 | 109 | 41 |
| | 6 | 2534 | 1.0-1.2 | 381 |
| | 17 | 409 | 1.3. | 152 |
| | 24 | 864 | 1.0 | 648 |
| | 25 | _426 | 1 A. | |
| | TOTAL | 5646 | | |

Due to the fact that Voting Box 10-12 neatly cuts right through the middle of three Negro sections no individual calculations of the many small Negro communities in this general area were possible. Therefore what has been designated "East Birmingham" is a large, amorphous region sprasled out over twothirds of the width of the city and enveloping a spattering of neighborhoods. The figures on this area aren't too meaningful.

| Bessemer | СТ | NVAP | VB | Reg. | |
|----------------|------------|--------------|--------------|------------|--|
| 11% Registered | lo1 102 | 3437 1743 | 33-1 33-2 | 605 358 | |
| 11% Regisvered | 102 | 2829 | 33-3 | 193 | |
| | -104 | 2058 | TOTAL | 1156 | |
| | TOTAL | 10067 | | | |

As can be seen in Appendix I-A the Registrars failed for the most part during the first week to indicate which voting box those registering in precinct 33 were in. Therefore the 11% figure is quite low and prabably should be somewhere between 15% and 20%.

| MulgaEdgewaterDocena | CT | NVAP | VB | Reg. |
|----------------------|-----|------|-------|------|
| | 125 | 1770 | 33-8 | 112 |
| | | | 33-15 | 52 |
| | | | 33-22 | 112 |
| | | | TOTAL | 276 |
| | | | | |

Only a very rough and ill-fitting juxtaposition was possible for the census tracts and voting boxes of this area rendering the information derived somewhat circumstantial. Docena is actually in the Southern part of Census Tract C-O124 which has a NVAP of 512. Information on whether the Negro population of C-O124 is located primarily or even substantially in Docena was not available so it was not included in the NVAP computations for this area. Similarly Census Tract C-O125 includes part of Precinct 52 whose total registration is included in the Wylam analysis rather than this one. Due to the many variable and indeterminate factors involved establishment of a percentage registration figure would have been arrogative and was not attempted.

| Fairfield | CT | NVAP | VB | Reg. |
|----------------|-----|------|-------|------|
| 19% Registered | 106 | 4524 | 53 | 865 |
| Brighton | ст | NVAP | VB | Reg. |
| | 137 | 951 | 33-15 | 52 |

Voting Box 33-15 encompasses a good deal more the Brighton so a percentage determination is unfeasible.

| GreysvilleAdamsville | CT | NVAP | 240 | Reg. |
|----------------------|-----|------|-----|-----------|
| | 121 | 948 | 3 | 25 |
| 11% Registration | | | | 66 101 |
| | | | | 101 |

in

IrondaleCTNVAPVBReg.20 Registration12645020-192

Though Voting Box 20-1 covers considerable territory not in Census Tract C-0126 the area is sparsely settled, with a low Negro population, and it is likely that most of those registered from this Voting Box resided in Irondale. Speculation would indicate that a good percentage of those registered from this Voting Box would be white, due to the difficulty of Negroes getting into the Main Post Office to register. But since a registrar has since been sent to this area any calculations are superfluous.

| Leeds | CT | NVAP | VB | Reg. |
|---------------|-----|------|----|------|
| 5% Registered | 110 | 849 | 12 | 43 |

RECOMMENDATIONS

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In order to facilitate the registration of Negroes in Birmingham it will be necessary for the Federal Registrars to set up offices in even the smallest of the neighborhoods and communities within and without the city. This, in concert with a concentrated field campaign in these areas should speed up registration considerably. However the registrars should first be placed in areas where Negroes predominate and not where they are to be found only in limited numbers as in Irondale, Wylam and Homewood.

Titusville--Honeysuckle Hills and Smithfield have fairly high registration percentages for the four week period (9% and 12% respectively). Too, because of their proximity to the downtown area county registration in the past has probably also been as high as for any area in the city. However there are a tremendous number of Negrees of voting age in both these sections (9,000 and 10,000 respectively) and therefore the absolute number of Negro unregistered eligibles is higher for these areas than virtually any others. Hence it would be extremely profitable to place registrars in these In fact, it is strongly recommended that three regist s be placed in Smithfield; one each in the middle of Census 2016 13, 14, and 29. If sufficient registrars are not available then one should be assigned to spend a week or two in each of these tracts, preceeded and accompained by in appropriate staff task force. Similarly a registrar should be placed in the middle of both Titusville proper and Honeysuchle Hills, or follow an analogous procedure to that recommended for Smithfield.

