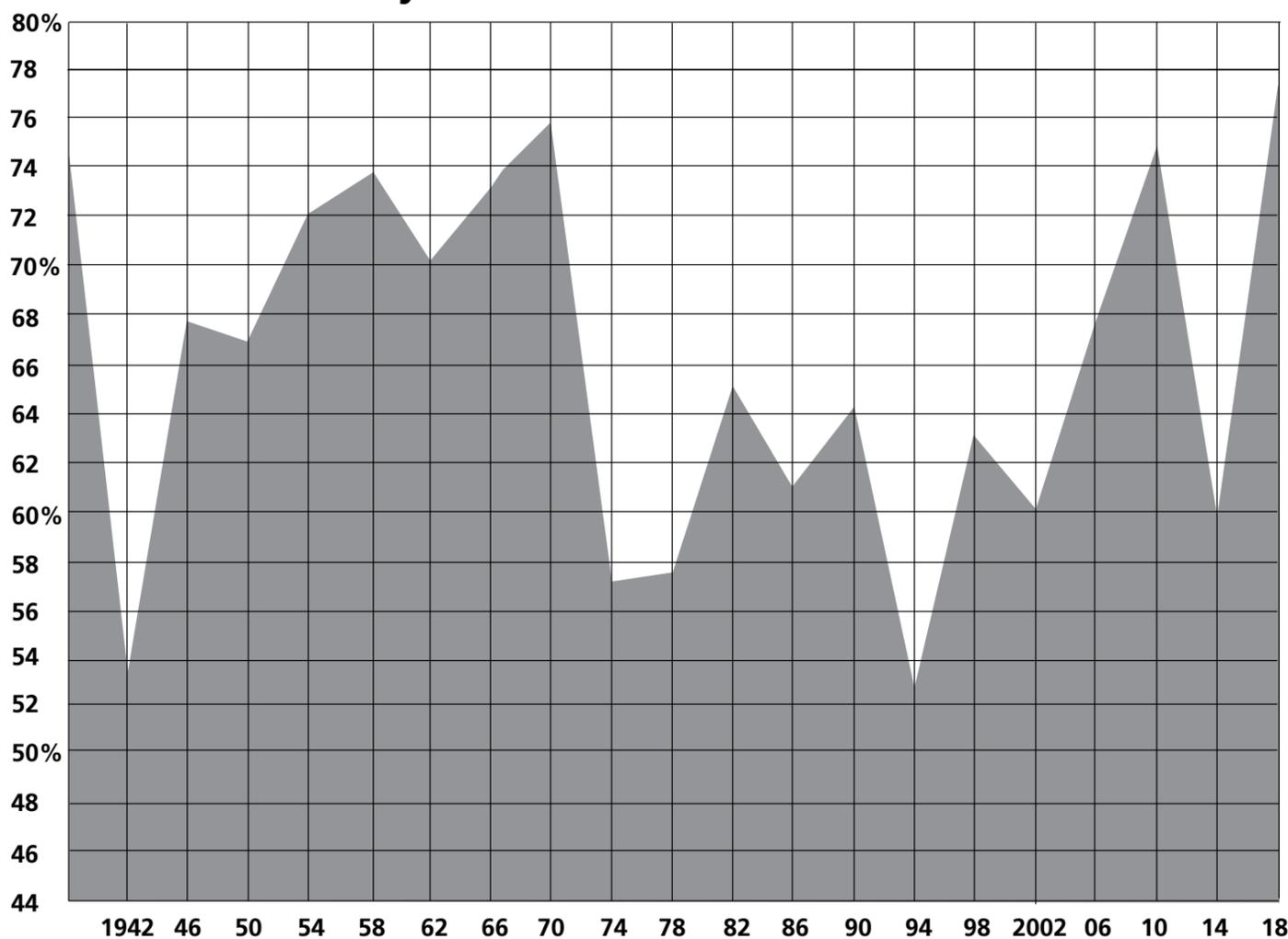


General Election Results—2018

Whatcom County Voter Turnout: Midterm Elections 1938 – 2018



	Registered	Voted	Turnout
1938	32,235	23,978	74.39%
1942	32,079	17,292	53.90%
1946	33,062	22,432	67.84%
1950	36,192	24,362	67.31%
1954	36,601	26,362	72.03%
1958	37,001	25,336	73.88%
1962	36,121	25,417	70.37%
1966	35,325	25,982	73.55%
1970	38,250	29,026	75.88%
1974	49,650	28,495	57.40%
1978	51,509	29,752	57.76%
1982	56,653	36,884	65.11%
1986	61,218	37,782	61.72%
1990	61,572	39,660	64.41%
1994	85,670	45,192	52.75%
1998	90,258	57,090	63.25%
2002	91,656	55,066	60.08%
2006	102,819	69,782	67.87%
2010	116,581	86,993	74.62%
2014	127,280	76,123	59.81%
2018	143,265	110,504	77.13%
Mean			66.24%

Whatcom County Registered Voters

The 2018 age profile was obtained on October 19, two days after the general election ballots were mailed. The 2016 age profile was obtained on October 20, 2016, the day after the general election ballots were mailed. This is the fourth time *Whatcom Watch* has printed the age profile of registered voters. The first time was the presidential election in 2008, then the presidential elections in 2012 and 2018 and midterm election this year. In every age category in every year, female voters were the highest percentage of registered voters.

2018 — Age Profile

Age	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
18 – 25	8,815	10,239	19,054	46.3%	53.7%
26 – 35	11,511	11,891	23,402	49.2%	50.8%
36 – 45	10,504	10,862	21,366	49.2%	50.8%
46 – 55	10,146	10,950	21,096	48.1%	51.9%
56 – 65	11,432	12,870	24,302	47.0%	53.0%
66 and over	15,590	17,631	33,221	46.9%	53.1%
Total	67,998	74,443	142,441	47.7%	52.3%

2016 — Age Profile

Age	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
