

## Santorum Wins Macon County & State of Tennessee

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Presidential candidate Rick Santorum (R) swept the state of Tennessee on Super Tuesday, capturing 204,978 or 37.3% of the state's votes in the March 6<sup>th</sup> Tennessee Republican Primary.

Macon County fell in line with the state majority, with 1,034 votes or 49.89% for the former Pennsylvania Senator.

Only four of the 95 Tennessee counties - Marion, Davidson, Williamson and Loudon - backed other Republican presidential candidates.

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Locally, Macon County had an 18.91% voter turnout and incumbents Rick Shoulders (Macon County Assessor of Property) and Audie Cook (Macon County Road Supervisor) will maintain their positions.

Below, is a breakdown of the 2012 Macon County Presidential Primary election results and the state totals for Tennessee.

Macon County Results for the 2012 Presidential Preference Primary:

**Number of Precincts: 11**

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**Public Count: 2,261**

**Voter Turnout: 18.91%**

### (R) Presidential Candidates

**Vote for 1**

**Votes=2,074**

Michele Bachmann	7
Newt Gingrich	464
Jon Huntsman	4
Gary Johnson	1
Ron Paul	144
Rick Perry	12

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Charles "Buddy" Roemer	4
Mitt Romney	388
Rick Santorum	1,034
Uncommitted	14
Write-in	2

### **(D) Presidential Candidates**

#### **Vote for 1**

#### **Votes=113**

Barack Obama	95
Uncommitted	16
Write-in	2

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### (R) Delegates at Large

#### Vote for 14

Votes=2,870

#### NEWT GINGRICH

Willis Ayres	252
Martha Ruth Brown	310
Stacey Campfield	264
Crom Carmichael	230
John Gardner	295
Matthew Jerry Johnson	272
C. Mack Patton	255
Gail D. Patton	270

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Tony Shipley 229

Mark Winslow 217

JON HUNTSMAN

Victor Ashe 157

Alexander Oaks Waters 119

**(R) Delegates at Large**

**Vote for 14**

**Votes=2,112**

RON PAUL

Gary Allen 199

Donna K. Appleget 134

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Joel Crenshaw 137

Jason Davis 135

Gary Ellis 151

Andre Flanary 112

Ronald Lanfear 114

Jeff Pedigo 176

Kyle Gregory Perry 103

Daniel Rawls 89

Steven Warhurst 77

RICK PERRY

Larry Bates 66

Jessica Frizzell 67

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Tiffany Ramsey Goforth	53
Elaine "Laney" Heard	45
Brian Kelsey	55
Shalia Lankford	56
Ron Ramsey	162
Sindy Ramsey	60
Matthew Smith	54
Thomas Smith	67

### **(R) Delegates at Large**

**Vote for 14**

**Votes=2,493**

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### MITT ROMNEY

Rob Ailey 151

Steve Allbrooks 149

Randal Boyd 145

Josh Brown 162

Steve Buttry 126

Beth Campbell 173

John Crisp 135

John Wayne Cropp 127

Winfield Dunn 187

Ruth B. Hagerty 114

Julia Hurley 113



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Jim Looney 98

Wendell Moore 131

Justin Pitt 96

Mark White 83

Susan Richardson Williams 62

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Sandy Crawford 149

Rosine Ghawji 89

Robert Tyler Prince 116

Juanita Thouin 87

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### (R) Delegate 6<sup>th</sup> District

#### Vote for 3

Votes=2,226

#### NEWT GINGRICH

Joe Carr	230
Christopher Stephen Hughes	179
Terri Lynn Weaver	696
Susan Witcher	325

#### RON PAUL

Mark Abbotoy	147
Sofia Carnicelli Grey	108

#### RICK PERRY

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Justin Wax 63

MITT ROMNEY

Debra K. Copass 91

Beth Cox 103

Randy Stamps 89

Chad White 79

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Terry Barnes 114

WRITE-IN 1

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WRITE-IN 0

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### (R) Assessor of Property

Vote for 1

Votes=1,685

RICK SHOULDERS	1,684
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WRITE-IN	1
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### (D) Assessor of Property

Vote for 1

Votes=0

NO CANDIDATE FILED	0
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WRITE-IN	0
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### (R) Road Supervisor

Vote for 1

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**Votes=1,651**

AUDIE COOK 1,631

WRITE-IN 20

**(D) Road Supervisor**

**Vote for 1**

**Votes=115**

CHARLES "CHOP" PORTER 112

WRITE-IN 3

**(R) Constable for Districts 9 & 10**

**Vote for 1**

**Votes=7**

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NO CANDIDATE FILED 0

WRITE-IN 7

### (D) Constable for Districts 9 & 10

**Vote for 1**

**Votes=2**

NO CANDIDATE FILED 0

WRITE-IN 2

Tennessee Results for the 2012 Presidential Preference Primary:

### **President - Republican**

Rick Santorum (21 delegates): 204,978 (37%)

Mitt Romney (8 delegates): 153,889 (28%)

Newt Gingrich (5 delegates): 132,142 (24%)

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Ron Paul (0 delegates): 49,782 (9%)

Uncommitted: 2,876 (1%)

### **President – Democrat**

Barack Obama: 80,095 (90%)

Uncommitted: 9,028 (10%)