The Ensley -- Pratt City area is also one with a high concentration of Negroes (NVAP equals 10,500). For the period under consideration there was a high disparity between the percentage registration figures of the two areas (Pratt City 6%: Ensley 11%) which was probably due to the more frequent placement of staff in the latter area. Nonetheless both areas have strong local leadership and have experienced local voter registration drives in the past so the actual percentage registration is probably fairly high. As with Smithfield and Titusville--Honeysuckle Hills the NVAP is quite high so the absolute number of unregistered eligibles is also likely to be quite high. For this reason it is recommended that a Federal Registrar be located in this part of the city. Preferably a further division of the area should be attempted. There are seven Negro neighborhoods comprising the Ensley -- Pratt City community. These are North Pratt, South Sandusky, Pratt City, South Pratt, Sherman Heights, Moro Park and Tuxedo. If a registrar were to be placed in each of these neighborhoods for a few days, exact time varying with the size of the area, a large percentage of all the people in each vicinity could be registered quickly.

The Finley--Slossfield area has both a high NV. .000) and a low percentage registration (6%) for the f oth of Federal registration. A registrar should define y be placed here. If sufficient registrars are impossible to obtain it is suggested that the Sayerton registrar be moved here. He is currently stationed in a somewhat inaccessible location and

the North Birmingham area which he served has a high percentage registration. West Hooper City shows 26% registered during the first month and the East Hooper City--Fairmont--Collegeville area shows an 18% registration.

The Woodlawn area likewise has a high NVAP (estimated at near 4,000 by now) and a low percentage registration (7%). It is somewhat distended and scattered out so if possible it would be desirable for a registrar to spend some time in the component neighborhoods of New Caldonia, Wauhoma, Washington Heights and Woodlawn proper.

Zion City extends both inside and outside of the city limits and between it and Newcastle contains a NVAP of approximately 3,000 with a percentage registration of 7%. This is a substantial number of unregistered eligibles and as the area is not proximate to any of the current stations it is strongly recommended that a registrar be sent here.

The registrars in Irondale, Homewood and Wylam aren't doing too much good there as there are few Negroes to be registered. These areas have now been worked by the staff so it would be advisable to remove the registrars from these localities and put them where they can be more useful.

In the areas outside the city limits the correlation of Negroes is much lower but as it is difficult for local people to get into town and the Birmingham project is monting for transportation facilities it will be necessary to bring the registrars to them. The Mulga--Docena--Edgewater distract has a NVAP of 2,500 and could be served by the Wylam registrar if sufficient transportation were available. However this is not the case and as the Wylam area is predominately white it is recommend that the registrar there set up an office in one of these three town. It would be better if he would spend some time in all three.

The Dolomite--Woodward area could be served by either the Bessemer or the Fairfield registrars but Census Tracts C-0139 and C-0136 contain a sufficiently high NVAP (about 3,000) to warrant a registrar spending at least a week or two in each of these areas. This is especially recommended in light of the transportation problem.

Although Brighton was worked by the staff the percentage registration figure is still quite low (5%) even if all of the registration in Voting Box 33-15 was attributed to the Birghton area. It has a NVAP of only 1,000 and could easily be served by the Bessemer registrar but since 62.8% of the total population is Negro the potential possibilities for success in local electiwould seem to justify requesting that a registrar be placed have

The Greysville--Adamsville area has a NVAP of only 1,000 but it is quite far out and a federal registrar the could qualify the eligibles in a short period of time has an active voters league, which is probably remaible for the high percentage registration during the first month. If a registrar were located there the local people, and in particular the civic league, could most likely and a the registration process without much activity from the staff, freeing the field workers for work disewing.

Leeds, likewise is quite far out and isolated, which accounts for its low registration percentage. Though the NVAP is only about 1,000 it will take the placement of a Federal registrar in this area to get the people there on the books.

Census Tracts C-Ol43 is the only tract even partially outside the Urban Fringe area which shows a large Negro population, (NVAP about 1,500). However, the only municipality within it is Shannon which is quite small. Despite the difficulties presented to fieldworkers it might be worthwhile to place a register her as it is no doubt quite inconvenient for the people to get into the city.

If sufficient registrars can be obtained there are several comparatively minor areas within the city which have a high enough NVAP to warrant a registrar being placed there. In particular Southside with a 3,000 NVAP, Southtown with a 4,000 NVAP and Collegeville with a 3,500 NVAP should be considered. Parts of these areas have been worked extensively by the staff but the absolute number of eligibles unregistered is high enough to justify the placement of a registrar and even more extensive work by the staff. The Bast Birmingham Community, with its miscellany of areas might also be a potential local of a registrar, providing he would move around to the former neighborhoods. East Birmingham is sparse encoded and spread out enough to warrant a registrar only under this condition.

To the Field Director it is suggested that there are areas which do not seem to have been worked extensively which could utilize and capitalize on the regent locations of the registrars.

In particular the CBD shows a NVAP of 8500 with a surprinsingly low 5% registration percentage. This area surrounds the Birmingham Post Office and includes some of the worse slums in Birmingham. It is not the lack of a registrar in the area which accounts for the absence of activity in this section. The Brown Springs area shows a low NVAP (600 for the Northern two-thirds) and a high registration percentage (14%). But workers here could take advantage of the registrar in Irondale for as long as he is stationed there. Field workers in the South Sandusky and Sherman Heights could utilize the Wylam registrar. Attention is also called to the Comptor • Rising area with a NVAP of 1100. It could well warrant some staff effort. Likewise many of the small East Birmingham neighborhoods probably have not been worked.