18 – 25	9,352	10,660	20,012	46.7%	53.3%
26 – 35	10,920	11,434	22,354	48.9%	51.1%
36 – 45	9,918	10,231	20,149	49.2%	50.8%
46 – 55	10,234	11,008	21,242	48.2%	51.8%
56 – 65	11,413	12,854	24,267	47.0%	53.0%
66 and over	14,104	15,753	29,857	47.2%	52.8%
Total	65,941	71,922	137,863	47.8%	52.2%

Voting Drop-Off Rate

The first column is the total number voting. The second column is the number voting on the candidate or ballot measure. The third column is the second column subtracted from the first column and reflected as a percent.

Whatcom County	Ballots Cast*	Voted On*	Not Voting
Initiative 1639	110,504	109,681	0.74%
Initiative 1631	110,504	109,464	0.94%
42nd District, Senator	73,742	72,783	1.30%
U.S. Senator	110,504	109,051	1.31%
Initiative 940	110,504	108,892	1.46%
Initiative 1634	110,504	108,791	1.55%
42nd District, Position #2	73,742	72,498	1.69%
42nd District, Position #1	73,742	72,494	1.69%
1st Congressional District	55,619	54,555	1.91%
40th District, Position #1	36,762	35,812	2.58%
2nd Congressional District	54,885	52,284	4.74%
Advisory Vote 19	110,504	102,966	6.82%
Council At-Large, Position B	110,504	98,415	10.94%
County Prosecuting Attorney	110,504	96,738	12.46%
Court of Appeals Judge	110,504	96,158	12.98%
Public Utility District Commissioner	110,504	92,459	16.33%
State Supreme Court, Position 8	110,504	90,862	17.77%
40th District, Position #2**	36,762	29,079	20.90%
State Supreme Court, Position 2**	110,504	76,272	30.98%
District Court Judge, Position 2**	110,504	73,479	33.51%
District Court Judge, Position 1**	110,504	72,980	33.96%
State Supreme Court, Position 9**	110,504	72,592	34.31%

*includes write-in votes **unopposed

City of Bellingham

Low-Income Housing Levy44,883..... 42,957 4.29%