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Year 1992

Body Senate

- 67 Total number of legislators
- 12 Number of incumbents who did not run
- = 55 Number of incumbents who ran

- 16 Total number of new legislators after election
- 12 Number of incumbents who did not run
- 4 Number of incumbents who were defeated

- 55 Incumbents ran
- 4 Incumbents defeated
- = 51 Incumbents won

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Number of incumbents who won} \quad \underline{51} \quad = \quad \underline{X} \\ \text{Number of incumbents who ran} \quad \underline{55} \quad = \quad \underline{100} \end{array}$$

X = the percent of incumbents who ran and were re-elected

$$X = \underline{92.7\%}$$

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Body House

134 Total number of legislators
- 21 Number of incumbents who did not run
= 113 Number of incumbents who ran

33 Total number of new legislators after election
- 21 Number of incumbents who did not run
= 12 Number of incumbents who were defeated

113 Incumbents ran
- 12 Incumbents defeated
= 101 Incumbents won

Number of incumbents who won 101 = X

Number of incumbents who ran 113 = 100

X = the percent of incumbents who ran and were re-elected

X = 89.4%

Incumbent Senators Who did not Run in the 1992 Elections
IR - 6, DFL - 6, Total - 12

IR

John Bernhagen (21)
Nancy Brataas (33)
Jim Gustafson (8)
Chuck Halberg (38)
Fritz Knaak (53)
Earl Renneke (35)

DFL

Greg Dahl (50)
Gary DeCramer (27)
Ron Dicklich (5)
David Frederickson (23)
Jerome ~~John~~ Hughes (54)
Eugene Waldorf (66)

Incumbent Senators who were Defeated in the 1992 Elections
Primary - 1 DFL General Election, IR - 1, DFL - 2 Total - 4

Primary Election

Don Frank (DFL, 48) *He was defeated by Don Betzold, who went on to win the general election.*

General Election
IR - 1, DFL - 2

IR

Lyle Mehrkens (29)

DFL

Charles Davis (17)
Judy Traub (45)

New Senators after the 1992 Elections

IR - 8, DFL - 8, Total - 16

IR

Steve Dille (20)

Sheila Kiscaden (30)

Dave Knutson (36)

Arlene Lesewski (21)

Edward Oliver (43)

Martha Robertson (45) *defeated an incumbent, Judy Traub*

Linda Runbeck (53)

Dan Stevens (17) *defeated an incumbent, Charles Davis*

DFL

Ellen Anderson (66)

Don Betzold (48) *defeated an incumbent in the primary, Don Frank*

Kevin Chandler (55)

Paula Hanson (50) *defeated an incumbent Representative, Phil Heir*

Jerry Janezich (5)

Jane Krentz (51)

Steve Murphy (29) *defeated an incumbent, Lyle Mehrkens*

Deanna Wiener (38) *defeated an incumbent Representative, Art Seaberg*

Incumbent Representatives who did not run in the 1992 Elections
IR - 15, DFL - 6 : Total - 21

IR

Richard H. Anderson - Retired
Terry Dempsey - Retired
Steve Dille - Ran for State Senate and won
Dean Hartle - Ran for other office
Phil Heir - Ran for other office
Paul Hufnagle - Retired
Marcus Marsh - Retired
Harriet A. McPherson - Retired
Sally Olsen - Retired
Bernie Omann - Ran for U.S. Congress and lost
Linda Runbeck - Ran for State Senate and won
Bill Schreiber - Ran for other office
Art Seaberg - Ran for State Senate and lost
Sylvester Uphus - Retired
Ray Welker - Retired

DFL

Joseph Begich - Retired
Jerry Janezich - Ran for other office
Ken Nelson - Retired
Paul Anders Ogren - Retired
Linda Scheid - Retired
Robert Vanasek - Retired

Incumbent Representatives who were defeated in the 1992 elections
TOTAL=12

Defeated in the primary:

Jeff Hanson, 46A.
Rich O'Connor, 66B.
Loren Thompson, 10A.

Defeated in the general election:

Larry Bodahl, 35B.
Ben Boo, 8B.
Marcel "Sal" Frederick, 24B.
Joyce Henry, 40B.
Bob McEachern, 22A.
Dennis Newinski, 54B.
Dick Pellow, 52B.
Gary Schafer, 35A.
Don Valento, 54A.

HOUSE - Newly Elected Members after the 1992 Elections
TOTAL=33

Marc Asch, 53B
Brian Bergson, 48A
Kay Brown, 25A
Tim Commers, 38A
Steve Dehler, 14A
Mike Delmont, 51A
Jerry Dempsey, 29A
Geri Evans, 52B
Mindy Greiling, 54B
Mark Holsten, 56A
Thomas Huntley, 6B
Steve Kelley, 44A
Stephanie Klinzing, 19B
Arlon Lindner, 33A
Darlene Luther, 47A
Mark Mahon, 40A
Betty McCollum, 55B
Carol Molnau, 35A
Darrel Mosel, 23B
Pamela Neary, 56B
Robert Ness, 20A
Mark Olson, 19A
Joe Opatz, 16A
Tim Pawlenty, 38B
Walter Perlt, 57A
Alice Seagren, 41A
Kathleen Sekhon, 50A
David Tomassoni, 5B
Todd Van Dellen, 34B
Barbara Vickerman, 23A
Ken Wolf, 41B
Gary Worke, 28A
Tom Workman, 43A