Furthermore it would seem that the Brighton--Dolomite--Woodward area has not been adequately exhausted. People from these areas can be registered in Bessemer without extreme difficulty. The most shocking discreptancy, however is in the SW Birmingham Brownsville--Ishkooda area. There is currently a registrar there and though registration was high during the first week in that location it has fallen off considerably since. Toportedly, there have been several days in which the two registers is there have registered absolutely no one. Though the stage registration figure is relatively high (17.5%) the absolute number of eligibles (8,000) is so high that the potential there can hardly be said to be depleted.

Major Areas

Smithfield Census Tract 13 Census Tract 14 Census Tract 29

Titusville Honeysuckle Hills

Ensley--Pratt City North Pratt South Sandusky Pratt City South Pratt Sherman Height Moro Park Tuxedo

Finley---Slossfield

Woodlawn New Caldonia Wauhoma Washington Heights Woodlawn

Zion City---Newcastle

Dolomite Woodward

Mulga Docena Edgewater

Brighton

Greysville--Adamsville

Leeds

Shannon

Minor Areas

Southside Southtown Collegeville East Birmingham Community visit vafying neighbörhoods

EXPLANATION OF APPENDICES

Appendix I-A consists of a breakdown of those persons registered by the Federal Examiners during the period from January 24, 1966 when they first arrived in Jefferson County, to February 19, 1966. The breakdown was derived from an analysis of the official records of all those persons examined and declared to be qualified under the Voting Rights Act of 1965. These records have been released only for the period up until February 19 and so it was not possible to include material from subsequent weeks in this report. During the first week of operation the Federal Examiners not only assigned people to the wrong voting box but frequently placed them in voting boxes which do not exist, nor ever existed. Or worse, they listed them with a precinct number but not a voting box number. All cases of this nature have been placed under the Miscellaneous category. This makes the validity of the first weeks figures, and for some subsequent days, somewhat dubious. Furthermore the voting boxes lines of some precincthave been changed within the last few months, eliminating some voting boxes and adding others. The alterations were not too drastic, except in a few cases, but of the maps the - distrars used to ascertain the voting boxes of applicants of was marked with the new lines and one with the old. Thus for example, figures are given for voting boxes 21-1 and 21-6 which no longer exist. Appendix I-B was obtained from the Republican Party and gives the old precinct and district lines. But it illustrates fairly accurately the non-metropolitan precincts which was the reason for its inclusion. Appendix I-C shows the current

precinct and district lines of Birmingham, Bessemer and vicinity as they now exist. These were derived from maps drawn by the county engineers for the Federal examiners and should be correct.

The total and nonwhite tract populations shown in Appendix II-A were taken from the <u>U.S. Censuses of Population and Housing:</u> <u>1960, (Final Report PHC (1)--17)</u> for Birmingham and Jefferson County. The Negro Voting Age Population was computed by adding up all the age group breakdowns for the nonwhite population age 20 and over. This inclusion of an extra year in the derivations is not expected to compensate for the increase of population in the last six years so therefore all area NVAPs were rounded up in the Recommendations section of this report.

The estimated 1964 Population in Appendix II-B is only for municipalities of 1,000 and more. It was taken from the 1964 Annual Report, Bureau of Records and Vital Statistics, Jefferson County Department of Health. The report for 1965 has not been published yet. Appendices II-C and II-D are meant as supplements to the census tract data and should be self explanatory.

All the Birmingham maps have the Negro and mixed neighborhoods delineated on them for easy reference. These wore derived from an analysis of the housing statistics of the <u>Census</u> of Housing: 1960, Series HC (3)-2 for the Civers of Birmingham and Bessemer. These statistics are not published for any other areas in the county and thus it was impossible to mark out the Negro neighborhoods for them. However, those other areas which were known to be degro neighborhoods by personal observation were indicated as such.

Appendix III, the composit map, was the basis of the attempted correlation of the Negro neighborhoods, census tracts and voting boxes which allowed this report. It's confusing but informative. Appendix IV was included for ready location of the named areas referred to within the city. Most of these names were taken from the Neighborhoods and Communities analysis of the Birmingham Planning Commission.

FEDERAL REGISTRATION BY VOLING BOX 1/24/66-2/19/66

| | | | | | | | | - | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------|------|-----|----|----|-----|-----|----|----|-----|----|----|----|-----|-----|---------|----|--|
| PRECINCT # 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | e | |
| Voting Boxes | MISC | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | | 13 | | | |
| 1-241-29 | 61 | 355 | 12 | 40 | 434 | 64 | 8 | 19 | 181 | 2 | 17 | 44 | 30 | 1, | | | |
| 1-312-5 | 6 | 169 | 6 | 36 | 181 | 39 | 5 | 21 | 124 | 4 | 2 | 13 | 13 | 39 | | | |
| 2-72-12 | 0 | 116 | 2 | 9 | 111 | 32 | 6 | 6 | 89 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 24 | | | |
| 2-142-19 | 0 | 68 | 2 | 3 | 77 | 72 | 3 | 1 | 363 | 0 | 4 | 8 | 3 | 10 | <u></u> | | |
| TOTAL | 67 | 708 | 22 | 88 | 802 | 207 | 22 | 47 | 757 | 6 | 24 | 71 | 51 | 127 | | | |
| PRECINCT #10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Voting Boxes | MISC | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | |
| 1-241-29 | 2 | 9 | 40 | 30 | 39 | 23 | 23 | 18 | 76 | 28 | 2 | 34 | 191 | 69 | 31 | 0 | |
| 1-312-5 | 0 | 5 | 18 | 6 | 9 | 7 | 6 | 12 | 41 | 5 | 3 | 24 | 89 | 35 | 26 | 1 | |
| 2-72-12 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 11 | 3 | 6 | 17 | 30 | 4 | 1 | 11 | 57 | 24 | 11 | 1 | |
| 2-142-19 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 17 | 15 | 4 | 1 | -5 | 44 | 24 | 15 | 0 | |
| TOTAL | 2 | 18 | 70 | 39 | 62 | 36 | 35 | 64 | 162 | 41 | 7 | 74 | 381 | 152 | 83 | 2 | |

| PRECINCE # 11 | | | | | PRECINCI # 1 | 12 | PRECIN | ст # | 13 | | | |
|---------------|------|---|----|---|--------------|-------|----------|------|----|----|---|---|
| Voting Boxes | MISC | 1 | 2 | | Yobing Boxes | s 1 7 | Voting | Boxe | 5 | 1 | 2 | |
| 1-241-29 | 5 | 4 | 16 | | 1-241-29 | 7 | 1-24 | 1-29 | | 2 | 0 | |
| 1-312-5 | 0 | 0 | 20 | | 1-312-5 | 16 | 1-31 | 2-5 | | | 0 | |
| 2-72-122 | 0 | 0 | 9 | | 2-72-12 | 19 | 2-7 | 2-12 | | 3 | С | |
| 2-142-19 | 1 | 1 | 7_ | | 2-142-19 | _1 | 2-14 | 2-19 | | 2 | 0 | _ |
| TOTAL | 6 | 5 | 52 | | TOTAL | 43 | TOLAL | | | 7 | 0 | |
| PRECINCI # 15 | | | | | | PRECI | NC1 # 16 | | | | | |
| Voting Boxes | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | | Votin | Boxes | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | |
| 1-241-29 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 | | 1-24 | -1-29 | 3 | 7 | 25 | 0 | |
| 1-312-5 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 2 | | 1-31 | -2-5 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 0 | |
| 2-72-12 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | | 2-7 | -2-12 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 | |
| 2-142-19 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | | 2-14 | -2-19 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | |
| TOTAL | 14 | 5 | 0 | 5 | | TOTAL | | 4 | 7 | 49 | 0 | |

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FEDERAL REGISTRATION BY VOTING BOXES 1/24/56--2/19/66

| | | | | | | | | | | | | 4-4-5 | | | | |
|---------------|---|----|---|----|-----|--------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----------|---------|----|----|-----|
| PRECINCT # 19 | | | | | PR | ECINC | £ # 2 | 20 | | | | PRECIN | ICT # 2 | 22 | | |
| Voting Boxes | 1 | 2 | 3 | | Vo | ting 1 | Boxes | 5 | 1 | 2 | | V. + Ang | Boxes | 6 | 1 | 2 |
| 1-241-29 | 0 | 4 | 0 | | 1- | 241- | -29 | | 36 | 7 | | 1-2 | 9 | | 5 | 8 |
| 1-312-5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | | 1- | 312 | -5 | | 8 | 0 | | 1-31 | 2-5 | | 1 | 8 |
| 2-72-12 | 1 | 1 | 0 | | 2- | 72 | -12 | | 40 | 6 | | 2-7 | 2-12 | | 2 | 10 |
| 2-142-19 | 1 | 0 | 0 | | 2- | 142- | -19 | | 8 | 0 | | 2-12 | 2-19 | | 1_ | 5 |
| TOTAL | 3 | 5 | 0 | | TC | TAL | | | 92 | 13 | | TOTAL | | | 9 | 31 |
| PRECINC1 # 21 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Voting Boxes | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 13 | 14 | MISC. | | | | ÷ . |
| 1-241-29 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 6 | 84 | 73 | 26 | 85 | 176 | 69 | 50 | 4 | | | | |
| 1-312-5 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 149 | 36 | 27 | 31 | 83 | 43 | 32 | 0 | | | | |
| 2-72-12 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 93 | 17 | 13 | 21 | 40 | 30 | 25 | 0 | | | | |
| 2-142-19 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 56 | 9 | 15 | 62 | 29 | 10 | 14 | 0 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 8 | 15 | 7 | 16 | 382 | 135 | 81 | 199 | 328 | 152 | 121 | 4 | | | | |

FEDERAL REGISTRATION BY VOLING BOXES 1/24/66--2/19/66

| PRECINCI # 2 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | Pi | RECIME | r‴ ∉ 29 | | | | |
|--------------|-------|------|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|-----|-------|---------|--------|---------|-----------|------|----|------|
| Voting Boxes | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | MISC. | Vo | oting | 1.4.5 | 1 | 3 | 4 | MISC |
| 1-241-29 | 17 | 8 | 14 | 5 | 2 | 14 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 1- | -241 | -29 | 137 | 92 | 1 | 17 |
| 1-312-5 | 5 | 8 | 10 | 4 | 5 | 18 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 1- | -312 | 2-5 | 69 | 43 | 5 | 0 |
| 2-72-12 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2- | -72 | 2-12 | 43 | 12 | 4 | 0 |
| 2-142-19 | _0 | 2 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 2- | -142 | 2-19 | <u>48</u> | 16 | 1 | 0 |
| IOTAL | 25 | 20 | 38 | 13 | 9 | 46 | 16 | 6 | 9 | 6 | Т(• | | | 297 | .168 | 11 | 17 |
| PRECINCT # | 33 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Voting Boxes | s MIS | C. 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | | | | |
| 1-241-29 | 1,072 | 343 | 222 | 93 | 9 | 18 | 1 | 17 | 24 | 129 | 58 | 103 | 65 | | | | |
| 1-312-5 | 35 | 168 | 86 | 57 | 45 | 34 | 12 | 12 | 35 | 122 | 33 | 46 | 32 | | | | |
| 2-72-12 | 5 | 55 | 35 | 29 | 30 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 45 | 28 | 7 | 27 | 34 | | | | |
| 2-142-19 | 0 | 39 | 15 | 14 | 12 | 20 | 4 | 1 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 29 | 7 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 1,112 | 605 | 358 | 193 | 180 | 93 | 17 | 30 | 112 | 287 | 106 | 205 | 138 | | | | |

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|---------------|-------|------|-------|--------|-------|----|-------|--------|-------|--------|------|-------|------|-----|-----|-----|------|
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| PRECINCI # 33 | contt | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Voting Boxes | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | | 2 | 5 | | | |
| 1-241-29 | 14 | 3 | 25 | 160 | 2 | 31 | 9 | 11 | 34 | 60 | 7 | 7 | 1.5 | ł. | | | |
| 1-312-5 | 34 | 1 | 19 | 115 | 3 | 23 | 3 | 14 | 6 | 37 | 2 | 19 | 2 | | | | |
| 2-72-12 | 27 | 4 | 2 | 34 | 0 | 12 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 12 | 0 | 8 | 2 | 5 | | | |
| 2-142-19 | 8 | 0 | 6 | 53 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 43 | | 4 | | | |
| TOTAL | 83 | 8 | 50 | 362 | 5 | 66 | 16 | 27 | 51 | 112 | 9 | 77 | 5 | 5 | | | |
| PRECINC1 # 38 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Voting Boxes | l | 2 | | Votin | g Box | es | 1 | 2 | Vot | ing Bo | oxes | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | MISC |
| 1-241-29 | 10 | 2 | | 1-24- | -1-29 | | 15 | 17 | 1-2 | 41-2 | 29 | 147 | 115 | 300 | 40 | 40 | 3 |
| 1-312-5 | 7 | 3 | | 1-31- | -2-5 | | 4 | 18 | 1-3 | 12- | 5 | 77 | 39 | 95 | 81 | 54 | 0. |
| 2-72-12 | 16 | l | | 2-7 | -2-12 | | 41 | 32 | 2-7 | 2-: | 12 | 73 | 41 | 25 | 57 | 11 | 0 |
| 2-142-19 | 2 | 3 | | 2-14- | -2-19 | | 6 | 17 | 2-1 | 42-2 | 19 | 138 | · 21 | 21 | 44 | 19 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 35 | 9 | | TOTAL | | | 66 | 84 | 1,0,1 | | | 435 | 216 | 657 | 222 | 124 | + 3 |

FEDERAL REGISIRALION BY VOLING BOX 1/24/66--2/19/66

| | | PRECINCT # 4 | 5 | | | | | | PRECINCI # 50 | | | |
|-------------------------------|----|--------------|-----|----|-----|----|----|-------|---------------|----|---|--|
| PRECINCI # 44 Voting Boxes | 1 | Voting Boxes | | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | MISC. | V Joxes | 1 | 2 | |
| 1-241-29 | 5 | 1-241-29 | 200 | 38 | 29 | 14 | 12 | 74 | 1-:4 39 | 11 | 0 | |
| 1-312-5 | 5 | 1-312-5 | 135 | 28 | 20. | 6 | 10 | 2 | 1-312-5 | 5 | 2 | |
| 2-72-12 | 4 | 2-72-12 | 109 | 5 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 2-72-12 | 1 | 0 | |
| 2-142-19 | 3 | 2-142-19 | _79 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2-142-19 | 0 | 1 | |
| TOTAL | 17 | TOTAL | 523 | 73 | 64 | 28 | 25 | 79 | TOTAL | 17 | 3 | |

| PRECINCT # 5 | 2 | PRECINCT # 53 | | PRECINC. # 59 | | | | |
|--------------|-----|---------------|-----|---------------|---|---|----|---|
| Voting Boxes | | Voting Boxes | l | Voting Boxes | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 1-241-29 | 128 | 1-241-29 | 637 | 1-241-29 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 2 |
| 1-312-5 | 50 | 1-312-5 | 134 | 1-312-5 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| 2-72-12 | 15 | 2-72-12 | 55 | 2-72-12 | 0 | 1 | .1 | 3 |
| 2-142-19 | -24 | 2-142-19 | 49 | 2-142-19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | 217 | TOTAL | 865 | TOTAL | 3 | 1 | 10 | 5 |

| | | TEDE | ILA D | THUT | 1 L | | 1 | 1.10 1 | <u>on</u> 1/ | 24/66- | ~ = / | |
|------------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|----|-----|--------|--------------|--------|-------|---------|
| PRECINCI # | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 15 | 16 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 25 |
| 1-241-29 | 1,319 | 612 | 27 | 7 | 2 | 8 | 32 | 4 | 43 | 597 | 13 | |
| 1-312-5 | 658 | 287 | 20 | 16 | 1 | 7 | 13 | 1 | 8 | 415 | 9 | 64 |
| 2-72-12 | 397 | 187 | 9 | 19 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 46 | 242 | 12 | 18 |
| 2-142-19 | _ 614 | 140 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 8 | 200 | 6 | 31 |
| TOTAL | 2,988 | 1,226 | 65 | 43 | 8 | 24 | 57 | 8 | 105 | 1,454 | 40 | 83 |
| PRECINCT # | 29 | 33 | 38 | 39 | 42 | 44 | 45 | 50 | 52 | 53 | 59 | - TOTAI |
| 1-241-29 | 247 | 3,123 | 12 | 29 | 645 | 5 | 362 | 11 | 128 | 627 | 10 | 7,947 |
| 1-312-5 | 122 | 1,010 | 10 | 22 | 346 | 5 | 201 | 7 | 50 | 134 | 4 | 3,411 |
| 2-72-12 | 59 | 431 | 17 | 73 | 207 | 4 | 129 | 1 | 15 | 55 | 5 | 1,941 |
| 2-142-19 | 65 | 289 | 5 | 23 | 459 | 3 | 95 | 1 | 24 | 49 | 0 | 2,039 |
| TOTAL | 493 | 4,853 | 44 | 150 | 1,657 | 17 | 787 | 20 | 217 | 865 | 19 | 15,338 |

1960 POPULATION BY CENSUS TRACTS

| TRACT | TOTAL | POPULA'I ION | NONWHILE | NVAP | %NONWHI'IE |
|-----------|--------|--------------|---------------|---------|------------|
| Jefferson | County | 634,864 | 2 19,829 | 118,812 | 34.6 |
| Birmingha | m | 340,887 | 135,267 | 75,777 | 39.7 |
| Bessemer | | 33,054 | 18,991 | 9,967 | 57.4 |
| Balance | | 260,923 | 65,571 | 33,068 | 25.1 |
| | | Birminghar | n Census Trac | ts | |
| 1 | | 3273 | 5 | 4 | .15 |
| 2 | | 4332 | 7 | 4 | .16 |
| 3 | | 4436 | 174 | 87 | 3.9 |
| 4 | | 6236 | 1048 | 538 | 16.8 |
| 5 | | 6747 | 1701 | 875 | 25.1 |
| 6 | | 4889 | 4521 | 2534 | 92.4 |
| 7 | | 6836 | 6788 | 3285 | 99.4 |
| 8 | | 8098 | 3288 | 1708 | 40.6 |
| 9 | | \$338 | 7636 | 3982 | 91.6 |
| 10 | | 4688 | 3807 | 2020 | 81.2 |
| 11 | | 6285 | 3593 | 1931 | 57.2 |
| 12 | | 8690 | 4686 | 2451 | 53.9 |
| 13 | | 3168 | 2803 | 1733 | 88.4 |
| 14 | | 5011 | 5006 | 2918 | 99.7 |
| 15 | | 7369 | 2219 | | 30.1 |
| 16 | | 8512 | 771 | 480 | 9.04 |
| 17 | | 1870 | 714 | 409 | 38.0 |
| 18 | | 6179 | 3404 | 1900 | 55.0 |
| 19 | | 4021 | 1630 | 844 | 40.5 |
| 20 | | 2684 | 5. ÷ | 118 | 4.78 |
| | | | | | |

| | Birmingham Census In | racts Con't | | 25 |
|-------|----------------------|-------------|------|-----------|
| TRACT | TOTAL POPULATION | NONWHILE | NVAP | %NONWHITE |
| 21 | 5237 | ٦. | 1 | .0191 |
| 22 | 4306 | 813 | 434 | 18.8 |
| 23A | 3926 | 1453 | 800 | 37.0 |
| 23B | 7887 | 456 | 256 | 5.78 |
| 24 | 2522 | 1532 | 864 | 60.7 |
| 25 | 1569 | 814 | 426 | 51.2 |
| 26 | 4773 | 3706 | 2132 | 77.6 |
| 27 | 2841 | 347 | 328 | 12.2 |
| 28A | 1970 | 1920 | 1304 | 97.5 |
| 28B | 7045 | 6950 | 3991 | 98.7 |
| 29 | 7999 | 7931 | 4827 | 99.2 |
| 30 | 8925 | 214 | 146 | 2.39 |
| 31 | 5661 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 32 | 5 950 | 4756 | 2686 | 79.9 |
| 33 | 7314 | 6082 | 3394 | 83.2 |
| 34 | 5629 | 657 | 353 | 11.4 |
| 35 | 4573 | 1157 | 627 | 25.3 |
| 36 | 5661 | 441 | 291 | 7.79 |
| 37 | 5637 | 4 | 4 | .0700 |
| 38 | 13119 | 848 | 504 | 6.46 |
| 39 | 4141 | 1739 | 1027 | 41.9 |
| 40 | 9054 | 152 | Č*, | 1.68 |
| 41 | 4196 | 2929 | 40 | 69.8 |
| 42 | 6072 | 4820 | 2955 | 79.3 |
| 43 | 3614 | 3604 | 2156 | 99.7 |
| 44 | 1265 | 614 | 396 | 47.7 |
| 45 | 4759 | 4590 | 2563 | 96.5 |
| | | | | |

| | Birmingham Census Tr | acts Cont | | |
|-------|----------------------|-----------|------|----------|
| TRACT | TOTAL POPULATION | NONWHILE | NVAP | %NONWHIE |
| 46 | - 2476 | 2439 | 1376 | 98.5 |
| 47 | 9576 | 236 | 179 | 2.48 |
| 48 | 4669 | 184 | 137 | 3.79 |
| 49 | 6930 | 678 | 472 | 9.78 |
| 50 | 4800 | 102 | 75 | 2.13 |
| 51 | 8858 | 8724 | 4711 | 98.5 |
| 52 | 5969 | 969 | 586 | 16.2 |
| 53 | 6775 | 866 | 441 | 12.8 |
| 54 | 1179 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 55 | 5914 | 3445 | 1710 | 58.3 |
| 56 | 4443 | 2 | 1 | .045 |
| 57 | 10972 | 4899 | 2567 | 44.6 |
| 58 | 51 | 3 | 2 | 5.88 |
| 59 | 10028 | 72 | 41 | .718 |
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JEFFERSON COUNTY CENSUS TRACTS

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| TRACT | TOTAL POPULATION | NONWHILE | NVAP | %NONWHI1E |
|--------|------------------|----------|------|-----------|
| A-0100 | 5997 | 1 | 1 | .01 |
| A-0101 | 7418 | 6394 | 3437 | 86.0 |
| A-0102 | 7837 | 3338 | 1743 | 42.6 |
| A-0103 | 10064 | 5247 | 2829 | 52.1 |
| A-0104 | 7735 | 5012 | 2058 | 51.8 |
| A-0105 | 2811 | 512 | 287 | 14.6 |
| A-0106 | 15816 | 8297 | 4524 | 52.5 |
| A-0107 | 20404 | 2327 | 1396 | 11.4 |
| A-0108 | 12680 | 148 | 142 | 1.20 |
| A-0109 | 7810 | 847 | 413 | 10.8 |
| A-0110 | 5818 | 1723 | 849 | 29.6 |
| C-0111 | 3828 | 701 | 369 | 18.3 |
| C-0112 | 5942 | 308 | 177 | 5.18 |
| C-0113 | 5475 | 742 | 352 | 13.5 |
| C-0114 | 4632 | 623 | 305 | 13.4 |
| C-0115 | 3156 | 47 | 25 | 1.49 |
| C-0116 | 3711 | 360 | 181 | 9.70 |
| C-0117 | 9212 | 456 | 211 | 4.95 |
| C-0118 | 8116 | 51 | 40 | .628 |
| C-0119 | 8413 | 4783 | 2461 | 56.9 |
| C-0120 | 6226 | 749 | 354 | 1.20 |
| C-0121 | 6859 | 2002 | 948 | 29.2 |
| C-0122 | 2294 | 425 | 211 | 18.5 |
| C-0123 | 8357 | 1403 | 687 | 16.8 |
| C-0124 | 6485 | 1071 | 512 | 16.5 |

| | Jefferson County | Census Fract | s Con't | |
|--------|------------------|--------------|---------|-----------|
| TRACT | TOTAL POPULATION | NONWHILE | NVAP | %NONWHITE |
| C-0125 | 7032 | 3616 | 1770 | 51.4 |
| C-0126 | 5642 | 835 | 437 | 14.8 |
| C-0127 | 2593 | 210 | 121 | 8.09 |
| C-0128 | 5556 | 432 | 211 | 7.78 |
| C-0129 | 9298 | 60 | 55 | .646 |
| C-0130 | 5052 | 4467 | 2115 | 88.4 |
| C-0131 | 4870 | 4287 | 2199 | 88.0 |
| C-0132 | 38 06 | l | l | .0263 |
| C-0133 | 4461 | 3767 | 1903 | 85.0 |
| C-0134 | 2873 | 104 | 49 | 3.63 |
| C-0135 | 2312 | 2239 | 997 | 96.8 |
| C-0J36 | 4181 | 3191 | 1586 | 76.3 |
| C-0137 | 3127 | 1728 | 951 | 54.9 |
| C-0138 | 5605 | 3970 | 1919 | 70.8 |
| C-0139 | 6038 | 2502 | 1217 | 41.4 |

20.4

29.9

44.6

.492

8.56

C-0140

C-0141

C-0142

C-0143

C-0144

| MUNICIPALITY | TOTAL POPULATION | NONWHIE POPULATION | %NONWHITE |
|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------|
| Adamsville | 2,333 | 990 | 42.4 |
| Bayview | 937 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Bessemer | 35,013 | 19,722 | 56.3 |
| Birmingham | 347,196 | 137,453 | 39.6 |
| Brighton | 3,394 | 2,132 | 62.8 |
| Fairfield | 16,938 | 8,485 | 50.1 |
| Fultondale | 2,298 | 1 | .0435 |
| Gardendal.e | 5,311 | 3 | .0565 |
| Graysville | 3,716 | 1,294 | 34.8 |
| Homewood | 23,609 | 2,361 | 10.0 |
| Hueytown | 6,345 | l | .0158 |
| Irondale | 4,194 | 950 | 22.6 |
| Leeds | 6,919 | 2,254 | 32.6 |
| Lipscomb | 2,921 | 507 | 17.4 |
| Midfield | 3,760 | l | .0265 |
| Mountain Brook | 14,516 | 93 | • 547 |
| Pinson | 1,185 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Pleasant Grove | 3,649 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Tarrant | 7,912 | 827 | 10.4 |
| Ťrussville | 2,909 | | 0.0 |
| Vestavia Hills | 4,263 | 19 | •445 |
| Warrior | 2,899 | 645 | 22.2 |
| Remainder of Count | y <u>164,921</u> | 46,892 | 28.4 |
| Total County | 667,108 | 224,597 | 33.7 |

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REGISTRATIC FIGURES

County Registrars

| | | Biraingham | FF I | Bessemer | Total |
|--|--|--|---------------------------------------|--|--|
| Wed. | 12-22 | 354 | | . 2 | 354 |
| Mon. Tue. Wed. Thu. Fri. | 12-27 12-28 12-29 12-30 12-31 | | | 4252295584 | 425 432 459 528 584 |
| Mon. The. Wed. Fri. Sat. | 1-3 1-4 1-5 1-7 1-8 | 300 321 343 363 640 | | -125 | 300 321 343 363 640 |
| Mon. Tue. Wed. Fri. Sat. | 1-10 1-11 1-12 1-14 1-15 | 311 338 347 743 | 315 | | 311 315 338 347 743 |
| Mon. Tue. Wed. Fri. Sat. | 1-17 1-18 1-19 1-20 1-22 | 217 247 300 600 809 | | | 217 247 300 600 809 |
| TOTAL | | | | | 9,033 |
| | | Federal Re | gistrars | 1 | |
| Mon. Tue. Wed. Thu. Fri. Sat. | 1-24 1-25 1-26 1-27 1-28 1-29 | 400 680 720 891 780 309 | 350 279 292 332 339 60 | 430 562 408 387 463 288 | 1,180 1,491 1,420 1,610 1,582 677 |
| Mon. Tue. Wed. Thu. Fri. Sat. | 1-31 2-1 2-2 2-3 2-4 2-5 | 727 460 241 227 198 236 | 275 127 50 13 49 | 295 159 55 90 62 50 | 1,610 1,582 <u>677</u> 7,60 1,277 746 346 333 273 335 |
| Mon. Tue. Wed. Thu. Fri. Sat. | 2-7 2-8 2-9 2-10 2-11 2-12 | 353 316 219 163 149 97 | 64 61 34 37 7 | 69 49 58 48 29 10 | 486 427 311 254 215 114 |
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